

Form EL5

Application to renew an exploration licence

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More information

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Division of Resources and Geoscience

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When to use this form

Complete this form if you are applying to renew an exploration licence or an exploration (mineral owner) licence under the *Mining Act 1992* in New South Wales.

This form has been prepared for the purposes of [Section 113](#) of the *Mining Act 1992* and [Clause 18](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*.

If you require more information regarding exploration licences, refer to the [Industry guidelines: exploration licences for groups 1-8, 9A 10 and 11 \(non-coal minerals\)](#).

If there is insufficient room in any of the fields please provide the information as an attachment.

Important notes

Any information or document that is required to accompany this application should be lodged within **10 business days of the lodgement date**. Failure to supply the information within this timeframe may be considered as grounds for refusing the application according to [Clause 6\(d\), Schedule 1B](#) of the *Mining Act 1992*.

If this application is lodged by an agent on behalf of the applicant/s, the NSW Department of Planning and Environment (Department) may seek confirmation of the authority under which the agent operates and any limits of that authority. The agent will need to complete the declaration at the end of this form and supply evidence of their appointment, if not already supplied to the Department ([Clause 97](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*).

You must lodge your renewal application within the period of **two months prior to midnight on the expiry date** of the exploration licence. The authority will continue to have effect in respect of the land that is the subject of this application until it is finally determined.

A renewed licence that is subject to a native title condition will continue to remain subject to that condition.

How to submit this form

- **By email:** Send an electronic copy of the form including any attachments and proof of payment to titles.services@industry.nsw.gov.au
- **By mail:** Mail your form, any attachments and proof of payment to Division of Resources and Geoscience, Titles Services, PO Box 344, Hunter Region Mail Centre NSW 2310.
- **In person:** Submit your application in person at the Division of Resources and Geoscience's Titles Services office, 516 High Street, Maitland, New South Wales. Office hours are 9.30am to 4.30pm.

Next steps

Once your application has been received, it will be considered and may be granted or refused.

The target processing time for applications for renewals is 45 business days.

1 Exploration licence details

EL number	<input type="text"/>	Act	<input type="text"/>
Expiry date	<input type="text"/>		

2 Term for which licence is sought

Years sought	<input type="text"/>	Note the maximum term is: i) six (6) years; or ii) two (2) years (for exploration (mineral owner) licences)
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3 Exploration licence holder/s details

Provide the full name of authority holder/s and if applicable, the ACN or ARBN (for foreign companies).

Name	<input type="text"/>
Contact phone	<input type="text"/>
Contact email	<input type="text"/>
ACN / ARBN	<input type="text"/>
Registered street address	<input type="text"/>
Postal address	<input type="checkbox"/> Same as above Enter here if different

Name	<input type="text"/>
Contact phone	<input type="text"/>
Contact email	<input type="text"/>
ACN / ARBN	<input type="text"/>
Registered street address	<input type="text"/>
Postal address	<input type="checkbox"/> Same as above Enter here if different

Name	<input type="text"/>
Contact phone	<input type="text"/>
Contact email	<input type="text"/>
ACN / ARBN	<input type="text"/>
Registered street address	<input type="text"/>
Postal address	<input type="checkbox"/> Same as above Enter here if different

Additional authority holders

Provide the full name, ACN or ARBN (for foreign companies), registered street address and postal address details of additional holders.

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4 Licence holders seeking renewal

Information about licence holders and renewal applications can be found in [Section 116](#) of the *Mining Act 1992*.

4.1 Where the exploration licence is held by more than one holder, are all holders seeking renewal?

- Yes
- No. Provide written confirmation from any holder who is not seeking renewal. Check the box below to indicate you have attached this confirmation to your application.
 - I have attached confirmation from the party who is not seeking renewal.

5 Contact for this application

Any correspondence in relation to this application will be sent to this person.

Contact name	<input type="text"/>
Position held	<input type="text"/>
Company	<input type="text"/>
Postal address	<input type="text"/>
Phone (inc. area code)	<input type="text"/>
Mobile	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>

Your preferred contact method

- Email (For companies – provide a generic company email address which is regularly monitored rather than an individual employee’s email address.)
- Mail (including DX)

6 Mineral/s

Are you renewing a mineral owner licence?

