

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

MINING REGULATIONS

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NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Regulations 1982, No. 38*

I, ERIC EUGENE JOHNSTON, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the *Mining Act*.

Dated this 3rd day of June, 1982.

E. E. JOHNSTON

Administrator

By His Honour's Command

I. L. TUXWORTH

Minister for Mines and Energy

MINING REGULATIONS

1. CITATION

These Regulations may be cited as the Mining Regulations.

2. DEFINITION

In these Regulations, unless the contrary intention appears -

"block" means a block referred to in section 13 of the Act.

3. DIRECTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS TO BE FOLLOWED

(1) In these Regulations, a reference to a form by number is a reference to the form so numbered in Schedule 4.

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 25 JUN 1982, 1982.

A. B. CAUDELL, Government Printer of the Northern Territory

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(2) A form in Schedule 4 shall be completed in accordance with such directions and instructions as are specified in the form.

4. MINERAL FIELDS

For the purposes of section 8 of the Act, each of the following areas is a prescribed mineral field:

- (a) Northern Mineral Field - all that area situate north of the eighteenth parallel of south latitude and between the one hundred and thirty-ninth and one hundred and thirty-eight degrees of east longitude, together with so much of the coastal waters adjacent to the Territory to the Act applies;
- (b) Central Mineral Field - all that area situated between the eighteenth and twenty-second degrees of south latitude and between the one hundred and thirty-second and one hundred and thirty-eighth degrees of east longitude; and
- (c) Southern Mineral Field - all those areas -
 - (i) situated between the eighteenth and twenty-second degrees of south latitude and between the one hundred twenty-ninth and one hundred thirty-second degrees of east longitude; and
 - (ii) situated between the twenty-second and twenty-sixth degrees of south latitude and between the one hundred and twenty-ninth and one hundred and thirty-eighth degrees of east longitude.

5. MINING REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

For the purposes of section 8 of the Act, each of the following offices is prescribed as a principal office of a mining registrar:

- (a) Northern Mineral Field - Department of Mines and Energy, Darwin;
- (b) Central Mineral Field - Department of Mines and Energy, Tennant Creek; and
- (c) Southern Mineral Field - Department of Mines and Energy, Alice Springs.

6. MINER'S RIGHT

For the purposes of section 10 of the Act, a miner's right shall be in accordance with Form 1.

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7. RENT FOR RETAINED BLOCKS

(1) For the purposes of section 29 of the Act, the prescribed rent is -

- (a) \$5 for each block in the first year and second year or parts of those years;
- (b) \$10 for each block in the third year or part of that year;
- (c) \$20 for each block in the fourth year or part of that year;
- (d) \$40 for each block in the fifth year or part of that year; and
- (e) \$80 for each block in the sixth year or part of that year.

(2) An application for an exploration licence under section 17 of the Act shall be accompanied by the prescribed annual rent.

(3) The prescribed rent for an exploration licence shall be payable on an annual basis.

8. RENT FOR EXPLORATION RETENTION LEASE

(1) For the purposes of section 44 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$1,000 for each year.

(2) An application for an exploration retention lease under section 39 of the Act shall be accompanied by the prescribed annual rent.

(3) The prescribed rent for an exploration retention lease shall be payable on an annual basis.

9. RENT FOR EXPLORATION RETENTION LEASE RENEWAL

For the purposes of section 46 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$5,000 for each year or part of a year.

10. PRESCRIBED RATE OF INTEREST

For the purposes of section 65 of the Act, where compensation is paid in accordance with that section the prescribed amount of interest payable in respect of that compensation shall be an amount equal to the rate of interest payable by the Territory on borrowings for a maximum period of 10 years secured by the issue of Northern Territory stock on a loan first raised after the date upon which the exploration retention lease was issued.

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11. RENT FOR MINERAL LEASE

For the purposes of section 69 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$5 for each hectare or part of a hectare for each year or part of a year.

12. RENT FOR MINERAL CLAIM

For the purposes of sections 88 and 90(2) of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$5 for each hectare or part of a hectare for each year or part of a year.

13. RENT FOR EXTRACTIVE MINERAL LEASE

For the purposes of sections 103(2) and 192 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$200 for each hectare or part of a hectare for each year or part of a year.

14. RENT FOR EXTRACTIVE MINERAL PERMIT

For the purposes of sections 115(2) and 192 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$50 for each hectare or part of a hectare.

