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Regulations under the *Mining Management Act*

I, JOHN CHRISTOPHER ANICTOMATIS, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, make the following regulations under the *Mining Management Act*.

Dated 12 December 2001.

J. C. ANICTOMATIS
Administrator

By His Honour's Command

P. R. HENDERSON
Minister for Energy

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 19 December 2001.

MINING MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Mining Management Regulations.

2. Commencement

These Regulations come into operation on the commencement of the *Mining Management Act 2001*.

3. Operator to provide monthly reports

(1) Not later than 14 days after the end of each month, the operator for a mining site must provide to the Chief Executive Officer a report relating to the mining site in accordance with subregulation (2).

Penalty: If the offender is a natural person – 20 penalty units.

If the offender is a body corporate – 100 penalty units.

(2) A monthly report is to be in a form determined by the Chief Executive Officer and is to contain the following information in respect of the preceding month:

- (a) the total number of persons (including contractors and subcontractors) employed or working on the mining site and the total number of hours worked by those persons;
 - (b) all serious accidents that have occurred on the mining site;
 - (c) first aid or medical treatment given to persons who have suffered injuries on the mining site;
 - (d) occupational diseases contracted by persons working on the mining site during that month –
 - (i) that are not occupational diseases within the meaning of paragraph (b) of the definition of "serious accident" in section 4 of the Act; and
 - (ii) that have been diagnosed during that month.
- (3) An offence against subregulation (1) is a regulatory offence.

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4. Operator to provide quarterly production returns

(1) Not later than 14 days after the last day of March, June, September and December in each year, the operator for a mining site must provide to the Chief Executive Officer a production return in accordance with subregulation (2).

Penalty: If the offender is a natural person – 20 penalty units.

If the offender is a body corporate – 100 penalty units.

(2) A quarterly production return is to be in a form determined by the Chief Executive Officer and is to relate to all minerals mined on the mining site during the preceding 3 months.

(3) An offence against subregulation (1) is a regulatory offence.

5. Release of information

The Minister may authorise or require a person to release information obtained in the administration of the Act if the Minister determines that –

(a) the release of the information will assist in promoting the objects of the Act; or

(b) it is necessary in the circumstances that the information be released.
