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| **SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION** *See instructions Section A* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **1.1 SIGNATORY** (natural person) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **1.2 APPLICANT** (exclusive exploration right (EER) holder) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Enterprise name** | | | | | | | | | | **Reg. No. (NEQ)** | | | | **Intervenor No.** | | | **%** |
| **ENTREPRISE** |  | | | | | | | | | |  | | | |  | | |  |
| **or** | **Surname** | | | | | | | **First name** | | | **Date of birth** | | | | **Intervenor No.** | | | **%** |
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| ***IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE EER HOLDER, ATTACH A LIST WITH ALL THE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN SECTION 1.2*** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **1.3 ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE** (if different from the EER holder’s address) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 2 LOCATION OF THE SITE** *See instructions Section B* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Name of exploration project (optional)** | | | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 3 DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK** *See instructions Section C* | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | | **Number of sites** | **Total volume concerned (m³)** | | | | | |
| Excavating in overburden |  | | Start date  End date | |  |  | | | | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | | **Number of sites** | **Total area concerned (m2)** | | | | | |
| Rock stripping |  | | Start date  End date | |  |  | | | | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | | **Types of drilling** | | | **Planned number of drill-holes** | | | |
| Drill-holes in overburden or in rock |  | | Start date  End date | | Diamond drilling | | | | Minimum:  Maximum: | |
|  | | Start date  End date | | Reverse circulation drilling | | | | Minimum:  Maximum: | |
|  | | Start date  End date | | Percussion drilling | | | | Minimum:  Maximum: | |
|  | | Start date  End date | | Sonic drilling | | | | Minimum:  Maximum: | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | |  |  | | | | | |
| Seismic refraction geophysical surveys |  | | Start date  End date | |  | | | | | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | | **Description of parameters** | | | | | | |
| Work carried out using a hydraulic pump for gold mining purposes |  | | Start date  End date | | Pump water flow:      m3/h  Diameter of pump strainer:      cm  Area covered:      m2 | | | | | |
| **Nature of the work** | **EER(s) Completion period** | | | | **Description of the activity** | | | | | | |
| Bulk sampling |  | | Start date  End date | | 1. **Substance(s) to be sampled** 2. **Sampling method**   Surface sampling  Explosives  Hydraulic-powered machinery  Sampling from an accumulation area  Underground sampling   1. **Area**       m2 2. **Purpose of sampling** 3. **Quantity to be sampled (metric tons)** | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 4 BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF RESTORATION MEASURES\***  *See instructions Section D* | | | | | | | | | | |
| **\* (In cases where sampling quantity is less than 500 metric tons)** | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 5 DESCRIPTION OF METHOD USED TO CARRY OUT THE WORK** *See instructions Section E* | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Add the main elements that describe the method of completing the work.** | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Used machinery:  Machinery transportation:  Staff transportation:  Number of planned metres of drilling, if applicable:  Deforestation description:  Other: | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 6** **OTHER RIGHTS, PERMITS AND AUTHORIZATIONS** *See instructions Section F* | | | | | | | | | |
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| Does this work require a forest management permit?  Yes  No  Has the application been filed?  Yes  No  Date application was submitted:  Status (in process or issued):  Management unit in charge:  Management permit number: | | | | Does this work require a wildlife authorization from the MELCCFP?  Yes  No  Has the application been filed?  Yes  No  Date application was submitted:  Status (in process or issued):  Authorization number: | | | Does this work require an environmental authorization from the MELCCFP?  Yes  No  Has the application been filed?  Yes  No  Date application was submitted:  Status (in process or issued):  Authorization number: | | |
| Other permit or authorization: | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 7** **DOCUMENTATION TO BE PROVIDED** *See instructions Section G* | | | | | | | | | |
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| A certified copy of the resolution of the board of directors or of the internal by-law.  The report on the exchanges with local municipalities and Indigenous communities, where applicable, that indicates in particular the questions, requests and comments received and the answers of the EER holder.  Additional document for bulk sampling of 500 metric tons or more (*see the instructions in section F*).  Information on the geometrical location and attributes of the geographical entities (shapefiles) making it possible to delimit the zone(s) of interest in which the work will be carried out;  If applicable, copy of forest management permit (optional)  Where applicable, a copy of the environmental authorization pursuant to the *Environment Quality Act* or a copy of the application that is currently under consideration (optional).  Tous documents pertinents pour justifier les demandes. OK - commun | | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION 8 DECLARATION BY THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE** *See instructions Section H* | | | | | | | | | |
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| **INSTRUCTIONS** | |
| 1. **Section 1** - **IDENTIFICATION** | |
| This section is used to provide general information about the signatory (the natural person filing the application) and the applicant, i.e. the holder of the EER(s) to which the application applies. The applicant may be a legal person (an enterprise) or a natural person (an individual).  The intervenor number is the number assigned when the person is registered as an intervenor in the mining register computer system.  If there is only one EER holder, the percentage will be 100%. If there is more than one EER holder, a list should be provided, containing all the information required in Section 1.2, including the percentage of each EER holder.  If the applicant is a legal person, the Québec enterprise number (NEQ) must be provided. A certified copy of the resolution or internal by-law authorizing the signatory to submit the application on behalf of the applicant is also required.  If the applicant is a natural person, or if the signatory and the applicant are the same person, subsections 1.1 and 1.2 must still be completed. If the signatory and the applicant are two different people, a resolution authorizing the signatory to file the application on behalf of the applicant is required. | |
