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"On July 13, 1996, a new association interested in the study of the past was formed. The Zimbabwe Historical Studies Association, seeks among other things 'to promote and encourage historical studies mainly in the past of Zimbabwe from various disciplines including, but not limited to history, archaeology, economic history, political science, religious history, law, etc.' and 'to promote collaborative research and facilities for scholarly exchange of ideas and publications between individuals and institutions engaged in the study and research in the human past in Zimbabwe.'"

Thus begins Volume 1, Issue 1 of Historical Studies News, a new newsletter by the Historical Studies Association of Zimbabwe. This first issue discusses the purposes behind the organization, how it was formed and by whom, its constitution and a call for papers for its new refereed publication, Journal of Zimbabwean Historical Studies. Membership in the association for North American residents is US $20 per year. Please send inquiries to The Secretary, Attention Dr. I. Pikirayi, History Department, University of Zimbabwe, Box MP167, Mt. Pleasant, Harare, Zimbabwe.