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Information Requirements Sign-off

Project:	
Applicant Representative	
Name:	
Title:	
Applicant signature to indicate agreement with project specific requirements	Date signed
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Application (AMS Tracking #):	
Ministry Representative	
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Information (refer to Joint Application Information Requirements Guide for detailed information on each section)	Requirements	Comments	Location in Final Application
1. INTRODUCTION AND PROJECT OVERVIEW			
1.1. Project Description	Required □		
1.2. Proponent Information	Required □		
1.3. Project Overview			
1.3.1. Project History	Required □		
1.3.2. Overview of Products	Required □		
1.3.3. Location, Access, and Land Use	Required □		
1.3.4. Mine Components	Required □		
1.3.5. Mine Design and Assessment Team	Required □		
1.3.6. Spatial Data	Required □		
1.3.7. Concordance with Environmental Assessment Conditions	Required □		
1.4. Regulatory Framework	Required □		
2. INDIGENOUS NATION ENGAGEMENT			
2.1. Background	Required □		
2.2. Engagement Efforts and Information	Required □		
2.3. Aboriginal Interests and Potential Project Impacts	Required □		
2.4. Engagement and Participation Throughout Mine Life	Required □		
3. BASELINE INFORMATION			
3.1. Meteorology and Climate	Required □ Methods □		
3.2. Geology			
3.2.1. Deposit Geology	Required □ Methods □		
3.2.2. Surficial Geology, Terrain, and Geohazard Mapping	Required □ Methods □		
3.2.3. Natural and Seismic Hazards Assessment	Required □ Methods □		
3.2.4. Soil Survey and Soil Characterization for Reclamation	Required □ Methods □		
3.3. Topography and Surface Drainage Features	Required □ Methods □		
3.4. Water Quantity			
3.4.1. Surface Water Quantity	Required □ Methods □		
3.4.2. Groundwater Quantity	Required □ Methods □		
3.5. Water Quality			
3.5.1. Surface Water Quality	Required □ Methods □		
3.5.2. Groundwater Quality	Required □ Methods □		
3.6. Sediment Quality	Required □ Methods □		
3.7. Fisheries and Aquatic Resources			
3.7.1. Periphyton and Benthic Invertebrate Community Measures	Required □ Methods □		
3.7.2. Fish and Fish Habitat	Required □ Methods □		
3.7.3. Tissue Residues	Required □ Methods □		
3.8. Ecosystems and Wildlife	Required □ Methods □		
3.9. Potential Receptors of Mine-related Influences	Required □ Methods □		
3.10. Land Status and Use	Required □ Methods □		

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3.11. Archaeology	Required □ Methods □		
3.12. Cultural Use	Required □ Methods □		
4. MINE PLAN			
4.1. Mine Plan Overview	Required		
4.2. Existing and Permitted Mine Plan	Required Required		
4.3. Proposed Mine Plan	Required		
4.4. Mine Facility Engineering Designs	Required		
4.4.1. Open Pits	Required		
4.4.2. Underground Workings	Required		
4.4.3. Tailings Storage Facilities, Dams, and Associated Infrastructure	Required		
4.4.3.1. Small Dams	Required		
4.4.3.2. Low Consequence Classification Dams	Required		
4.4.3.3. Significant or Higher Consequence Classification Dams	Required		
4.4.3.4. Tailings Storage Facilities	Required		
4.4.4. Dumps and Stockpiles	Required		
4.4.4.1. Dumps (Stability Class II or less)	Required		
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4.4.4.2. Dumps (Stability Class III or greater) and Major Dumps 4.4.5. Surface Water Management Structures	Required Description 1		
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4.4.5.1. Ponds or Impoundments (without Dams)	Required		
4.4.5.2. Water Conveyance Structures 4.4.6. Mine Roads	Required		
	Required		
4.4.7. Processing Plant (Mill)	Required		
4.4.8. Buildings, Ancillary Facilities, and Other Infrastructure	Required		
4.4.9. Closure Designs	Required		
4.4.9.1. Open Pits	Required		
4.4.9.2. Underground	Required		
4.4.9.3. TSFs and Dams	Required		
4.4.9.4. Dumps and Stockpiles	Required		
4.4.9.5. Surface Water Management Structures 5. RECLAMATION AND CLOSURE PLAN	Required		
5.1. End Land Use Objectives and Capability Metrics for Planned Infrastructure/ Disturbance Footprints	Required		
5.1.1. Pre-Mining End Land Use and Capability	Required □		
5.1.2. Post-Mining End Land Use and Capability Objectives/Metrics	Required □		
5.2. Existing Mine Disturbance Footprints and Conditions	Required □		
5.3. Proposed 5-Year Mine Disturbance Footprint	Required □		
5.4. Life of Mine Disturbance Footprint	Required □		
5.5. Reclamation and Closure Approaches and Prescriptions	Required □		
5.6. Habitat Compensation	Required □		
5.7. Trace Elements in Soils and Vegetation	Required □ Methods □		

