



# Fees and Charges

## Information on Mining Tenements

Effective from 1 July 2012

*Mining Act 1978*

	Maximum Area	Terms (years)	Fees		Min. Annual Expenditure
			Application	Rent	
Prospecting Licence	200 ha.	4 years Renewable for 1 period of 4 years (for licences applied for after 10 Feb 2006)	\$267.30	\$2.25 per ha. or part thereof Min. \$22.50	\$40.00 per ha. Min. \$2000
Special Prospecting Licence for Gold	10 ha. (Max)	Min 3 months or further multiples of 3 months (4 year max)	\$267.30	\$22.50	\$2000
Exploration Licence (Non-Graticular)	200 km <sup>2</sup> Min. 10 km <sup>2</sup>	5 years Renewable for 2 periods of up to 2 years and further periods of 1 year	N/A	\$44.70 per km <sup>2</sup> or part thereof for years 1–7.  \$150.60 for subsequent years	\$300 per km <sup>2</sup> Min. \$20,000  Extensions: Years 6 & 7 \$50,000 per year; thereafter \$100,000 per year
Exploration Licence (Graticular)	70 Blocks 200 Blocks (outside known mineralised areas)	5 years May extend for 2 periods of up to 2 years and further periods of 1 year for licences applied for prior to 10 Feb 2006  On or after this date term is 5 years, may extend for one period of 5 years and by a further period or periods of 2 years	\$1207.90 (\$282.70 if for 1 block only)	Years 1–3 \$116.70 per block (\$280.65 if for only 1 block)  Years 4 and 5 \$181.45  Years 6 and 7 \$246.20  Years 8 on \$466.20	Years 1–3: \$1000 per block  • Min. \$10,000 for 1 block • Min. \$15,000 for 2–5 blocks • Min. \$20,000 for 6 to 20 blocks  Escalating expenditure for year 4 and thereafter
Mining Lease	N/A	21 years renewable	\$406.05	\$15.40 per ha. or part thereof	\$100 per ha. Min \$5000 if 5 ha. or less otherwise \$10,000
General Purpose Lease	10 ha. (larger area with Minister's consent)	21 years renewable	\$406.05	\$13.65 per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Miscellaneous Licence	N/A	21 years renewable	\$406.05	\$13.65 per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Miscellaneous Licence (search for groundwater)	N/A	21 years renewable	\$406.05	50c per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Retention Licence	N/A	Up to 5 years renewable	\$683.60	\$6.70 per ha. or part thereof	As per approved programme
Retention Status Application			\$257.00		

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Securities	
Prospecting Licence	\$5000
Special Prospecting Licence for Gold	\$5000
Exploration Licence (Graticular)	\$5000
Exploration Licence (Non Graticular)	\$5000
Miscellaneous Licence	\$5000
Mining Lease	\$5000
General Purpose Lease	\$5000
Registration of Dealings	
Copy Document (per document)	\$102.80
Caveat (per caveat)	\$102.80
Devolution (per devolution)	\$102.80
Discharge/Withdrawal of Encumbrance (per tenement)	\$6.80
Injunction (per tenement)	\$102.80
Judgement/Order of Court (per tenement)	\$102.80
Mortgage (per tenement)	\$102.80
Partial Surrender (not section 65)	\$102.80
Power of Attorney (per power of attorney)	\$102.80
Transfer	
Mining Tenement (per transfer)	\$102.80
Mortgage (per tenement)	\$102.80
Other Fees	
Search for Mining Tenement Register	\$8.20
Dealing	\$8.20
Form 5	\$8.20
Other	\$8.20
Certification of a document	\$6.80
Exemption	
Prospecting Licence – one year (per tenement)	\$335.00
Exploration Licence – one year (per tenement)	\$380.00
Mining Lease – one year (per tenement)	\$465.00
Mining Lease – five year (per tenement)	\$2325.00
Duplicate Lease Instrument (per lease)	\$33.90
Miner's Right	\$25.00
Objection	Nil
Permit under Section 20A	\$25.00
Permit to Enter Private Land – per lot (minimum \$27.20)	\$6.80
Restoration (per tenement)	\$208.70
Proceedings before Warden's Court/Warden	
Plaints (per tenement)/Application for forfeiture	\$58.10
Response and witness summons	\$40.10
All necessary applications and affidavits	\$5.85
Order by Warden including order for an injunction	\$17.50
Copy of evidence per page	\$8.20
Copy of judgements, decisions or order per page	\$1.10