

Notice

INDEXATION OF RIGHTS, RENTALS AND FEES ON JANUARY 1st, 2013

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Accordingly, effective January 1st, 2013, the indexed fees are those listed below.

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MINING EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES

Sections	Description	Specification	Rights, rents and fees as of January 1 st , 2013
1	Prospecting license		\$33.75
2	Duplicate of a prospecting license		\$15.40
7	Registration fee for a staked claim		\$27.75
8 par. 1°	Map designation : registration fee per claim North of 52 nd degree of latitude From 1 to 150 claims	< 25 ha 25 to 45 ha > 45 to 50 ha > 50 ha	\$27.75 \$100. \$112. \$126.
8 par. 2°	Map designation : registration fee per claim South of 52 nd degree of latitude From 1 to 40 claims	< 25 ha 25 to 100 ha > 100 ha	\$27.75 \$54.25 \$82.
	Required fees for map designation per claim when overlapping, in whole or in part, a Mineral Exploration License (PEM)	< 25 ha 25 to 45 ha > 45 to 50 ha > 50 ha	\$27.75 \$100. \$112. \$126.
10	Claim Renewal fee North on 52 nd degree of latitude	< 25 ha 25 to 45 ha > 45 to 50 ha > 50 ha	\$27.75 \$100. \$112. \$126.
	Claim Renewal fee South on 52 nd degree of latitude	< 25 ha 25 to 100 ha > 100 ha	\$27.75 \$54.25 \$82.
13	Additional amount for filing the work report within the last 60 days of the expiry date of claims		\$102.
33	Application for a common claim of expiry date	Per claim	\$10.20
	Application for reducing a term	Per claim	\$10.20
34	Annual exploration license fee	Per km ²	\$126.
128	Fee for registration in the Public Register of Real and Immovable Mining Rights	Per mining right Maximum per instrument	\$15.40 \$1,251.
129	Duties payable for taking part in a drawing of lots	Per application (sect. 32 and 33 of the Act) Per mining right (other cases)	\$126. \$126.
130	Application for revoking a claim	Per contested claim	\$137.

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* Special fees apply to all applications made during the same day for the same person on the same NTS map sheet, at scale of 1 : 50 000

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39	Annual rent for a mining lease	Lands in the domain of the State(per ha) Lands granted or alienated (per ha)	\$45. \$21.50
41	Additional amount for filing the renewal of a mining lease within the last 60 days of its expiry date		\$113.
45	Surface mineral substances	Renewal of an exploration license	\$69.75
49		Non-exclusive lease to mine	\$250.
50		Renewal of non exclusive lease	\$250.
53	Exclusive lease to mine surface mineral substances other than peat-moss	< or equal to 5 years > 5 to 6 years > 6 to 7 years > 7 to 8 years > 8 to 9 years > 9 to 10 years	\$2,755. \$3,305. \$3,856. \$4,409. \$4,958. \$5,508.
	Exclusive lease to produce peat-moss	Peat-moss	\$8,263.
54	Exclusive lease to mine surface mineral substances	Increasing the area of a lease	\$126.
56	Additional amount for filing the renewal of an exclusive lease to mine surface substances within the last 60 days of its expiry date		\$113.
57	Fee for the authorization to extract a fixed quantity of surface mineral substances		\$550.
61	Amount of royalty for building stone	m ³	\$4.50
62	Additional amount for late filing of the report of extraction of surface mineral substances	For each report, 15 days and less For each report, more than 15 days	\$51.25 \$102.

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