

Mining (General) (Amendment) Regulations, 2020 (No. 24)

IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Mines and Mining Development has, in terms of section 403 of the Mines and Minerals Act [*Chapter 21:05*], made following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Mining (General) (Amendment) Regulations, 2020 (No. 24).

2. The Mining (General) Regulations, 1977, published in Rhodesia Government Notice 247 of 1977, are amended by the repeal of the Second Schedule and substitution of the following—

“SECOND SCHEDULE (*Section 4*)

<i>Nature of Fee</i>	<i>Fees (USD) – Payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the Prevailing Auction Rate</i>
¹ 1. APPLICATIONS	
Section 272(3)(b)	
Application for revocation of forfeiture	1 000,00
Section 87	
Application for an EPO (Non-refundable)	2 000,00
Section 135	
Application for a mining lease (Non-refundable)	2 000,00
Section 159	
Application for a special mining lease	5 000,00
Section 217	
Application for protection against forfeiture	100,00
Section 299	
Application for a special grant to mine part XX (non-refundable)	2 000,00
2. PROSPECTING LICENCES	
Section 20(1)	
Special prospecting licence	750,00
Section 20(1)	
Ordinary prospecting licence	100,00

¹ All Application Fees are non-refundable

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Section 22(3)	
Duplicate Prospecting Licence	100,00
3. REGISTRATIONS	
Section 15(1)(c)	
Registration as an approved prospector valid for 5 years	4 000,00
Section 45	
Registration fee for base minerals (Special block)	750,00
Registration for toll elution plants	1 000,00
Registration for special grant –Part XIX	1 000,00
Section 45	
Registration to mine base minerals (Ordinary block)	400,00
Registration to deal in Precious Stones (Valid for 5 years)	20 000,00
Section 59	
Duplicate Certificate of Registration	150,00
Section 135	
Registration of a mining lease	5 000,00
Section 159	
Registration of a special mining lease	10 000,00
Section 45	
Application for registration of precious metal block	200,00
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Section 45	
Registration of precious stones blocks	200,00
Section 48	
Registration fee for a Site	50,00
4. ANNUAL INSPECTIONS	
Section 197 (1)	

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<i>Nature of Fee</i>	<i>Fees (USD) –Payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the Prevailing Auction Rate</i>
1st Inspection block of claims (Base minerals, precious metals) and mining lease	100,00, per 5 ha
Section 218	
Annual fee for block of claims, special grants and mining leases of Precious Stones	225,00, per 5 ha
Section 198/199	
2nd and subsequent inspection for block of claims (Base minerals, Precious Metals) and Mining Lease.	200,00, per 5 ha
Section 212	
Inspection by payment (Base minerals)	20,00/ha/year
Section 198	
Special mining lease inspection	50,00/ ha/ year
Section 303(2)	
Mining special grant XX annual fee	10,00/ ha/ year
Mining special grant part XIX annual fee	20,00/ha/year
Section 303	
Prospecting special grant Part XX	10c/ha/year
Prospecting special grant Part XX renewal 2nd Year	15c/ha/year
Special grant Part XX renewal 3rd Year	0,20c/ha/year
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Section 395	
Site rental fee	10,00/ ha/ year
Exclusive prospecting order	
Rental for EPO-First year	0,10
Rental for EPO-Second year	0,15
Rental for EPO-Third year	0,20
5. RENEWALS	
Section 293	
Renewal for mining special grant under Part XIX	1 000,00

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Section 299	
Application for extension for mining special Grant Part XX	10 000,00
Section 16	
Renewal for a Certificate of Registration as Approved Prospector (CRAP)	500,00
6. TRANSFERS	
Section 275(7)	
Certificate of registration after transfer per mining block	500,00
Section 275	
Transfer of donated block of mining claims	1 000,00
Transfer of a mining lease	2 000,00
7. MISCELLANEOUS FEES	
Conversion of block	200,00
Search Fee 50,00 trading on a	10,00
Trading on a mining location	50,00
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Permit to transport ore (3 months)	20,00
Application for special grant Part XIX	100,00
EPO Extension Fee	2 000,00
Printing of claims plan Maps	
- Quarter Map	5,00
-Half Map	10,00
- Full map	15,00
PART II	
OTHER FEES	
EXPORT PERMIT FEES	
Platinum group metals concentrate (3 Months)	12 500,00
White matte	10 000,00
Base metal concentrate	10 000,00

