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Introduction

The whole HRS collection is arranged and well packaged in archival boxes in June 2024. The files are in good condition, and consist of 8 storage units. The entire collection is indexed on the Archival Files Database.

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Jurisdiction in the German-South West African protectorate was exercised by the State Commissioner himself until 1890. In August 1890, a first-instance court authority was established in Otjimbingwe, which was relocated to Windhoek shortly thereafter.

This judicial district, which covered the entire protected area, was divided into two judicial districts in 1894: a northern one with the seat of office in Windhoek, and a southern one with the seat of office in Keetmanshoop. Three further judicial districts were later formed: Otjimbingwe 18954; (moved to Swakopmund in 1897/1898; Lüderitzbucht 19066 and Omaruru 1909.

In addition to their criminal and civil jurisdiction, the district courts were also responsible for maintaining the commercial registers since 1896. The activities of the district courts ended with the takeover of the German protectorate by the British forces in July 1915.

The files

According to the Commercial Code, companies and sole traders were obliged to register in the commercial register at the responsible district courts. At the district courts, the commercial register files were divided into two Departments. Sole proprietorships, general partnerships and limited partnerships were registered in Department A, identified by the reference HRA. Joint-stock companies, limited partnerships, limited liability companies and trading legal entities were registered in Department B, identified by the reference HRB. When arranging these files, these departments were retained. The HRA files are listed first, in order of appearance. The HRB files follow.

A.C. Stern and

S.A. Harper in September 1974.

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Box	File No.	Description	Vol	Period
1	HRA1	file; Handelsregistersache. E. Hälbig Otjimbingwe	1	1896-1912
1	HRA2	file; Handelsregistersache. W. Redecker Otjimbingwe	1	1896-1912
1	HRA4	file; Handelsregistersache. O. Glöditzsch Otjimbingwe	1	1896-1914
1	HRA7	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Rubien Karibib	1	1900-1910
1	HRA11	file; Handelsregistersache. L. Koch Nachfolger Hänisch Swakopmund	1	1902-1914
1	HRA12	file; Handelsregistersache. Erhard und Schultz Swakopmund, Omaruru und Karibib	1	1897-1921
1	HRA13	file; Handelsregistersache. Wecke und Voigts, Okahandja Swakopmund und Windhoek	1	1896-1908
1	HRA15	file; Handelsregistersache. M. Zimmermann und Co. Swakopmund	1	1898-1914
2	HRA16	file; Handelsregistersache. Rösemann und Kronewitter. Otjimbingwe und Karibib	1	1898-1913
2	HRA20	file; Handelsregistersache. Hansgen und Baumgarten Swakopmund	1	1903-1910
2	HRA21	file; Handelsregistersache. Boysen Wulff und Co. Swakopmund	1	1904-1914
2	HRA22	file; Handelsregistersache. Woermann Linie Swakopmund	1	1904-1913
2	HRA23	file; Handelsregistersache. G. Ahrens Swakopmund	1	1905-1908
2	HRA25	file; Handelsregistersache. Blumenthal und Stern Swakopmund	1	1905-1906
2	HRA26	file; Handelsregistersache. R. Schurig Swakopmund	1	1905-1913
2	HRA27	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Seitz	1	1905-1907
2	HRA28	file; Handelsregistersache. Warsow und Thran Swakopmund	1	1905-1914
2	HRA30	file; Handelsregistersache. Westafrikanische Handelsgesellschaft Gerecke und Hill Swakopmund	1	1905-1914
3	HRA32	file; Handelsregistersache. A. Metzger Swakopmund	1	1905-1908
3	HRA33	file; Handelsregistersache. M. Vorreuter	1	1905-1906
3	HRA34	file; Handelsregistersache. Gebrüder Bause Swakopmund	1	1905-1910
3	HRA35	file; Handelsregistersache. Max Puttkamer Germania Drogerie Swakopmund	1	1906-1910

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3	HRA36	file; Handelsregistersache. Stern und Charney	1	1906-1912
3	HRA37	file; Handelsregistersache. M. Pieters Swakopmund	1	1906-1914
3	HRA38	file; Handelsregistersache. Cj Arnoldt Swakopmund	1	1906-1914
3	HRA39	file; Handelsregistersache. P. Stechmann Swakopmund	1	1906-1909
3	HRA40	file; Handelsregistersache. C. Hagemeister Swakopmund	1	1906-1906
4	HRA41	file; Handelsregistersache. Rascher und Co. Swakopmund	1	1906-1914
4	HRA42	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Kaiser Swakopmund	1	1906-1910
4	HRA43	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Seitz und Co. Swakopmund und Karibib	1	1907-1913
4	HRA46	file; Handelsregistersache. M.L. Muller	1	1907-1914
4	HRA48	file; Handelsregistersache. A.M. Solomon und Co. Swakopmund	1	1907-1914
4	HRA49	file; Handelsregistersache. Liebenstein und Fröhlich Swakopmund	1	1907-1914
4	HRA50	file; Handelsregistersache. O. Harms	1	1907-1915
4	HRA51	file; Handelsregistersache. Lembcke und Co. Swakopmund	1	1908-1912
4	HRA56	file; Handelsregistersache. E. Plotz Swakopmund	1	1908-1914
4	HRA58	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Reiche und Co. Karibib	1	1908-1915
4	HRA59	file; Handelsregistersache. Erhard und Schultz Inhaber H.E. Lenssen Karibib	1	1908-1913
4	HRA60	file; Handelsregistersache. R. Hertzog Swakopmund	1	1909-1911
4	HRA60A	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Spedition und Lagerhaus Kommanditgesellschaft	1	1909-1915
5	HRA61	file; Handelsregistersache. O. Harms und Co. Swakopmund	1	1909-1915
5	HRA62	file; Handelsregistersache. Woermann Brock und Co. Swakopmund	1	1909-1911
5	HRA63	file; Handelsregistersache. A. Oberprieler Usakos	1	1910-1914
5	HRA64	file; Handelsregistersache. Druckereigesellschaft Peters und Stolze Swakopmund	1	1910-1913

