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Template for technical managers

Technical capability - Mining Act 1992

Access the [Titles Management System \(TMS\) Portal](#) to lodge this application electronically.

When to use this form

Complete this form if you are being appointed as the technical manager for an authority under the *Mining Act 1992* in NSW and:

- the application is being lodged in the [Titles Management System \(TMS\)](#); or
- you have not provided the technical capability information required on the application form or have not signed the application form.

The technical manager is to complete this form.

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

Section 2 of this form does not need to be completed by the technical manager for a mining lease as the [Minimum Standards](#) do not apply to decisions on mining leases at this time.

Privacy statement

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How to lodge

You can lodge this form in the following ways:

- **In TMS:** Attach this form to the application in TMS
- **By email:** titles@regional.nsw.gov.au
- **By mail:** NSW Resources, Resource Operations, PO Box 344, Hunter Region Mail Centre NSW, 2310
- **In person:** in person at the department office, 516 High Street, Maitland, NSW. Office hours are 9.30am to 4.30pm

Lodgement of this form in any of the above ways is taken to be lodgement with the Secretary under the Mining Act.

For help with lodging this form, or for more information about authorisations under the Mining Act in NSW, contact:

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Important notes

All information specified in this form, and all required documents, things or information required to be lodged with this form, should be provided at lodgement.

If there is insufficient room in any of the fields in this form, please provide the information as an attachment submitted with this form, marking clearly the field or other requirement to which the additional information relates.

1. Application and technical manager details

The applicant for an authority must nominate a technical manager who will be responsible for supervising operations and geoscientific reporting. Note that this does not make the person liable for any other matters relating to the application.

1.1. Application details

Provide details to identify the application for which you have been nominated as a technical manager. If you are the nominated technical manager for more than one application, please list each of the relevant TMS case IDs and/or authority identifiers for those applications in the table below (e.g. EL 1, EL 2, EL 3).

Application details	
Applicant name	
Applicant contact phone	
Applicant email	
ACN/ARBN	
TMS case ID	
Authority identifier	

1.2. Technical manager contact details

Technical manager contact details	
Name	
Position	
Company	
Phone	

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Email

2. Minimum Standards (for prospecting authorities only)

Note the Minimum Standards do not apply to decisions on mining leases at this time.

If you are being appointed as a technical manager for a mining lease you do not need to complete Section 2 of this form.

2.1. Technical manager membership/qualifications

The technical manager must have either:

- Membership with a recognised relevant professional organisation at the minimum level of *Member*, with the required degree qualification related to the geosciences:

Provide the name and member number of any relevant professional association(s) to which the technical manager belongs:

AusIMM AIG Membership number:

Other - please specify (including membership number):

Provide details of the degree qualification related to the geosciences (e.g. B. Science (Geology)):

OR

- Five years or more experience working in the deposit setting that is proposed in the work program (in this case you must attach the technical manager's curriculum vitae to evidence this if not already supplied to the department).

2.2. Technical manager conduct

The technical manager must also meet certain conduct requirements. Has the technical manager:

- at any time had their membership refused, revoked or suspended by any relevant professional organisation(s) for conduct-related reasons, or
- in the past 10 years, been convicted of an offence under the Mining Act, the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* or other relevant legislation (as defined in the Minimum standards)?

Yes No

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If you ticked yes, please provide details:

3. Technical manager acceptance

Signature of the nominated technical manager

In signing below, I hereby:

- confirm my acceptance of the role of technical manager; and
- certify that the information provided in this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that under the *Crimes Act 1900 NSW Part 5A*, knowingly or recklessly giving false or misleading information is a serious offence, and that under the *Mining Act 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.

Date:

CM10 Reference: RDOC22/178598

Amendment schedule

Date	Version #	Amendment
November 2024	4.0	Updated for NSW Resources.

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