



## MINERALS PERMIT PROCESSING PERFORMANCE REPORT

### FOURTH QUARTER (OCTOBER - DECEMBER) 2018

In this quarter 60 percent of all accepted applications were decided on within our target timeframes. While this is slightly up from the previous quarter, it is still short of our goal of processing 80 percent of applications within our target timeframes.

This quarter, however, saw the permit queue drop below 100 applications for the first time.

A total of 108 applications were carried over from the third quarter and 76 new applications were received (up from 74 in Q3).

We carried over 95 applications to the first quarter of 2019, and a further 22 applications were rejected or withdrawn.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types	Applications carried over from previous quarter	New applications received this quarter	Applications rejected or withdrawn	Accepted applications approved or declined	Total resolved applications	Applications carried over to next quarter	Timeline target (business days)	% decision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	7	1	0	3	3	5	60	67%
New Permit applications	44	12	3	19	22	34	80	74%
Prospecting Permits	7	3	1	4	5	5	80	100%
Tier 1 Exploration Permits	3	0	0	0	0	3	80	N/A
Tier 2 Exploration Permits	11	4	1	8	9	6	80	63%
Tier 1 Mining Permits	2	0	0	1	1	1	120	100%
Tier 2 Mining Permits	21	5	1	6	7	19	120	67%
Change applications	57	63	19	45	64	56	80	53%
Change of Conditions	3	11	10	0	10	4	60	N/A
Transfers, Change of Operator & Consent to dealings	10	13	1	14	15	8	40	64%
Notification of Change of Control	1	3	0	1	1	3	40	100%
Extension of Duration to a Prospecting or Exploration Permit	3	2	2	2	4	1	60	100%
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	2	3	0	2	2	3	60	0%
Extension of Duration for Appraisal to an Exploration Permit	3	3	1	1	2	4	120	100%
Extension of Duration to a Mining Permit	12	4	1	4	5	11	120	25%
Extension of Land to a Mining Permit	7	7	2	1	3	11	120	100%
Change of Minerals to a Mining Permit	1	0	0	0	0	1	120	N/A
Partial Surrenders	6	4	0	3	3	7	20	33%
Full Surrenders	9	13	2	17	19	3	10	47%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>95</b>		<b>60%</b>

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