- No – **Continue to Question 6.1.**
- Yes – **Go to Question 6.2**

6.1 Groups of Mineral/s

Are you seeking renewal for **all of the groups** you currently hold?

- Yes.
- No. If no, select the group/s you wish to retain.
- | | |
|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 1 (Metallic minerals) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 2 (Non-metallic minerals) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 3 (Semi-precious stones) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 4 (Marine aggregate) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 5 (Clay minerals) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 6 (Corundum, diamond, ruby and sapphire) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 7 (Opal) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 8 (Geothermal energy) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 9 (Coal) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 9A (Oil shale) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 10 (Mineral sands) | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group 11 (Uranium and thorium) | _____ |

Note in relation to renewal of Groups 9 and 9A

On 18 December 2015, Group 9 minerals (previously coal and oil shale) were split into Group 9 (coal) and Group 9A (oil shale). On renewal, the Department will be updating all authorisations to reflect whether they relate to Group 9, Group 9A or both.

On renewal:

- to the extent your existing authorisation refers to oil shale, it will be updated to refer to Group 9A. If your authorisation **only** relates to oil shale (and not coal), it will be updated to refer to Group 9A only.
- if your existing authorisation refers to Group 9 minerals generally, provided it was granted before 18 December 2015, it will be updated to refer to both Group 9 and Group 9A (subject to the following).

If you do not wish to renew in relation to a group you currently hold, then select the groups you wish to retain from the list above.

Note that if your renewed authorisation refers to both Groups 9 and 9A, your work program must address both of these minerals (see Question 13 and the [Exploration guideline: work programs for prospecting titles](#)).

6.2 Privately owned mineral/s

Are you seeking renewal for **all of the minerals** you currently hold?

- Yes.
- No. If no, select the mineral/s you wish to retain.

- agate
- antimony
- apatite
- arsenic
- asbestos
- barite
- bauxite
- bentonite (inc. fuller's earth)
- beryllium minerals
- bismuth
- borates
- cadmium
- caesium
- calcite
- chalcedony
- chert
- chlorite
- chromite
- clay/shale
- cobalt
- columbium
- copper
- corundum
- cryolite
- diamond
- diatomite
- dimension stone
- dolomite
- emerald
- emery
- feldspathic materials
- fluorite
- galena
- garnet
- geothermal energy
- germanium
- gold

- graphite
- gypsum
- halite (including solar salt)
- ilmenite
- indium
- iron minerals
- jade
- kaolin
- lead
- leucoxene
- limestone
- lithium
- magnesite
- magnesium salts
- manganese
- marble
- marine aggregate
- mercury
- mica
- mineral pigments
- molybdenite
- monazite
- nephrite
- nickel
- niobium
- oil shale
- olivine
- opal
- ores of silicon
- peat
- perlite
- phosphates
- platinum group minerals
- platinum
- potassium minerals
- potassium salts
- pyrophyllite

- quartz crystal
- quartzite
- rare earth minerals
- reef quartz
- rhodonite
- rubidium
- ruby
- rutile
- sapphire
- scandium and its ores
- selenium
- serpentine
- sillimanite-group minerals
- silver
- sodium salts
- staurolite
- strontium minerals
- structural clay
- sulphur
- talc
- tantalum
- thorium
- tin
- topaz
- tourmaline
- tungsten and its ores
- turquoise
- vanadium
- vermiculite
- wollastonite
- zeolites
- zinc
- zircon
- zirconia

6.3 Evidence of ownership of minerals

Provide evidence that the minerals the subject of this application are owned by the titleholder/s such as copies of the land grants and searches indicating the minerals sought are privately owned by the titleholder. For the purposes of confirming an titleholder's ownership of any mineral, the Secretary may require the titlholder to provide further information, which may include written advice from an Australian legal practitioner certifying that the relevant evidence establishes that the titlholder owns the mineral.

Yes, I have attached evidence that the minerals are owned by the titleholder/s.

Proposed area for renewal

This help text relates to **Questions 7-12**.