15. RENT FOR TAILINGS LICENCE

For the purposes of sections 125(2)(b), 127(2) and 192 of the Act, the prescribed rent is \$200.

16. TAILINGS LICENCE

(1) For the purposes of section 122(2) of the Act, an applicant for a tailings licence shall place on the tailings or other mining material a notice in accordance with Form 2.

(2) An application for a tailings licence shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration verifying the display of the notice referred to in sub-regulation (1).

(3) Where a notice is displayed on the tailings or other mining material in accordance with sub-regulation (1), an application for a tailings licence shall be made and lodged with a mining registrar within 14 days from the day upon which the notice was first displayed.

(4) For the purposes of section 122(3) of the Act, where an applicant intends to apply for a tailings licence in respect of tailings or other mining material that are or is located on private land, the applicant shall lodge with his application the written consent, which shall be in accordance with Form 3, of the owner of the private land on which such tailings or other mining material are or is located.

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(5) A notice referred to in sub-regulation (1) shall be displayed and adequately protected so as to remain clearly legible until the application for the tailings licence has been determined and at all times during the term for which the tailings licence is granted.

17. TIME AND MANNER OF PAYMENT OF RENT

(1) The rent referred to in regulations 11, 12 and 13 shall be payable in the following manner:

- (a) for the first year or part of a year of a lease or claim referred to in regulations 11, 12 and 13 - with the application lodged under sections 55, 83 and 97 of the Act respectively; and
- (b) for the remainder of the term of a lease or claim - on 1 January in each subsequent year.

(2) The rent referred to in regulations 14 and 15 shall be lodged with the application for or with an application for renewal of the extractive mineral permit or tailings licence, as the case may be.

18. PRESCRIBED GEMSTONES AND SEMI-PRECIOUS STONES

For the purposes of the definitions of "gemstones" and "semi-precious stones" in section 130 of the Act, all crystalline, cryptocrystalline and amorphous forms of all naturally occurring minerals, whether they are found singly or intermixed in the natural state (including organic materials such as amber, jet, shell and coral) that because of their intrinsic beauty, durability, hardness or rarity are highly prized and used for personal jewellery and for other ornamental purposes, are prescribed gemstones or semi-precious stones.

19. METHOD OF MARKING OUT

(1) Subject to regulation 21, an area that is the subject of an application for -

- (a) a mineral claim;
- (b) an extractive mineral lease;
- (c) an extractive mineral permit;
- (d) a tailings licence; or
- (e) an exploration retention lease,

shall, before such an application is made, be taken possession of and marked out in the following manner:

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- (f) there shall be erected at each corner of the area the subject of the application a substantial metal post or a cairn of stones, which shall be not less than 100 millimetres in diameter and which, when erected, shall project above the surface of the area by not less than one metre;
- (g) each metal post or cairn of stones referred to in paragraph (f) shall be set in the angle of 2 trenches (each arm of which shall be not less than one metre in length and 150 millimetres in depth) placed as to indicate the direction of the boundary lines or, where it is impracticable to cut trenches because of the nature of the ground, there shall be erected instead rows of stones not less than one metre in length and 150 millimetres in height;
- (h) the boundary lines between each metal post or cairn of stones shall be cleared to a width of not more than one metre to provide a clear line of sight between each metal post or cairn of stones;
- (j) in the clearing of the boundary lines referred to in paragraph (h) trees shall not be cut down and removed and, where there is or are a tree or are trees that obstructs or obstructs the line of sight between the metal post or cairn of stones and another metal post or cairn of stones that tree or those trees shall be flagged; and
- (k) where, between a metal post, cairn of stones or a flagged tree or flagged trees and another metal post, cairn of stones or a flagged tree or flagged trees, it is not possible to view that other metal post, cairn of stones or a flagged tree or trees, there shall be erected such additional metal posts or cairns of stones as are necessary to enable a clear line of sight along the boundary line from one metal post, cairn of stones or flagged tree or trees to the next metal post, cairn of stones or flagged tree or trees.

(2) The boundaries of the area marked out in accordance with sub-regulation (1) shall be as near as possible to the true meridian bearings of north-south and east-west, and the metal post or cairn of stones placed under sub-regulation (1)(f) at the north-eastern corner of the area shall be the datum post.

