

When to use this form

The technical manager is to complete this form.

Complete this form if you are being appointed as the technical manager for an authority under the *Mining Act 1992* in New South Wales 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.

How to submit this form

The applicant is to submit this form

- **In TMS:** Attach this form to the application in TMS
- **By email:** Send an electronic copy of this form with your application to <mailto:resource.operations@planning.nsw.gov.au>
- **By mail:** Mail this form with your application to Mining, Exploration and Geoscience, Resource Operations, PO Box 344, Hunter Region Mail Centre NSW 2310
- **In person:** Submit this form with your application in person at the Department office, 516 High Street, Maitland, New South Wales. Office hours are 9.30am to 4.30pm

Note

- any reference to the 'Department' in this form, refers to Regional NSW
- this form should be lodged within 10 business days of the lodgement date of the application. Failure to supply the information within this timeframe may be considered as grounds for refusing the application according to [cl6\(d\) sch1B of the Mining Act 1992](#)
- 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

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Privacy statement

This information is collected by the Department for the purposes of assessing an application for an authorisation or an application associated with an authority as required by the Mining Act 1992 or Mining Regulation 2016.

This information may also be used by the Department to comply with its public register and record-keeping requirements under the Mining Act 1992 and Mining Regulation 2016, to confirm applicant details in the event that subsequent applications are made and to establish and maintain databases to assist the Department with its work generally.

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You may apply to the Department to access and correct any personal information the Department holds about you if that information is inaccurate, incomplete, not relevant or out of date.

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 the 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	
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 the 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. 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 1992*, the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* or other relevant legislation (as defined in the [Minimum standards](#))?

Yes No

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 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.

Date:

Document control

Approved by: Executive Director, Resource Operations, Regional NSW, under delegation from the Minister administering the *Mining Act 1992*.

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Amendment schedule

Date	Version #	Amendment
December 2020	1.0	Form created in response to Minimum standards and industry feedback