You need to identify the land to be renewed. Note that:

- you can only renew up to half of the existing exploration licence area, unless you can justify that there are [special circumstances](#) supporting renewal over a larger area
- the maximum number of parts of an exploration area you can apply to renew is five (5)
- you can only apply to renew an area of land held at the time this renewal application was lodged (you cannot apply for area you did not hold prior to the expiry date).

For details on the area that can be renewed read the Department's licence renewal policy and see [Part 7 Division 1](#) of the *Mining Act 1992* and [Clause 18](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*.

For more information on special circumstances read the Department's [Policy on renewal of exploration licences for minerals](#) and [Policy on renewal of exploration licences for coal](#).

7 Percentage of area to be renewed

You must reduce your exploration licence area by 50% unless you can justify that there are [special circumstances](#) supporting renewal over a larger area.

Indicate the portion of area you are applying to renew. If you consider the requirements to describe the area to be unduly onerous you may request a variation or exemption from the requirements in accordance with [Clause 34](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*. Any request must include a justification for the request.

I am applying to renew 50% or less of the licence area.

Provide justification for renewal by completing a [renewal justification statement](#) (Question 12) and identify the renewal area:

- For groups 1-8, 10-11 ▶ **Go to Question 8**
- For group 9 (coal) ▶ **Go to Question 9**
- For group 9A (oil shale) ▶ **Go to Question 10**
- For exploration (mineral owner) licences ▶ **Go to Question 11**

I am applying to renew more than 50% and less than 100% of the licence area.

Provide justification for renewal and special circumstances by completing a [renewal justification statement](#) (Question 12) and identify the renewal area:

- For groups 1-8, 10-11 ▶ **Go to Question 8**
- For group 9 (coal) ▶ **Go to Question 9**
- For group 9A (oil shale) ▶ **Go to Question 10**
- For exploration (mineral owner) licences ▶ **Go to Question 11**

I am applying to renew 100% of the licence area.

Provide justification for renewal and special circumstances by completing a [renewal justification statement](#). ▶ **Go to Question 12**

8 Proposed area for part renewal – for mineral groups 1-8 and 10-11 only

Complete this question if you are applying to renew **part** of the licence area. You **do not** need to provide a standard map.

For groups 1-8, 10 or 11 minerals, identify the name of the 1:1,000,000 map sheet (e.g. Sydney), the block number and unit references as described in [Schedule 4](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*.

Use **Option A** (the free text field) or **Option B** (the table) below to identify the proposed exploration area.

- Option A:** Identify the map sheet, block number, unit and total number of units you are applying for.

E.g. Sydney, 2222, abcdxyz total units=7

- Option B:** Enter data in the table, as shown in the example below.

Name of map sheet	Block number	Unit letter/s applied for (list from a to z except 'i')	Total units per block
Sydney	1111	abcdxyz EXAMPLE ONLY	7
Sydney	2222	ghlmno	6
Sydney	3333	pqrstuvwxy	10

Name of map sheet	Block number	Unit letter/s applied for (list from a to z except 'i')	Total units per block
Total number of units applied for			