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Ferro Alloy	100,00/3 months
Refined Base Metals	3 750,00
Processed Industrial Minerals including Processed Dimension Stone)	500,00
Unprocessed Industrial Minerals (Excluding Dimension Stone)-	1 000,00
Dimension Stone Blocks	7 500,00
Steel Products	2 000,00
Steel Products (Small Consignment up to 30 tonnes)	375,00
Cut and polished diamond (per shipment)	50,00
Rough/Uncut Diamonds (per shipment)	10 000,00
Rough/ Uncut Emeralds (per shipment)	250,00
Cut and Polished Emeralds (per shipment)	50,00
Semi-precious stones (per shipment)	50,00
Foundry/Industrial Scrap	2 000,00
Samples for test work	100,00
Samples above 100kg	100,00
Samples below 100kg	50,00
Gold Jewellery Permit	500,00

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Other Licences	
Export of raw chrome ore/Concentrate (per 3 months)	2 500,00
Gold jewellery permit	500,00/5years
Custom milling licence	5 000,00
Toll Elution Plant	1 000,00
Carbon Movement Permit	500/year
Retention Certificate (s.221B Finance Act No. 1 of 2014 amendment of s.199(3) Mines and Minerals Act [<i>Chapter 21:05</i>])	2 000/ha/year

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Charges for services in the department of the Chief Government Mining Engineer	
Exemptions/Permissions	
Processing and granting of exemptions	1 000,00
Commissioning of plant, boilers and pressure vessels	1 000,00
Registration fee as a testing authority	3 000,00
Conducting examinations	
Full blasting licence (FBL)	300,00
Mine blasting licence (MBL) endorsements	200,00
Restricted blasting licence (RBL)	50,00
Full blasting licence (FBL) with endorsement for fiery Mines/Surface	300,00
Replacement of blasting licence	100,00
Statutory Examinations	
MSCC/ZGMD/MMCC/MED and MECC per subject	50,00
Registration fee for examination	50,00
Setting of examinations per subject	100,00
Marking of examinations per script	25,00
Explosives permits and licences	
Storage Licence (approved container)	100,00/year
Storage Licence (portable magazine)	500,00/year
Storage Licence (immovable magazine)	10 000,00/5 years
Permit to acquire and possess explosives	500/year
Explosives import and export licence per consignment	1 000,00
Licence to manufacture explosive at factory	10 000,00/ 5 years
Licence to manufacture explosives at mine	1 000,00/year
Provision of technical service	
Gyro per set up	250,00
Surveying and sampling	200,00
Search fee (plans)	5,00

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Approval of plans	50,00
Sitting of works plan	50,00
Permits to export exploration samples	
All samples per consignment	2 500,00
Penalties	
Operating without a custom milling licence	5 000,00
Operating without a toll elution plant permit	2 000,00
Breach of operation suspension order	500,00
Resumption of operations after suspension of operation order	500,00
Failure to maintain Beacons (For the 1st Month - not exceeding Level 3, Level 1- Monthly thereafter. Section 375 as amended by the Criminal Penalties Act 2002)	
Transporting or Processing Carbon without Carbon movement permit	10 000,00
Transporting Ore without an Ore movement permit	500,00
PART III	
FEEs CHARGED IN TERMS OF SECTION 403(2)(Q)	
Fees for fire (assay) (samples) ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Fees for chemical laboratory samples-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Charges for mineral dressing section-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Charges for bulletins and maps-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Fees for digital products-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Fees for geological data-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
Geophysical equipment hiring out-ALL	Cost of product + (plus) 20% standard mark-up
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