

Simplified exploration work report General Information

This form gathers the information required in the “Simplified exploration work report” stipulated in sections 73, 81 and 82 of the *Regulation respecting mineral substances other than petroleum, natural gas and brine*. The work report submitted in pursuance of the *Mining Act* is made public as soon as it is accepted.

Special remarks

The form entitled “Simplified exploration work report” must be completed to report prospecting work and the examination of rock outcrops and erratic boulders. When the amount devoted for the entire work exceeds \$5,000 per mining right in the course of one term, the form must be signed by the qualified professional who supervised the work. Within the meaning of the *Mining Act*, a qualified professional is a mining engineer, geology or geophysics who has five years experience.

The form may also be completed in the following cases:

- Sampling, excavating or stripping work, when the amount of work reported in the course of a term does not exceed \$5,000 per mining right;
- Work to open a mine face when the amount reported in the course of a term does not exceed \$10,000 per mining right.

When the amounts reported in the course of a term exceed these limits, the work report must contain the information indicated in the following sections of the *Regulation respecting mineral substances other than petroleum, natural gas and brine*:

- Stripping and excavating work: section 81;
- Sampling and opening of a mine face: section 82.

THE SIMPLIFIED EXPLORATION WORK REPORT MUST ALWAYS BE ACCOMPANIED WITH THE FORM ENTITLED “WORK DECLARATION” DULY COMPLETED.

How to complete this form

- First complete the following sections: 1 (Identification) 2 (Description of the property) and 3 (Objective of work performed).
- Complete the following annexes A to D according to the nature of work performed (a work report may include more than one type of work)
 - Annex A: Prospecting work and examination of rock outcrops and erratic boulders
 - Annex B: Stripping and excavation work
 - Annex C: Sampling
 - Annex D: Opening of a mine face (including the search for dimension stone)
- Attach to this report the required maps, sketches and other documents required in each annex.

For more information

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