9 Proposed area for part renewal – for mineral group 9 only (coal)

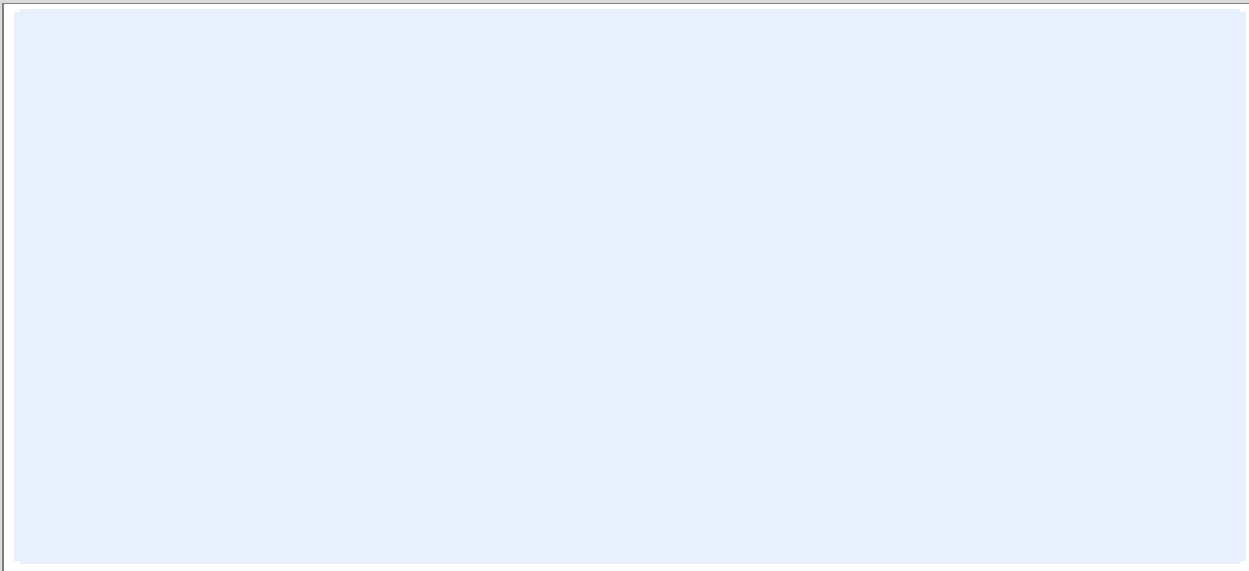
9.1 Standard map for mineral group 9 (coal)

Provide a standard map, as described in [Clause 9](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*, which shows the alignment of the proposed licence boundaries relative to the Map Grid of Australia, showing co-ordinates of all the points where there is a change in direction of the boundaries of the land. If such a map is not available, you must provide either a cadastral map or, if that is not available, an aerial photograph.

Indicate whether you have inserted your map in the field below or attached it separately.

I have attached a standard map.

I have inserted my standard map below.



9.2 Co-ordinates of the proposed exploration area

Attach the co-ordinates as a separate document in a CSV format.

I have attached the co-ordinates to this application

Total area	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> m ²	<input type="checkbox"/> ha	<input type="checkbox"/> km ²
Surface area	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> m ²	<input type="checkbox"/> ha	<input type="checkbox"/> km ²

9.3 Depth of surface exception in metres

Indicate the area of surface and soil below the surface **not** applied for.

Whole area metres

Part (must be shown on the map)

Various parts (must be shown on the map)

Nil

9.4 Depth restriction sought

Indicate the depth to which you require the licence to extend. Note that for group 9 the maximum depth that any licence will be granted is 900 metres below zero Australian Height Datum.

Whole area metres

Part (must be shown on the map)

Various parts (must be shown on the map)

Nil

10 Proposed area for part renewal of the licence area – for mineral group 9A (oil shale)

10.1 Standard map for mineral group 9A (oil shale)

Provide a standard map, as described in [Clause 9](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*, which shows the alignment of the proposed licence boundaries relative to the Map Grid of Australia, showing co-ordinates of all the points where there is a change in direction of the boundaries of the land. If such a map is not available, you must provide either a cadastral map or, if that is not available, an aerial photograph.

Indicate whether you have attached your map or inserted it into the field below.

I have attached a standard map.

I have inserted my standard map below.

10.2 Co-ordinates of the proposed exploration area

Provide the co-ordinates below or attach the co-ordinates as a separate document in a CSV format.

I have attached the co-ordinates to this application

I have entered the co-ordinates in the field below.

Total area	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> m ²	<input type="checkbox"/> ha	<input type="checkbox"/> km ²
Surface area	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> m ²	<input type="checkbox"/> ha	<input type="checkbox"/> km ²

10.3 Depth of surface exception in metres

Indicate the area of surface and soil below the surface **not** applied for.

- Whole area metres
- Part (must be shown on the map)
- Various parts (must be shown on the map)
- Nil

10.4 Depth restriction sought

Indicate the depth to which you require the licence to extend.