(3) The location of the datum post referred to in sub-regulation (2) shall be described in the application by reference to a readily identifiable geographic feature or, where practicable, to a known survey point.

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(4) Where, due to the presence of water or some other obstacle, it is not possible to erect a corner post in its proper position at the end of a boundary line, there shall be erected a post on the boundary line as near as possible to where the corner post should have been erected and the post shall be marked as a witness post, instead of the requirement under sub-regulation (1) for such corner post, with the letters W.P. and the distances in metres from, and the directions of the point at which, the corner post would ordinarily have been placed.

(5) At the time of marking out an area in accordance with sub-regulation (1) there shall be fixed to the datum post a board or metal plate and that board or metal plate shall have affixed to it a notice, adequately protected so as to remain clearly legible, specifying the type of title, the date of marking out, the time of marking out, the size of the area, the subject of the application and the full name and address of the applicant.

(6) Where the whole of the area in respect of which an application for a mining tenement is made is covered by water, it is not necessary for the applicant to mark out that area, but, in such cases, he shall give such notice of his application and comply with such conditions as the mining registrar may direct.

(7) An area that is the subject of an application referred to in sub-regulation (1) shall be clearly marked by coloured edgings, hatching or colouring on a map of a scale not exceeding 1:250,000.

(8) The successful applicant of an application referred to in sub-regulation (1), shall maintain in good order and condition all metal posts, cairns of stones and boundary lines.

(9) For the purposes of section 179(1) of the Act, the prescribed manner of marking out a right of way is the manner prescribed in this Regulation.

20. SHAPE OF AREA

Subject to these Regulations, an area of land marked out in accordance with regulation 19 shall be a parallelogram, rectangular in shape, the length of which is not to exceed twice the width, except in circumstances where Territorial boundaries, tidal water or the external boundaries or other natural features of the area available for marking out make such shape impracticable.

21. NO OBLIGATION TO MARK OUT LAND ALREADY SURVEYED

(1) Subject to sub-regulation (2), where land has been previously surveyed and is identical with a forfeited, abandoned or surrendered mining tenement, it shall

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not be necessary to mark out such land in accordance with regulation 19.

(2) A person making an application referred to in regulation 19(1) in respect of an area of land to which sub-regulation (1) applies shall comply with regulation 19(5).

22. EXCESSIVE MARKING OUT

A person who marks out an area of land in excess of that area to which he is entitled shall be liable to have the boundaries reset or marked out at the discretion of the mining registrar who shall have due regard to existing mine workings, buildings and equipment.

23. PRODUCTION RETURNS

The holder of a mining tenement shall furnish to a mining registrar on the last day of the months of March, June, September and December in each year, a production return in respect of the production for the preceding quarter in accordance with a form approved by the Secretary.

24. FEES

The fees specified in Schedule 1 shall be paid for or in respect of the matters referred to in that Schedule.

25. NORANDA PROJECT AREA (also known as the Koongarra Project Area)

For the purposes of section 139(2)(d) of the Act, the area described in Schedule 2 is the Noranda Project Area (also known as the Koongarra Project Area).

26. PANCONTINENTAL PROJECT AREA (also known as the Jabiluka Project Area)

For the purposes of section 139(2)(d) of the Act, the area described in Schedule 3 is the Pancontinental Project Area (also known as the Jabiluka Project Area).

27. REFUND OF PRESCRIBED AMOUNT

For the purposes of section 170(1) of the Act, the prescribed amount is \$50 or the amount of prescribed rent paid, whichever is the lesser.

28. MANNER OF LODGING APPLICATIONS

An application for a mining tenement (other than an application for an exploration retention lease) shall be lodged at the prescribed mining registrar's office within 14 days after the marking out is completed, or within such further period as the mining registrar may allow.

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29. REGISTERS

(1) There shall be kept at the office of the principal registrar the following registers:

- (a) the Register of Exploration Licences; and
- (b) the Register of Exploration Retention Leases.

(2) There shall be kept at each prescribed mining registrar's office the following registers:

- (a) the Register of Mineral Leases;
- (b) the Register of Mineral Claims;
- (c) the Register of Extractive Mineral Leases;
- (d) the Register of Extractive Mineral Permits; and
- (e) the Register of Tailings Licences.

