

VICTORIAN ABORIGINAL PLACE COMPONENT FORM

ABORIGINAL HUMAN REMAINS

HERITAGE REGISTER NAME _____

HERITAGE REGISTER NUMBER -

Grid Coordinates* E N

*All grid coordinates must be presented with reference to the MGA94 datum Zone 54 Zone 55

- Individual burial Multiple burials Isolated elements Isolated fragments Scatter

Context

- Coastal dune
- Inland dune
- Lunette
- Overhang
- Cave
- Niche
- Shell deposit
- Mound
- Other _____

Interment Method

- Primary
- Secondary
- Indeterminate
- Tree
- Platform
- Bundle Flexed
- Semi-flexed
- Extended
- In situ
- Disturbed

Articulation

- Complete
- Incomplete
- Disarticulated
- Fragmentary
- Indeterminate

Bone Condition

- Bleached
- Weathered
- Splintered
- Crumbling
- Intact

Preservation

- Teeth
- Bones
- Hair
- Flesh

Orientation of Burial/Scatter:

Orientation _____ °
(Feet to head)

Estimated Number of Individuals _____

(Provide separate numbered sheet for each distinct individual as appropriate)

Evidence of Cremation Yes No

Visible Soil Features (pits) Yes No

Dimensions of Pit:

Length _____ m Width _____ m Orientation _____ °
Depth at top _____ m Depth at bottom _____ m
(Feet to head)

Remains Contained in:

- Basket Bark Hide
- Hollow tree Wooden box None
- Other _____

Associated Cultural Remains (Also complete *Artefact Scatter form*)
(Mark "G" for material designated as intentional grave goods).

- Chipped stone Charcoal Cloth
- Burnt rock Bone artefacts Kopi/Gypsum
- Burnt bone Wood Ceramics
- Non-human bone Feathers Glass
- Shell Animal hide Metal
- Modified shell Plant fibre Plastic
- Ground stone Netting/Basketry
- Burnt clay Ochre
- Other _____

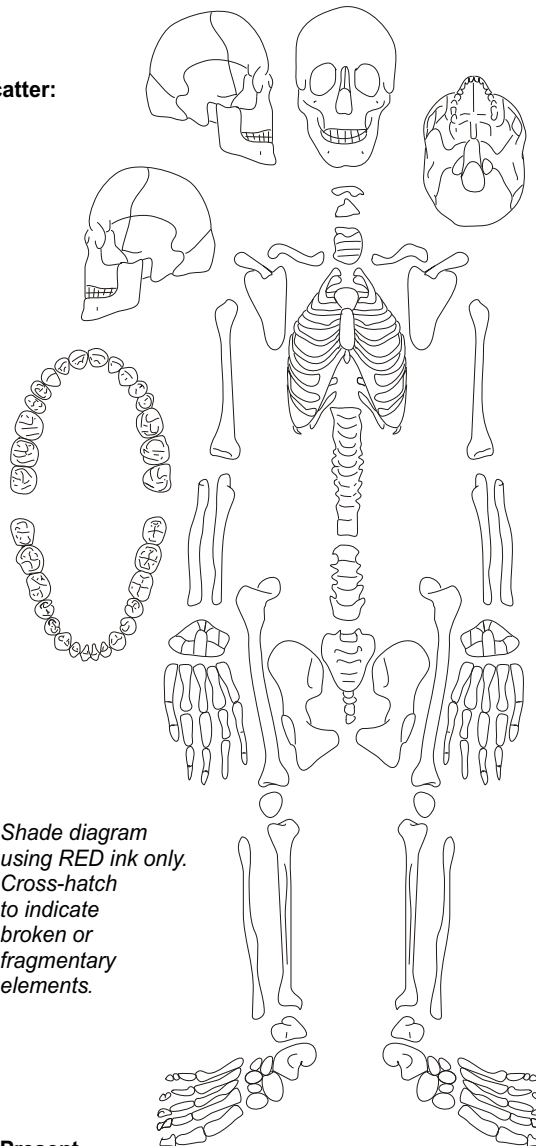
Associated Grave Marker

- Cairn Earth None
- Stone Stone alignment Wooden
- Other _____

Text of Inscription

Elements Present
(indicate number)

- Collarbone Lower Jaw Spine
- Cranium Pelvis Teeth
- Feet/Hands Ribs/Breastbone Indeterminate
- Long bones Shoulderblade



Shade diagram using RED ink only. Cross-hatch to indicate broken or fragmentary elements.

