



MINERALS PERMIT PROCESSING PERFORMANCE REPORT

FIRST QUARTER (JANUARY - MARCH) 2019

In this quarter 90 percent of all accepted applications were decided on within our target timeframes. Our processing performance has therefore improved significantly from the previous two quarters and we reached our target of processing 80 percent of applications within our target timeframes.

A total of 95 applications were carried over from the fourth quarter and 61 new applications were received (down from 76 in quarter 4).

We carried over 101 applications to the second quarter of 2019, and a further four applications were rejected or withdrawn.



Application types	Applications carried over from previous quarter	New applications received this quarter	Applications rejected or withdrawn	Accepted applications approved or declined	Total resolved applications	Applications carried over to next quarter	Timeline target (business days)	% decision made on accepted applications within timeline target this quarter *
All hobby permit applications	5	5	0	2	2	8	60	50%
New Permit applications	34	17	3	10	13	38		80%
Prospecting Permits	5	5	0	2	2	8	80	100%
Tier 1 Exploration Permits	3	2	0	0	0	5	80	N/A
Tier 2 Exploration Permits	6	7	0	2	2	11	80	50%
Tier 1 Mining Permits	1	0	0	0	0	1	120	N/A
Tier 2 Mining Permits	19	3	3	6	9	13	120	83%
Change applications	56	39	1	39	40	55		95%
Change of Conditions	4	4	0	3	3	5	60	100%
Transfers, Change of Operator & Consent to dealings	8	4	0	9	9	3	40	100%
Notification of Change of Control	3	0	0	1	1	2	40	100%
Extension of Duration to a Prospecting or Exploration Permit	1	2	0	0	0	3	60	N/A
Change of Minerals to a Prospecting or Exploration Permit	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	N/A
Extension of Land to a Prospecting or Exploration Permit	3	0	0	2	2	1	60	100%
Extension of Duration for Appraisal to an Exploration Permit	4	0	0	0	0	4	120	N/A
Extension of Duration to a Mining Permit	11	2	0	2	2	11	120	100%
Extension of Land to a Mining Permit	11	5	0	2	2	14	120	100%
Change of Minerals to a Mining Permit	1	2	0	0	0	3	120	N/A
Partial Surrenders	7	9	0	11	11	5	20	82%
Full Surrenders	3	11	1	9	10	4	10	100%
Totals	95	61	4	51	55	101		90%

* "N/A" means no applications were finalised in the quarter; 0% means that none of the applications finalised met the timeline target.