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| 1. **Section 2** – **LOCATION OF THE SITE** | |
| This section is used to provide information on the project’s location. It is here that the name of the project or its common name should be entered. | |
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| 1. **Section 3** - **DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK** | |
| This section includes important information about the impact-causing exploration work to which the application for authorization applies.  Please check the box for impact-causing exploration work to which the application applies and provide the related information (EER and work period) as well as specific information depending on the nature of the proposed activity. | |
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| 1. **Section 4** – **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF RESTORATION MEASURES** | |
| This section need only be completed for bulk sampling work of less than 500 metric tons. You should enter information on the restoration measures to be taken to restore the site when the proposed sampling work has been completed, along with a summary of the means to be used to secure the exploration site during and after the work. | |
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| 1. **Section 5** - **DESCRIPTION OF THE METHOD USED TO CARRY OUT THE WORK** | |
| Describe the methods to be used for each type of impact-causing exploration work for which authorization is requested. | |
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| 1. **Section 6** – **OTHER RIGHTS, PERMITS OR AUTHORIZATIONS** | |
| If the proposed impact-causing exploration work requires rights, permits or authorizations other than an authorization for impact-causing exploration work (ATI), please list all current applications for those rights, permits or authorizations.  The rights, permits or authorizations in question may be required under Québec legislation other than the *Mining Act* e.g. the *Environment Quality Act, Act respecting the lands in the domain of the State, Sustainable Forest Development Act*. | |
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| 1. **Section 7** - **DOCUMENTATION TO BE PROVIDED** | |
| The following documents must be attached to the application for authorization of impact-causing exploration work:   * **A certified copy of the resolution of the board of directors or the internal by-law**   If the applicant is a legal person (enterprise, partnership), it must provide a certified copy of the resolution of the board of directors or the internal by-law authorizing the person filing the application to do so on behalf of the applicant (the holder of the EER to which the application refers).     * **The report on the exchanges with local municipalities and Indigenous communities, where applicable**   Among other things, the report should contain the questions, requests and comments received and the EER holder’s answers. For additional information, please see the Promoter’s Guide for Applications for Authorization of Impact-Causing Exploration Work.   * **Geometric location**   Information on the geometric location and the attributes of the geographical entities (shapefiles) identifying the zone of interest in which the work will be carried out.   * **Additional document for bulk sampling of 500 metric tons or more**   This document is required only if the application concerns bulk sampling of 500 metric tons or more. The additional document must contain the following information:   * A description of the project: This section must describe the environment in which the exploration project is situated and provide context for its progress. It is also important to mention any particular environmental or social features of the environment. Site preparation must be described, and details of work planning must be provided. The sampling method and equipment needed to remove the samples must also be described. For underground work, the dimensions of the proposed galleries and worksites, where applicable, should also be given. An exhaustive description of the overall timeframe of the work, the anticipated blasting periods where applicable, and the transportation periods, is also required. * A description of the preparatory work that has been done: List the exploration work done recently for the exploration project, specifically in the sector for which bulk sampling authorization is requested. This section should also include a summary of the results of the campaigns or work. Recent work done should also give an idea of the type of ore to be extracted, including its chemical composition. The anticipated tenor of the sectors to be sampled should be clearly stated. * An estimate of resources and reserves: This section should contain the most recent estimate of the property’s mineral resources and, if identified, the ore reserves. Attach the most recent Technical Report published for the property, where available. If mineral resources have not yet been assessed, this must be clearly stated. * The purpose of the sampling: This section should set out the reasons why bulk sampling of 500 metric tons or more is required, the chosen site for the sampling, and the number of tons to be extracted. It should also describe how the bulk sampling fits into the logic of the exploration or mining project and how the results of the bulk sampling will be considered. * Summary of restoration measures: This section must set out information on the restoration measures to be taken to restore the site at the end of the bulk sampling work. It must also contain a summary of the means to be used to secure the exploration site during and after the work. In addition, it must report on the filing of the rehabilitation and restoration plan based on the thresholds indicated in section 108 of the *Mining Regulation.* * Milling: State whether or not you intend to build a pilot or demonstrator mill. If not, please provide a copy of the milling contract or milling letter of intention. This section should also mention the milling site. The proposed milling process must be described, and the anticipated recovery rate must be stated. * Site development: If the EER holder intends to place facilities on the site, this must be mentioned in this section. Facilities may include a waste rock site, an access ramp, a well, a storage area, etc. * Deforestation: State whether deforestation is required and if an access road must be developed or built. * **Other authorizations obtained from another government department**   Where available, a copy of the forest management permit under the *Sustainable Forest Development Act* and its regulations, a copy of the environmental authorization under the *Environment Quality Act*, or a copy of the wildlife authorization under the *Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife*. These are optional documents. | |
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| 1. **Section 8** – **DECLARATION BY THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE** | |
| The signatory must check the appropriate boxes and attest to the accuracy of the information provided in the application and attached documents. | |