- Whole area metres
- Part (must be shown on the map)
- Various parts (must be shown on the map)
- Nil

11 Proposed area for the partial renewal of an exploration (mineral owner) licence

Complete this question if you are applying for the renewal of **part** of the exploration (mineral owner) licence area only.

Provide the lot and deposited plan numbers of the area to be renewed.

Lot number	<input type="text"/>
Deposited plan	<input type="text"/>
Lot number	<input type="text"/>
Deposited plan	<input type="text"/>
Lot number	<input type="text"/>
Deposited plan	<input type="text"/>

Other land

If there is inadequate space above, provide the lot and deposited plan numbers of other land in the part of the exploration (mineral owner) licence proposed to be renewed.

12 Renewal justification statement

Complete and attach a [Renewal justification statement for prospecting titles \(RJS\)](#), as described in [Clause 18\(1\)](#) of the *Mining Regulation 2016*. Before completing the template, read the [Guide to completing a renewal justification statement](#). Check the box below to indicate you have attached it to this application.

Yes, I have attached a renewal justification statement.

13 Proposed work program

Complete and attach a [Prospecting title work program](#) (note that it is mandatory to use this form available on the Division of Resources and Geoscience website). Before completing the form, read the [Exploration guideline: work programs for prospecting titles](#). Check the box below to indicate you have attached it to this application.

Yes, I have attached a prospecting title work program using the [approved form](#).

14 Technical capability

Nominate a technical manager who will be responsible for supervising prospecting operations and geoscientific reporting.

The technical manager is required to have tertiary qualifications in geoscience, mining engineering or other relevant qualifications and have appropriate experience in exploration for the commodity sought.

You must provide the person's contact details and confirmation of their acceptance of the role. Note that this does not make the person liable for any other matters relating to this application.

You can attach the contact details and acceptance as a letter or enter the information below.

I have attached documentation with the technical manager details and acceptance of the role.

OR

I have entered the technical manager details and authorisation below.

Contact details

Name	<input type="text"/>
Position	<input type="text"/>
Company	<input type="text"/>
Phone	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>

Professional associations: Provide the name and member number of any relevant professional associations (e.g. AusIMM, AIG) to which the technical manager belongs, or list relevant qualifications and experience.

Signature: Provide the signature of the nominated technical manager to support their acceptance of the role.

15 Statements of corporate compliance, environmental performance history and financial capability

The titleholder/s must provide Statements of corporate compliance, environmental performance history and financial capability. Complete and attach the [Statements template](#) and check the box below to indicate you have attached it to this application.

- Yes, I have attached the statements of corporate compliance, environmental performance history and financial capability.

16 Activity approvals

16.1 Approved Category 2, Category 3 or 'Assessable prospecting operations'

Any prospecting operations which are **not** defined as 'Exempt Development' under [Clause 10](#) of the *State Environmental Planning Policy (Mining, Petroleum Production and Extractive Industries) 2007* require approval under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* before they commence. Refer to the guideline [ESG5: Assessment requirements for exploration activities](#) for more information on activities.

16.1.1 Are there any Category 2, Category 3 or 'Assessable prospecting operations' that have been approved and are continuing into the new term of the authorisation?

- Yes.** There are Category 2, Category 3 or 'Assessable prospecting operations' that have been approved and are continuing into the new term of the authorisation. (Enter the activity approval numbers below).

Approved activity numbers

- No**

17 Rehabilitation cost estimate

All authority holders must provide an estimate of rehabilitation costs. This estimate will be considered by the Department when determining the [security deposit](#) amount.

Before answering the following questions, read the [Rehabilitation cost estimate guidelines](#).

17.1 What is the total rehabilitation cost estimate across the entire authorisation?

The estimate should cover the estimated cost of rehabilitation for **all** prospecting operations.

Total rehabilitation cost estimate

\$

The Department is responsible for ensuring that the people of NSW do not incur a financial liability as a result of coal, mineral and petroleum exploration and production activities. All authority holders engaged in these activities are, therefore, required to lodge a security deposit.

The security deposit must cover the Government's full costs for rehabilitation in the event of default by the authority holder.

The rehabilitation cost estimate is an estimate of all rehabilitation liabilities which currently exist on the authority, including approved prospecting operations and those prospecting operations defined as exempt development.

