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#### SOUTH AFRICAN HERITAGE RESOURCES AGENCY

# PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR PERMIT APPLICATIONS MADE TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN HERITAGE RESOURCES AGENCY (SAHRA)

In terms of section 25(2)(I) of the National Heritage Resources Act, No 25 of 1999, permit applications must be accompanied, from 1 February 2006, by appropriate payment of fees. The proposed Guideline and Schedule is listed below.

Any comment should reach the Chief Executive Officer, SAHRA (P.O. Box 4637, Cape Town 8000 or info@sahra. org.za) by 31 August 2005.

### **Guideline to SAHRA Fees for Permit Applications**

Permit applications submitted to the South African Heritage Resources Authority SAHRA, in terms of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act No 25 of 1999) **must** be accompanied by a payment of the appropriate fee. **This** will take effect from 1 February 2006for the following permit applications:

SHEDULE OF FEES FOR SAHRA PERMITS	
1. Permits issued by the SAHRA <b>Heritage Objects</b> Unit in terms of <b>s.32</b> :	-
i. Application fee for the export of gazetted'	R150
types of heritage objects;	+/
ii. Fee for <u>pre-sale inspection</u> / investigation	R150
iii. Application fee for the <u>destruction</u> , <u>damage</u> , <u>alteration</u> , <u>restoration</u> or <u>repair</u> of a specifically declared heritage object	R150
2. Permits issued by the SAHRA <b>Archaeology</b> , <b>Palaeontology and Meteorite</b> Unit (APM) Unit for Grade I archaeological or palaeontological heritage resources or meteorites:	
<ul> <li>i. Application fee for <u>destruction</u>, <u>damage</u>, <u>excavation</u>, <u>alteration or disturbance</u> in terms of s.35(4) for <u>research and conservation</u>;</li> </ul>	R100
<ul> <li>ii. Application fee for <u>destruction</u>, <u>damage</u>, <u>excavation</u>, <u>alteration or disturbance</u> in terms of s.35 (4) for <u>mitigation or development</u>;</li> </ul>	R150

<sup>1</sup> Types of Heritage Objects (export permit required): Government Gazette, No.24116, Notice No.1313.6 December 2002

iii. Application fee for <u>filming</u> by commercial film by commercial film crews in terms of <b>s.</b> 35(4);	R500
iv. Application fee for <u>registration of private</u> collections in terms of s.35 (7&8);	R20
v. Application fee for <u>burials disturbed or relocated</u> in terms of s.36;	R250
vi. Application fee for <u>export</u> , in terms of <b>s.35</b> and s.32:	R50
vii. Application fees for Grade II & III and generally protected heritage resources for 2i-2v above on an agency basis. for Provincial Heritage Resources Authorities, in terms of s.35 and s.36	As above
3. Permits issued by the SAHRA <b>Maritime Archaeology</b> Unit in terms of s.35 or 32:	
<ul> <li>i. Application fee for <u>destruction</u>, <u>damage</u>, <u>excavation</u>, <u>alteration</u> or <u>disturbance</u> in terms of <u>s.35</u>(4)</li> </ul>	R150
ii. Application fee for <u>filming</u> by commercial film by commercial film crews in terms of <b>s</b> .35 (4)	R500
iii. Application fee for export, in terms of ss.35 & 32	R150
4. Permits issued for Victims of Conflict in terms of s.36;	R150
5. Applications to SAHRA for alterations to the Built <b>Environment and Landscape</b> for development of national heritage sites in terms of section 27 or sites that are provisionally protected in terms of section 29 (or permits issued on an agency basis for Provincial Heritage Resources Authorities).	
i. Application fee for <u>initial permit</u> . SAHRA Permit Committee will inform the applicant after their first meeting whether additional fees (ii-iv) are applicable to the project.	R150
a. Basic <u>site investigation/ scrutiny</u> , at the request of the developer, for any application; OR	R200 / hour
b. Extended site investigation and document review fee for national heritage sites and other nationally protected sites that are being developed for commercial use; and	0.1% construction cost
c. <u>Site inspection fee</u> (national heritage sites exempt) for monitoring (at request of developer).	R200
<ol> <li>Permits issued for Reproduction of National Heritage Sites in terms of s.27(23);</li> </ol>	R 150 (By arrangement between SAHRA and the owner)

### **Exemptions:**

Charges may be waived, at the discretion of SAHRA CEO, for certain permit applications.

It should be NOTED that SAHRA may, in terms of section 3 of the SAHRA permitting regulations, require that a financial deposit be lodged with SAHRA to safeguard a heritage resource until satisfactory completion of the action for which the permit is required.

**PAYMENT** may be made by depositing the relevant amount into the SAHRA bank account and faxing or producing the proof of payment (i.e., stamped deposit slip, internet banking confirmation, etc.), OR by cheque, **on application**.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT APPLICATIONS NOT ACCOMPANIED BY A PAYMENTORPROOFOFPAYMENTMAYNOTBEPROCESSEDUNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A WAIVER FROM THE CEO

## **SAHRA** banking details:

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Should you have any queries please contact the appropriate unit via: SAHRA, **PO** Box 4637, Cape **Town** 8000; Tel: 021 462 4502; Fax: 462 4509; or info@sahra.org.za.

As indicated above, any comment on the above Guideline and Schedule should reach SAHRA CEO (PO Box 4637, Cape Town 8000 or info@sahra.org.za) by 31 August 2005.