

# EAST DEVON METAL-DETECTING CLUB

## SEARCH AGREEMENT

I ....., the owner of lands  
at..... [farm/holding address and postcode]

agree that, in consideration of the sum of £100 (one hundred pounds),

I hereby grant permission to the East Devon Metal-Detecting Club (EDMDC) to metal-detect on specified lands within this property. This shall be on the understanding that members of EDMDC will report finds to the Landowner and share between the member or members finding and the land-owner on a 50/50 basis the value of their find/s, where the value of such finds exceeds the sum of £100 (one hundred pounds). Where there is a third party, a Tenant, of the land, subject to the Landowner's wishes, the Tenant will be informed of such find/s and the division of the value shall then be one third each between the member or members finding, the land-owner and the tenant. Additionally, any finds that may be potential Treasure under the Treasure Act 1996, shall be reported to Coroner for the district. The Crown will determine and apportion any subsequent award made under the Act.

In pursuance of this agreement, all members of East Devon Metal-Detecting Club shall abide by the *National Council for Metal Detecting Code of Conduct* and the *East Devon Metal-Detecting Club Rules*.

Furthermore, all parties must abide by the terms and conditions of any agricultural or environmental schemes which apply to the land subject of this agreement.

Signed: ..... [Owner/Tenant]

Date: ...../...../20.....

I accept the above conditions

Signed: ..... [for the EDMDC]

Date: ...../...../20.....

*[East Devon Metal-Detecting Club is a member of the National Council for Metal Detecting. As agreed with the National Farmers Union, the National Council for Metal Detecting has obtained Civil Liability Insurance cover for its members, to a limit of £10,000,000 under Policy No. PL-PSC04001873643/01 with Hiscox].*