30. MATTER TO BE RECORDED IN REGISTER

The mining registrar shall enter or cause to be entered in a register of a kind referred to in regulation 29 in respect of each licence, mining tenement or permit granted under the Act the following:

- (a) details of all applications for licences, leases, mining tenements or permits;
- (b) a memorial of the grant of each licence, lease, mining tenement and permit showing -
 - (i) the name of the grantee;
 - (ii) the term of that licence, lease, tenement or permit; and
 - (iii) a description of the land which is the subject of that licence, lease, tenement or permit;
- (c) a memorial of each variation of the term, suspension of conditions, exemption from conditions, surrender, cancellation, relinquishment, devolution, encumbrance, sub-lease, mortgage, caveat, charge, transfer and each other transaction in respect of each licence, lease, mining tenement or permit; and
- (d) such other information as the mining registrar thinks fit.

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31. SEARCHES

(1) The licensee, lessee or holder of an exploration licence, mining tenement or permit, respectively, or a person acting with the written authority of such a licensee, lessee or holder may -

(a) upon payment of the prescribed fee, inspect -

- (i) the original of his licence, mining tenement or permit;
- (ii) a memorial in respect of his licence, mining tenement or permit; and
- (iii) an instrument upon which a memorial is based; and

(b) upon payment of the prescribed fee, obtain from the principal registrar, a copy of, or an extract from, a register or instrument which he is entitled to inspect.

(2) A person may, upon payment of the prescribed fee, obtain from the mining registrar, a copy of, or an extract from, a register referred to in regulation 29.

32. CAVEAT

For the purposes of section 174(2) of the Act, a caveat shall be in accordance with Form 4.

33. CONTINUATION OF CAVEAT

For the purposes of section 174(8) of the Act, a notice of continuation of a caveat shall be in accordance with Form 5.

34. WITHDRAWAL OF CAVEAT

For the purposes of section 174(9) a notice of the withdrawal of a caveat shall be in accordance with Form 6.

35. PRESCRIBED MANNER OF SURVEY

For the purposes of the Act, a survey is carried out in the prescribed manner if such survey is carried out in accordance with a law of the Territory relating to the survey of land.

36. PRESCRIBED FORMS

(1) For the purposes of section 146(1)(a) of the Act, proceedings in a warden's court shall be commenced by a plaint in accordance with Form 7.

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(2) For the purposes of section 146(2)(a) of the Act, a summons shall be in accordance with Form 8.

(3) For the purposes of section 154 of the Act, a minute of judgment, conviction or order of a warden's court shall be in accordance with Form 9.

37. LODGING A PLAINT

Every plaintiff shall be signed by the plaintiff or his attorney or solicitor and shall be lodged with the mining registrar at a prescribed mining registrar's office.

38. SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT OR RESPONDENT

(1) On receipt of a plaintiff, the mining registrar shall fix a time for the hearing of the proceedings in the warden's court and shall issue a summons in duplicate and a copy of the plaintiff addressed to each defendant or respondent, as the case may be, and shall deliver them for service -

(a) to the plaintiff or his solicitor or attorney;
or

(b) to the bailiff of the warden's court,

or if there is no bailiff -

(c) to a local police officer or some other suitable person.

(2) The person to whom summonses are delivered shall serve such summonses without delay, and shall make an affidavit of service in accordance with Form 10 and shall file the affidavit of service in the prescribed mining registrar's office.

39. SERVICE OF PROCEEDINGS

(1) A summons, order, warrant or other process shall be served and, in addition, substituted service may be effected as follows:

(a) where the defendant or respondent to whom the summons, order, warrant or other process is addressed does not reside or carry on business within the district of the warden's court - by posting the summons, order, warrant or other process on the notice board at the warden's office;

(b) where the defendant or respondent resides, works or carries on business within the district of the warden's court, but is absent from his residence or place of business - by posting the summons, order, warrant or other process on the

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notice board at the warden's office and also serving it on someone apparently above the age of 15 years at the residence or place of business of the defendant or respondent, or by affixing it to the entrance of such residence or place of work or place of business; or

- (c) where the defendant or respondent is a registered company - by delivering the summons, order, warrant or other process or sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to the company at its registered office.

(2) Where a defendant or respondent resides, works or carries on business less than 100 kilometres from the warden's court, a summons, order, warrant or other process shall be served not less than 6 days and, in all other cases, not less than 10 days, before the day fixed for the hearing of the proceedings.