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5	HRA65	file; Handelsregistersache. E. Zingel Karibib	1	1910-1911
5	HRA66	file; Handelsregistersache. A. Ebrecht Usakos	1	1911-1911
5	HRA67	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Transportgesellschaft Martins und Hass	1	1911-1911
5	HRA68	file; Handelsregistersache. M. Gilbert Swakopmund	1	1912-1914
5	HRA69	file; Handelsregistersache. O. Günther Swakopmund	1	1912-1912
5	HRA70	file; Handelsregistersache. O. Greiner Swakopmund	1	1912-1912
5	HRA72	file; Handelsregistersache. Kronenbrauerei Swakopmund Heuschneider	1	1912-1912
5	HRA73	file; Handelsregistersache. C.J. Neumann Swakopmund	1	1912-1914
5	HRA74	file; Handelsregistersache. Deyerl's Fischerei Swakopmund	1	1913-1913
5	HRA75	file; Handelsregistersache. Adler Apotheke und Drogerie E. Kiewitt Swakopmund	1	1909-1913
5	HRA76	file; Handelsregistersache. F. Pingel Swakopmund	1	1914-1914
5	HRA77	file; Handelsregistersache. H. Koch Swakopmund	1	1914-1914
5	HRA78	file; Handelsregistersache. R. Schuster Swakopmund	1	1914-1914
5	HRA79	file; Handelsregistersache. B. Brugers Swakopmund	1	1914-1914
5	HRA80	file; Handelsregistersache. M. Thiemann Karibib	1	1914-1915
6	HRB1	file; Handelsregistersache. Damara und Namaqua Handelsgesellschaft Swakopmund und Karibib	1	1898-1911
6	HRB2	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Buchhandlung	1	1900-1914
7	HRB3	file; Handelsregistersache. Ahrens und Co. Karibib	1	1900-1941
7	HRB5	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Immobilien-gesellschaft	1	1901-1909
7	HRB6	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Minengesellschaft	1	1901-1922
8	HRB7	file; Handelsregistersache. Swakopmunder Handelsgesellschaft	1	1899-1906
8	HRB8	file; Handelsregistersache. Mertens und Sichel Swakopmund	1	1899-1938

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8	HRB10	file; Handelsregistersache. Brauereigesellschaft Swakopmund	1	1904-1911
8	HRB11	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsche Kolonialgesellschaft für Südwestafrika Swakopmund	1	1905-1913
9	HRB12	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsche Afrika Bank Swakopmund	1	1906-1914
9	HRB14	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsche Südwestafrika Gesellschaft Berlin	1	1908-1914
9	HRB15	file; Handelsregistersache. 1 Behnke und Co	1	1923-1923
9	HRB16	file; Handelsregistersache. Namib Schürfgesellschaft Swakopmund	1	1908-1910
10	HRB17	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsch Südwestafrikanische Zeitung	1	1908-1922
10	HRB18	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsch Südwestafrikanische Marmorgesellschaft	1	1908-1914
10	HRB19	file; Handelsregistersache. Merkur Swakopmunder Schürf- und Finanzgesellschaft	1	1909-1922
10	HRB20	file; Handelsregistersache. Südwest Schürfsyndikat	1	1909-1922
10	HRB21	file; Handelsregistersache. Farm Kranzberg Gesellschaft Karibib	1	1909-1923
10	HRB22	file; Handelsregistersache. Karibib Diamantgesellschaft	1	1909-1922
11	HRB24	file; Handelsregistersache. J. Kronheimer und Co. Swakopmund	1	1909-1920
11	HRB26	file; Handelsregistersache. Deutsch Südwestafrikanische Straussenzucht Carl Hagenbeck Swakopmund	1	1910-1923
11	HRB27	file; Handelsregistersache. Erongo Zinngesellschaft Usakos	1	1910-1922
11	HRB28	file; Handelsregistersache. Karibiber Bergwerksgesellschaft Karibib	1	1912-1922
11	HRB29	file; Handelsregistersache. Zeitungsverlag Gesellschaft Swakopmund	1	1912-1922
11	HRB30	file; Handelsregistersache. Fleischkonservenfabrik Karibib	1	1913-1922
11	HRB32	file; Handelsregistersache. Ameib Zinngesellschaft Swakopmund	1	1913-1931
11	HRB0000	file; Handelsregistersache. Vogelsang Diamantgesellschaft Swakopmund	1	1909-1909
11	HRB0000	file; Beglaubigte Abschriften aus dem Handelsregister	1	1899-1911