

EXEMPTION FROM REQUIRED WORK

Criteria For Granting Exemption From Required Work Under Subsection 84(4) of the Act

Please note: an application under subsection 84(4) is for mining claims only. Holders of Mineral Exploration Licences are not eligible to apply for an exemption under this subsection.

1. The holder must apply in writing and in accordance with the conditions set out in subsection 84(4) of the Act as follows:

84(4) The director may, on application by the holder of a claim on or before the anniversary date of the recording of the claim, grant an exemption from performing some or all required work where the director is satisfied by the holder that the holder is unable to gain access to the claim to perform required work owing to a wildfire or other special circumstances beyond the control of the holder.

2. Claims must be in peril of being cancelled due to work not being able to be conducted this past winter.
3. Claim holder does not have enough credits available to keep them in good standing until next year.
4. Holder must submit proof that some type of work was planned to be done but could not be done due to winter conditions. Example a letter from drill/geophysical company explaining that they could not do the work as contracted due to unsafe winter conditions.
5. If proposed work was not contracted out, a declaration from the claim holder declaring that he/she had intended to do work on the claim but could not due to winter conditions. The declaration should include the type of work planned and why it could not be done.

Format for statutory declaration:

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, _____ of the _____ of _____
in the _____ of _____ hereby declare:

1. I am eighteen years of age or older.
2. I am the person signing this application.
3. I do solemnly declare that (state the fact or facts declared to), and make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, _____

Witness

Signature Applicant

Addition information:

In the application to the Director, please include a list of claims that an exemption is being sought and a brief description of where the work was to have been done.