(3) Where it has not been possible to serve a summons, order, warrant or other process within the time prescribed, the warden or mining registrar may, on giving notice to the plaintiff, extend the day of hearing of the proceedings and issue an amended summons, order, warrant or other process.

40. NOTICE OF DEFENCE

Where a defendant or respondent intends to dispute a claim, he shall lodge with the mining registrar a notice of defence in accordance with Form 11.

41. ATTENDANCE OF WITNESSES

(1) Each party to a proceeding may procure the attendance of witnesses by means of a subpoena in accordance with Form 12.

(2) Every witness subpoenaed to attend the warden's court shall be entitled to the fees prescribed under the Supreme Court Rules, and no witness shall be bound to attend on his subpoena unless, at the time of the service of the subpoena, a reasonable amount of conduct money is tendered to him.

42. SCALE OF COSTS

Where a warden has power to order costs to be paid by a party to a proceeding in a warden's court, the costs shall be in accordance with the scale of costs in force from time to time under the *Local Courts Act*.

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SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 24

FEEES

	\$
For the issue of a miner's right	20.00
For the issue of a miner's right for 6 months ...	5.00
For the issue of a replacement miners' right	10.00
An application for the variation, suspension or exemption from conditions -	
for an exploration licence or mining tenement (other than an extractive mineral permit) ...	50.00
for an extractive mineral permit	5.00
For a copy of a judgment, decision or order of a warden's court	20.00
An application for approval of a transfer or any other dealing affecting an exploration licence or mining tenement, for each exploration licence or mining tenement	50.00
On lodgement of a caveat, for each exploration licence or mining tenement	10.00
For a search under regulation 31(1)(a)	2.00
For a copy or extract under regulation 31(1)(b) .	2.00
For a copy or extract under regulation 31(2).....	2.00
On lodging a plaint under regulation 37	20.00
For an application for transmission of an interest in an exploration licence or mining tenement through death or bankruptcy	5.00

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SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 25

Mining Act

Section 139(2)(d)

NORANDA PROJECT AREA

(also known as the Koongarra Project Area)

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land in the Northern Territory of Australia containing an area of 1,197 hectares more or less, the boundary of which is described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of latitude 12° 52' 20" with longitude 132° 49' 41" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 51' 27" with longitude 132° 51' 44" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 52' 54" with longitude 132° 52' 17" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 53' 58" with longitude 132° 50' 37" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 52' 20" with longitude 132° 49' 41".

SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 26

Mining Act

Section 139(2)(d)

PANCONTINENTAL PROJECT AREA

(also known as the Jabiluka Project Area)

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land in the Northern Territory of Australia containing an area of 7,282 hectares more or less, the boundary of which is described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of latitude 12° 36' with longitude 132° 55' thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 30' 10" with longitude 132° 51' 40" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 29' with longitude 132° 52' 22" thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 29' with longitude 132° 55' thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 29' 45" with longitude 132° 55' thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 29' 45" with the western boundary of Kakadu National Park as defined in *Commonwealth Gazette* No. S61 dated 5 April 1979 thence proceeding south along the said boundary to its intersection with a line joining the intersection of latitude 12° 36' with longitude 132° 55' and latitude 12° 33' 20" with longitude 133° thence proceeding to the intersection of latitude 12° 36' with longitude 132° 55'.

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SCHEDULE 4

Form 1

Regulation 3(1)

Regulation 6

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Section 10

MINER'S RIGHT

No.

Issued to

Place of issue

Date of issue

Expiry date

.....
Signature of Issuing Officer

Form 2

Regulation 16(1)

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Section 122(2)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
TAILINGS LICENCE

Name of applicant

Date of fixing of notice

Quantity of tailings and other mining material proposed to
be treated or removed

Dated this day of, 19....

.....
Applicant

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Form 3

Regulation 16(4)

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Section 122(3)

PERMIT

I, of
(full name of owner) (full address)

being the owner of private land within the meaning of the
Mining Act situated at
(locality of private land)

permit
(full name and address of miner)

to take possession of tailings or other mining material
situated on the said land.

Dated this day of, 19....

.....
Owner

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Form 4

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Section 174(2)

CAVEAT AGAINST AN EXPLORATION LICENCE
OR MINING TENEMENT

To:

Take notice that I,, of
.....
claim an interest in
(here set out full particulars)
and I forbid the registration of any dealing affecting
such licence or tenement, and appoint as
the place at which notices and proceedings relating to
this caveat may be served.

