



Application for
Heritage
Research Permit
(Palaeontology)

Permit No.

Department of Tourism, Culture &
Heritage

Heritage Division
Special Places Protection Act, 1980

(Original becomes Permit when approved
by the Executive Director of the Heritage
Division)

The undersigned
of
representing
(institution)

hereby applies for a permit under section 8 of the Special Places Protection Act to carry out palaeontological investigations

from to

at

general location

specific location(s) (cite UTM
designations where appropriate)

and as described separately in accordance with the attached Description of Project.

I certify that I am familiar with the provisions of the Special Places Protection Act of Nova Scotia, and that I will abide by the terms
and conditions listed below.

Date Signature of applicant

Approved: Date Executive Director

Description of Project

The proposed project is to be described under the following
headings:

- (a) Scope and objectives of investigations
(b) Significance of proposed project
(c) Proposed research plan and methodology
(d) Relation of proposed project to previous work or other work
in progress.
(e) Anticipated crew size, names of crew and relevant
experience
(f) Schedule of field work and analysis
(g) Projected conservation requirements and proposed
conservation measures
(h) Financial and other support applied for, or already granted,
in support of proposed project.
(i) Curriculum vitae of applicant
(j) Previous permits awarded to applicant

Terms and Conditions

- 1. Permits shall be valid only in the calendar year in which
issued. Applications for extensions should be submitted in
the same manner as the original permit.
2. Before the end of the calendar year each permit holder shall
provide the Executive Director with a written preliminary

- report on the results of his investigations.
3. Upon completion of analysis the permit holder shall provide the
Executive Director with a written final report on their
investigations, in such format and detail as the Executive
Director requires.
4. All materials recovered become the property of the Province of
Nova Scotia and must be delivered upon request to the Museum
or to any other public institution, the Executive Director may
designate. Such materials must be cleaned, numbered and
recorded on standard field record forms. Materials required for
research purposes must be recorded on an official loan form
signed by an official representative of the Nova Scotia Museum.
5. Upon completion of his investigations, each permit holder shall
restore the sites he has excavated as nearly as possible to their
former condition, to the satisfaction of the owner.
6. Permits shall be issued on the understanding that the
investigations are to be conducted for the sole purpose of
recovering information and materials for scientific or historical
study, by the applicant or qualified persons under his direct
supervision, and conforming to the best scientific standards
within the applicant's ability.
7. Permits shall normally be issued only to persons affiliated with
responsible public institutions, on the understanding that the
information and materials collected shall be properly recorded,
preserved, and made available for scientific study and public
observation. Applicants not professionally affiliated with a
recognized public institution must provide the names of two

- referees who can evaluate and comment on the applicant's
ability to undertake the proposed project.
8. A permit shall be valid only if the applicant can demonstrate
that the owner of the land on which palaeontological work is
to be carried out has given permission for such work to
commence (this shall include permission from the
Department of Natural Resources where investigations are
proposed on Crown lands). A permit ceases to be valid if the
permit holder has reason to believe that the consent of the
owner has since been withdrawn.
9. A person designated by the Executive Director may at any
time inspect a permit, or any investigation being conducted
under a permit, or any materials recovered under the
authority of a permit.
10. The Executive Director may cancel a permit at any time and
the permit shall, upon cancellation, cease to be in force.
11. Cultural material recovered under the Terms and Conditions
of this permit may not be exported from Canada without
possession of a Cultural Property Export Permit as required
by the Cultural Property Import and Export Act administered
by the Secretary of State for Canada.