17.1.1 What method have you used to calculate the rehabilitation cost estimate? Attach your cost calculation to this application.

- Department's [rehabilitation cost calculation tool](#).
- Other – attach your calculations or use the field below to describe the tool or cost guide you have used.

17.1.2 What approvals/plans have you based the rehabilitation cost estimate on?

Provide date of approval letter(s) or reference where possible

- Exploration Activity Approvals
- Mining Project Approval/Development Consent
- Mining Operations Plan/Rehabilitation Management Plan

17.2 What period is covered by the estimate?

Current disturbance at date of application; or

insert date

Period covered by the estimation

insert date

insert date

17.3 What security is currently held by the Department?

Current security held by the Department

\$

17.4 Does this rehabilitation cost estimate propose a reduced rehabilitation liability for the authorisation?

If the rehabilitation has been completed and the liability has been reduced, you may claim for a reduction in the security deposit amount.

- Yes. Ensure you have completed **Question 18**.
- No.

18 Completion of rehabilitation

18.1 Has rehabilitation been completed and/or deemed satisfactory?

Rehabilitation of prospecting operations is deemed 'satisfactory' when:

- a [Form ESF2 – Rehabilitation Completion and/or Review of Rehabilitation Cost Estimate](#) is submitted to the Department by the authority holder, and
- the Department has formally notified the authority holder that the rehabilitation is satisfactory.

- Has rehabilitation (including any progressive/partial rehabilitation) already been completed and deemed satisfactory by the Department?

Provide details of correspondence including Department references below

- Has rehabilitation been completed and you would like to seek formal confirmation from the Department that rehabilitation is satisfactory, **without seeking a reduction in the security deposit**?

If **yes**, ensure you have completed and attached [Form ESF2 – Rehabilitation Completion and/or Review of Rehabilitation Cost Estimate](#) to this application.

- Has rehabilitation been completed and you would like to seek formal confirmation from the Department that rehabilitation is satisfactory, **and you are seeking a reduction in the security deposit**?

If **yes**, ensure you have completed and [Form ESF2 – Rehabilitation Completion and/or Review of Rehabilitation Cost Estimate](#) to this application.

- Rehabilitation has **not** been completed.

19 Environmental and rehabilitation reporting

Depending on the authority conditions, you may need to submit an Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report prepared in accordance with [ESG4: Guideline for preparing an Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report for exploration](#). An 'Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report' is referred to using varying terms depending upon the

authority conditions and includes: *Environmental Management Report, Environmental and Rehabilitation Report, Compliance and Rehabilitation Report, Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report.*

19.1 Do the authority conditions require an Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report?

- No.
- Yes, I have attached the required report.

20 Fee payment

Payment, proof of payment or details that allow the payment to be made must accompany this application form.

Fees and fee calculation

- The application fee amount is \$2,000.
- The area fee is:
 - for Groups 1-8, 10 and 11 minerals: \$12.50 per unit or part unit per year for the initial group and \$6.25 per unit or part unit per year for additional groups;
 - for Groups 9 and 9A: \$2.00 per hectare or part hectare per year;.
 - **Note:** group 9 was split into two groups on 18 December 2015. Group 9 includes coal only and group 9A includes oil shale only. If you are renewing an exploration licence for group 9 you also retain the rights to explore for group 9A, however you only need to pay the area fee for one group.
 - for exploration (mineral owner) licences: \$2.00 per hectare or part hectare per year.

Below are sample calculations.

EXAMPLE 1

You have applied for two groups e.g. Groups 1 and 2.
The area is 5 units and the term is 6 years.

Application fee	\$2,000.00
Unit fee: 5 units @ \$12.50 each x 6 years	375.00
Additional unit fee: 5 units @ \$6.25 x 6 years	\$187.50
Total fee	\$2,562.50

EXAMPLE 2

You have applied for one group only – Group 9A.
The area is 2.3 hectares and the term is 6 years.