Dated this day of, 19....

Signed by the said)	
.....)	
in the presence of) Caveator

.....
Witness

This caveat was received at o'clock in the
..... noon, on the day
of19... with a prescribed fee of

.....
Secretary/
Mining Registrar

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Form 5

Regulation 33

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Section 174(8)

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF CAVEAT

To:

Take notice that I,, of
.....
request that the caveat against
lodged by me on the day of
19..., continue in force.

Dated this day of, 19....

Signed by the said)
.....)
.....)
in the presence of)

.....
Caveator

.....
Witness

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Form 6

Regulation 34

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Section 174(9)

WITHDRAWAL OF CAVEAT

To:

Take notice that I,, of
.....
withdraw the caveat lodged by me in respect of
.....

Dated this day of, 19....

Signed by the said)
.....)
.....)
in the presence of)

.....
Caveator

.....
Witness

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Form 7

Regulation 36(1)

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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Section 146(1)(a)

PLAINT INITIATING PROCEEDING
IN WARDEN'S COURT

In the warden's court
at

Plaint No.

Between (here set out name and Address of Plaintiff)

Plaintiff

and

(here set out name and address of defendant/respondent)

Defendant/Respondent

The plaintiff complains that (here set out the nature
of the complaint as fully as possible).
.....

And the plaintiff requests that the warden's court
(here set out the nature of the relief sought)
.....

Dated at this day of, 19....

.....
Signature of Plaintiff

Received the above plaint at o'clock in the ... noon,
on the day of, 19....

.....
Mining Registrar

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This plaint was heard in the warden's court at
on the day of, 19....

.....
Warden

Form 8

Regulation 36(2)

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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Section 146(2)(a)

SUMMONS OR NOTICE TO DEFENDANT
OR RESPONDENT

In the warden's court
at

Plaint No.

Between (here set out name and address of plaintiff)

Plaintiff

and

(here set out name and address of defendant/respondent)

Defendant/Respondent

To: of.....

Take notice that you are to appear before the
warden's court at on the
day of, 19..., at o'clock in
the noon to answer the plaint of
of in the mineral field.

Dated this day of, 19....

.....
Mining Registrar

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Form 9

Regulation 36(3)

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Section 154

In the warden's court
at

Plaint No.

Between (here set out name of plaintiff)

plaintiff

and

(here set out name of defendant/respondent)

Defendant/Respondent

JUDGMENT

The Court adjudges that and the
(insert decision)
Court orders
(insert order)

Dated this day of, 19....

.....
Warden

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Form 10

Regulation 38(2)

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In the warden's court
at

Between
Plaintiff

and
Defendant/Respondent

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I,
of
make oath and say that I did on the day
of, 19...., duly serve *
with a +, a true copy of which is annexed
marked "A" at

Signed at)
this)
day of,)
19.....)
before me)
.....)

* Defendant/respondent or witness

+ Summons or subpoena

Mining Regulations

Form 11

Regulation 40

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Mining act

NOTICE OF DEFENCE

In the warden's court
at

Plaint No.....

Between (here set out name of plaintiff)

Plaintiff

and

(here set out name of defendant/respondent)

Defendant/Respondent

To the plaintiff.

Take notice that I intend to defend the plaintiff's
claim in this proceeding on the following grounds
.....

(here set out in detail grounds of defence relied upon)

Dated thisday of, 19...

Signature of Defendant/Respondent

Received this notice of defence at o'clock in
the on the day of, 19...

.....
Mining Registrar

Mining Regulations

Form 12

Regulation 41(1)

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Mining act

Section 146(2)

In the warden's court
at

Plaint No.

Between

Plaintiff

and

Defendant/Respondent

SUBPOENA FOR WITNESS

To: of

You are required to attend before the warden's court at
..... o'clock in thenoon, on
the day of 19...
and at every adjournment of those proceedings to give
evidence on behalf of and you are
required to produce to the warden's court

.....
(here state in detail the particular things required to be
produced) and also all books, papers, documents, plans or
things in your custody. If you fail to comply with this
subpoena you will be liable to a fine not exceeding \$100.

Dated at this day of, 19...

Warden (or Mining Registrar)