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Form WC2Bv (validation)
Declaration of notification of intention to exercise rights under a small-scale title within the White Cliffs Mineral Claims District

When to use this form

This form is part of the validation program for mineral claims granted post 2015 in the White Cliffs Mineral Claims District.

This form is to be completed by individuals and companies to prove the applicant has met the requirements of section 266(4) of the *Mining Act 1992*.

Any reference to the 'department' in this form refers to the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development.

View the department's privacy statement on how information in this application will be used.

How to lodge

This form, along with any attachments can be submitted:

- **by email**: sstproject@dpird.nsw.gov.au
- **by mail:** NSW Resources, PO Box 314, Lightning Ridge NSW 2834.
- **in-person:** Department's office, 41 Opal Street, Lightning Ridge, NSW, between the hours of 9.30am to 1pm and 2pm to 4pm from Monday to Thursday or 9:30am to 1pm on Friday.

Lodgement of your form in this manner is taken to be lodgement with the Secretary under the *Mining Act 1992.*

Need assistance?

For help with lodging this form or for more information about small-scale titles in NSW, contact the NSW Resources Small-Scale Titles team via the contact details above or phone: 02 4063 6900.

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1. Mineral claim details

Details	
Mineral claim number	

2. Applicant(s) details

2.1. Individual applicant details

Note: If there is more than one applicant, the 1st applicant will be considered the preferred application contact. If the applicant is a company, please go to Question 2.2.

1st Applicant details (preferred application contact)	
First name of applicant	
Middle name(s) of applicant	
Last name of applicant	

Residential address (as shown on ID provided)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	
Proof of identity	☐ Proof of identity (e.g. valid driver's licence) is attached, and address matches the details above.					

Contact details	
Contact phone	
Contact email	*(This email will be used by the department for all correspondence relating to the administration of the Mining Act 1992)*

Contact postal address (if different from registered / residential address)						
PO Box (if applicable)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	

2nd Applicant details (if applicable)	
First name of 2nd applicant	
Middle name(s) of 2nd applicant	
Last name of 2nd applicant	

Residential address (as shown on ID provided)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	
Proof of identity	☐ Proof of identity (e.g. valid driver's licence) is attached, and address matches the details above.					

Contact details	
Contact phone	
Contact email	(This email will be used by the department for all correspondence relating to the administration of the *Mining Act 1992*)

Contact postal address (if different from registered / residential address)						
PO Box (if applicable)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	

Additional applicants

If there are more than two applicants, please provide their details as required in Question 2.1 as an attachment to this application.

2.2. Company details

Company details (if applicable)	
Company name	
Australian Company Number	
Name(s) of all company director(s)	
Company contact person	☐ Proof of identity document (e.g. valid driver's licence) is attached

Company contact details (as registered with ASIC)						
PO Box (if applicable)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	

3. Form WC23v details

3.1. Notification of intention to exercise rights

Prior to lodging this form, you must:

1. complete the landholder notice Form WC23v: Notification of intention to exercise rights within the White Cliffs Mineral Claims District, and retain a copy of the form;
2. review the map provided by the department for the landholder that identifies the location of your mineral claim on the landholder's property and retain a copy of the map; and
3. send Form WC23v and the map to the landholder(s) by registered post.

Details of serving Form WC23v: Notification of intention to exercise rights under a small-scale title within the White Cliffs Mineral Claims District to the landholder(s)	
Landholder(s) name that Form WC23v was sent to:	
Date the notice was posted to the landholder (dd/mm/yyyy): **Note: If there is more than one landholder, please specify the date for each landholder.** **Note: Your application will begin processing seven (7) working days after the WC23v notice was posted.**	Click or tap to enter a date.

For each landholder notified, the following has been attached as evidence:

- ☐ A copy of Form WC23v: Notification of intention to exercise rights under a small-scale title within the White Cliff Mineral Claims District.
- ☐ A copy of the map sent to the landholder.
- ☐ Proof of postage, either:
  - ☐ Registered post receipt (this a receipt from Australia Post that shows the WC23v form has been accepted for delivery).