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5.8. Contaminated Sites and Ecological Risk Assessment	Required □ Methods □		
5.9. Disposal of Chemicals, Reagents, Hazardous Materials, and Contaminated Materials	Required □ Methods □		
5.10. Groundwater Well Decommissioning	Required □ Methods □		
5.11. Reclamation and Closure Research	Required □		
5.12. Reclamation Monitoring	Required □		
5.13. Post-closure Reclamation Maintenance	Required □		
5.14. Care and Maintenance	Required □		
WATER QUALITY MITIGATION AND WATER MODELLING			
6.1. Metal Leaching and Acid Rock Drainage Characterization	Required □ Methods □		
6.2. Geochemical Source Terms	Required □ Methods □		
6.3. Conceptual Site Model	Required □ Methods □		
6.4. Water Quality Mitigation Measures			
6.4.1. Source Control	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.1.1. Management Practices	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.1.2. Engineered Controls	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.2. Water Management Measures	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.3. Technology Selection			
6.4.3.1. Best Achievable Technology Evaluation	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.3.2. Technology Readiness Assessment	Required □ Methods □		
6.4.4. Water and Effluent Treatment			
6.4.4.1. Description	Required □		
6.4.4.2. Location	Required □		
6.4.4.3. Detailed Design	Required □		
6.4.4.4. Site-specific Treatment Effectiveness	Required □		
6.4.4.5. Performance Risks	Required □		
6.4.4.6. Influent and Effluent Water Quality	Required □		
6.4.4.7. Waste By-products	Required □		
6.4.4.8. Maintenance	Required □		
6.4.4.9. Emergency Response Procedures	Required □		
6.4.4.10. Contingency Plans	Required □		
6.4.4.11. Monitoring Plans	Required □		
6.4.4.12. Schedule	Required □		
6.4.5. Water Treatment Research and Development Program	Required □		
6.5. Hydrogeologic Modelling	Required □		
6.5.1. Conceptual Hydrogeologic Model	Required □ Methods □		
6.5.2. Numerical Hydrogeologic Model	Required □ Methods □		
6.6. Site-wide Water Balance Model	Required □ Methods □		
6.7. Surface Water Quality Model	Required □ Methods □		

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7.1. Domestic Water/Sewage Treatment	Required □ Methods □		
7.2. Effluent Discharge	Required □ Methods □		
7.2.1. Non-point Source Discharges	Required □ Methods □		
7.3. Receiving Environment Modelling			
7.3.1. Initial Dilution Zone	Required □ Methods □		
8. ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS ASSESSMENT			
8.1. Aquatic Environment	Required □ Methods □		
8.2. Terrestrial Environment	Required □ Methods □		
8.3. Human Health	Required □ Methods □		
9. ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING			
9.1. Mine Site Water Monitoring Program	Required □ Methods □		
9.2. Discharge Monitoring Program	Required □ Methods □		
9.3. Environmental Monitoring Program	Required □ Methods □		
9.4. Aquatic Effects Monitoring Program	Required □ Methods □		
10. MANAGEMENT PLANS			
10.1. Environmental Management System	Required □		
10.2. Erosion and Sediment Control Plan	Required □		
10.3. Soil Management Plan	Required □		
10.4. Construction Environmental Management Plan	Required □		
10.5. Metal Leaching and Acid Rock Drainage Management Plan			
10.5.1. Definition of PAG and Metal Leaching Materials	Required □		
10.5.2. ML/ARD Management	Required □		
10.5.3. ML/ARD Monitoring	Required □		
10.5.4. ML/ARD Reporting	Required □		
10.6. Mine Site Water Management Plan	Required □		
10.7. Vegetation Management Plan	Required □		
10.8. Invasive Plant Management Plan	Required □		
10.9. Wildlife Management Plan	Required □		
10.10. Fugitive Dust Management Plan	Required □		
10.11. Archaeological Management and Impact Mitigation Plan	Required □		
10.12. Fuel Management and Spill Control Plan	Required □		
10.13. Combustible Dust Management Plan	Required □		
10.14. Chemicals and Materials Storage, Transfer, and Handling Plan	Required □		
10.15. Waste (Refuse and Emissions) Management Plan	Required □		
11. RECLAMATION LIABILITY COST ESTIMATE			
11.1. RLCE Parameters			
11.1.1. Time Period	Required □		
11.1.2. Costing Scenarios	Required □		
11.1.3. Progressive Reclamation	Required		

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11.1.4. Third-party Costs	Required		
11.1.5. Revenue Streams	Required		
11.1.6. Mobilization/Demobilization	Required		
11.1.7. Project Management	Required		
11.1.8. Engineering/Consulting Costs	Required		
11.1.9. Contingency Fees	Required		
11.1.10. Discount Rates	Required □		
11.2. Required Components			
11.2.1. RLCE Summary Report	Required □		
11.2.2. RLCE Spreadsheets	Required □		
11.3. Cost Categories			
11.3.1. Cost Category 1 – Infrastructure Removal			
11.3.1.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.1.2. Infrastructure Types	Required □		
11.3.2. Cost Category 2 – Site Remediation			
11.3.2.1. Contaminated Sites Investigations	Required □		
11.3.2.2. Soil Treatment	Required □		
11.3.3. Cost Category 3 – Conventional Reclamation			
11.3.3.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.3.2. Mine Components	Required □		
11.3.3.3. Reclamation Activities	Required □		
11.3.3.4. Costs	Required □		
11.3.4. Cost Category 4 – Water Quality Mitigations			
11.3.4.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.4.2. Capital Costs	Required □		
11.3.4.3. Operating Costs	Required □		
11.3.5. Cost Category 5 – Site Staffing			
11.3.5.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.6. Cost Category 6 – Site Maintenance			
11.3.6.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.6.2. Site Maintenance Items	Required □		
11.3.7. Cost Category 7 – Site Monitoring and Reporting			
11.3.7.1. General Requirements	Required □		
11.3.7.2. Monitoring Programs	Required		
11.3.7.3. Monitoring Costs	Required		
11.3.7.4. Reporting Costs	Required □		



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