



National Heritage Council of Namibia

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CONSENT

(Section 55(9) of the National Heritage Act, 2004 (Act No. 27 of 2004) Consent is hereby given to:

23rd February 2026

Consent Number No: 27/2026/35

Name of applicant: Ms. Maudy Trudy Tjikongo

(Title and full name of the applicant)

Address of applicant: Erf 1220, Susanna Street, Windhoek.

(Address of the applicant and of the applying institution (if applicable))

For: Mineral Exploration activities on Exclusive Prospecting Licence (EPL) 8162 for Base and Rare Metals, Industrial Minerals and Precious Metals.

(Type of Activity applied for)

Of: Burial sites, surface scatters and rock art sites.

(Description of Heritage Resources)

From: The EPL is located about 15 km West of Khorixas in the Kunene Region and covers a surface area of 19562 hectares and overlies communal land and Doro Nawas conservancy.

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(Description of the site, location as in the application)

In accordance with: Heritage Impact Assessment report for the proposed exploration activities on EPL 8162, for the proposed exploration activities Base and Rare Metals, Industrial Minerals and Precious Metals, Kunene Region.

Permit application date: 24/01/2025

(Specify relevant documentation and Permit application date)

The following conditions (imposed in terms of section 55(9) of the Act.) apply to this permit:

- a) A 100 m buffer should be created and maintained around the burial sites within the EPL.
- b) A 8 km buffer zone should be created and maintained from the Petrified National Heritage Site.
- c) The proponent is advised to approach the site with reported rock art site with caution.
- d) Monitoring and evaluation inspection will be carried out on the area during the course of the year.
- e) Failure to adhere to the conditions will attract fines or imprisonment or the retraction of the consent as per the National Heritage Act no. 27 of 2004.
- f) As per Section 55 (9) (a) the activity authorized by this consent be supervised by a person with appropriate professional qualifications or experience.
- g) The proponent should take caution approaches together with the compliance and of the Chance Find Procedure.
- h) The consent holder is to report back to the National Heritage Council every six (6) months on compliance with the conditions of this consent.
- i) This consent does not exempt the holder from any conditions that may be imposed by owners, hosts or any other relevant authorities in consultation with NHC who have a stake in the project area.



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- j) NHC shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries to persons or properties as a result of any activities related to this permit.
- k) This Consent is subject to the provisions of the National Heritage Act (Act 27 of 2004). Should any of the conditions contained herein conflict with the Act; the provisions of the Act as per section 55 (10) shall prevail.
- l) This consent is renewable, upon submission of an application at least two months before the current permit lapses.

This Consent will be valid from 23rd February 2026 to 22nd February 2027.



Erica M.P. Ndalikokule

Director: National Heritage Council of Namibia