  OR

  - ☐ Proof of delivery via registered post (this is a proof of delivery issued by Australia Post with signature on delivery and online tracking)

4. Fees and charges

As an application fee was collected with your original application, there is no need for further payment of an application fee. Additional amounts for landholder compensation, security and/or levies will be calculated after lodgement of your application and provided in a Notice of Proposed Decision (NoPD). Any required fees must be paid prior to determination of your application.

Unless you have a private landholder compensation agreement, you will be required to pay an additional amount for the landholder's compensation based on the standard compensation amount.

Any additional payments can be paid via the means outlined in the NoPD.

5. Checklist of items to be included with this application

Note: The 2 checklists below are to be completed by the applicant prior to signing the declaration.

Mandatory items to be attached to the application	Yes	Reference
Proof of identity document (e.g. valid driver's licence available for sighting if in person)	☐	Question 2.1 or 2.2
Copy of Form WC23v: Notification of application for a mineral claim in the White Cliffs Mineral Claims District served on the landholder(s)	☐	Question 3.1
A copy of the map served on the landholder(s) as part of this notice	☐	Question 3.1
Registered post receipt (this a receipt from Australia Post that shows Form WC23v has been accepted for delivery) OR Proof of delivery via registered post (this is a proof of delivery issued by Australia Post with signature on delivery and online tracking)	☐ ☐	Question 3.1

Items to be attached to the application if applicable	Yes	N/A	Reference
Additional applicant contact details and proof of identity document (e.g. valid drivers' licence)	☐	☐	Question 2.1 or 2.2
Additional applicants' declaration	☐	☐	Question 6.2
For agents only, written evidence of appointment and proof of identity document (e.g. valid driver's licence)	☐	☐	Question 7

6. Declaration

6.1. Applicant(s) (individual or company) declaration

Each applicant (or authorised representative of a company) must complete the declaration below and sign this form:

- I certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- I understand under the *Crimes Act 1900 NSW* Part 5A, that knowingly or recklessly giving false or misleading information is a serious offence, and under the *Mining Act 1992* section 378C, any person who provides information that the person knows to be false or misleading is guilty of an offence, for which they may be subject to prosecution.
- I declare that I am authorised to complete and lodge this application.

1st Applicant details	
Name	
Date	Click or tap to enter a date.
Signature	

2nd Applicant details (if applicable)	
Name	
Date	Click or tap to enter a date.
Signature	

Company (if applicable)	
Name	
Position/title (e.g. Director)	
Date	Click or tap to enter a date.
Signature	

6.2. Additional applicants

If there are more than 2 proposed mineral claim holders, please provide their signed declaration as an attachment. The attachment must be a copy of this page that the additional proposed holders have filled in their name, date, and signed.

☐ I have attached a signed declaration for additional proposed mineral claim holders.

7. Agent authorised to act for the applicant(s) (if applicable)

As the proposed mineral claim holder, you can appoint an agent if desired. An agent can lodge an application on your behalf. You will need to provide written notice that you have appointed a person as your agent.

The authorised agent must complete the declaration below and sign this form:

- I certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- I understand under the *Crimes Act 1900 NSW Part 5A,* that knowingly or recklessly giving false or misleading information is a serious offence, and under the *Mining Act 1992* section 378C, any person who provides information that the person knows to be false or misleading is guilty of an offence, for which they may be subject to prosecution.
- I declare that I am authorised to complete and lodge this application.
- Evidence of Agency was provided.

Agent details	
Full Name	
Proof of identity	☐ Proof of identity document (e.g. valid driver's licence) is attached
Contact phone	
Contact email relevant to the agency arrangement	(This email will be used by the department for all correspondence relating to the administration of the *Mining Act 1992*)

Contact postal address						
PO Box (if applicable)						
Street number		Street name				
Suburb			State		Postcode	
Evidence of appointment as an agent	☐ I have attached a written notice by the holder of my appointment as their agent					
Date	Click or tap to enter a date.					
Signature						

Office use only

Application received
Date:
Officers name and initial:

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