Application fee	\$2,000.00
Area fee: 2.4 hectares* @ \$2.00 each x 6 years	\$36.00
Total fee	\$2,036.00

*Note figure is rounded up

Select your payment method

Direct deposit

Account name: Planning & Environment
BSB: 032001
Account number: 114428
Reference: REN [authority identifier and number] (e.g. REN EL 1234)

Direct deposits will require a copy of the deposit receipt issued by the banking authority as evidence to accompany the application form.

Cheque made payable to 'DPT Planning & Environment – Resources & Energy'

Credit card* (enter details below)

Payment amount*	\$
Type of card*	Select card type...
Cardholder's name:	
Card number:	
Expiry date (mm/yy):	mm / yy

*Credit card merchant fees are applicable to all credit card payments from 1 July 2017 and will be added to the payment amount at the following rates:

Visa & Mastercard: 0.4% Amex: 1.5% Diners: 2.4%

21 Checklist of items to be included with this application

Item		Reference
Written confirmation from licence holder not seeking renewal (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 4
Evidence of mineral ownership (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 6
For groups 9 or 9A applications only – co-ordinates of the exploration area (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 9 Question 10
For groups 9 or 9A applications only – a standard map of the proposed exploration area (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 9 Question 10
Renewal justification statement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 12
Proposed work program	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 13
Technical capability support documentation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 14
Statements of corporate compliance, environmental performance history and financial capability	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 15
Rehabilitation cost estimate (attach calculations to evidence how the rehabilitation cost estimate is derived)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 17
Form ESF2 – Rehabilitation Completion and/or Review of Rehabilitation Cost Estimate (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 18
Environmental and Rehabilitation Compliance Report (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 19
For payments made by direct deposit – proof of payment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 20
For agents only – evidence of appointment as agent, if this has not been previously supplied to the Department	<input type="checkbox"/>	Question 22

21.1 Have you lodged all the required information with this form?

- Yes
- No. I will provide outstanding information within 10 business days of lodging this application*.

*Failure to supply the information within this timeframe may be considered as grounds to refusing the application under Clause 6(d), Schedule 1B.

22 Declaration

This form should be signed by the applicant/s (in the case of a company a duly authorised officer) or an agent authorised to act on behalf of the applicant/s.

I/We apply for the renewal of the exploration licence (together with any variations) as detailed in this application.

I/We declare that the information provided in this application is true and correct. I/We understand that under [Part 5A](#) of the *Crimes Act 1900*, knowingly giving false or misleading information is a serious offence; and under [Section 378C](#) of the *Mining Act 1992*, any person who provides information that the person knows to be false or misleading is also guilty of an offence, for which they may be subject to prosecution.

22.1 Applicant/s

Name	
Position/title	
Date	
Signature	

Name	
Position/title	
Date	
Signature	

Name	
Position/title	
Date	
Signature	

OR

22.2 Agent authorised to act for this applicant/s

Evidence of appointment is required if this has not been previously supplied to the Department.

Name	
Position/title	
Date	
Signature	

Office use only

Application received:

Time: Date:

Application fee amount: \$2000 (per authority)

Fee amount \$

Area fee amount: Area Fee is \$12.50/unit (or part unit)/year for the initial group, \$6.25/unit (or part unit)/year for additional groups or \$2.00/ha/year or part hectare for group 9 or 9A or mineral owner licences.

Area fee amount \$

Total amount \$ Receipt number:

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Name

Signature

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Amendment schedule

Date	Version #	Amendment
01 March 2016	4.0	Legislation update, new template
06 March 2016	4.1	Hyperlinks updated, minor edits
31 March 2016	4.2	Minor edits
10 June 2016	4.3	Added note to 'fee payment' re group 9/9A
02 December 2016	4.4	Amendments to address the requirements for the statements of corporate compliance, environmental performance history and financial capability, rehabilitation and coordinates
17 March 2017	4.5	Minor formatting fixes
1 April 2017	4.6	Update bank details, project codes, Dept name, map format (csv only)
26 April 2017	4.7	Update Division name, minor administrative changes.

21 June 2017	4.8	Fix broken hyperlinks
21 December 2017	4.9	Update DRG branding, GL code change, and bank details change &
22 January 2018	4.10	Add mineral owner questions