



APPLICATION FOR A PROSPECTING LICENCE UNDER THE MINERALS DEVELOPMENT ACTS, 1940 TO 1999

A separate form should be used for each application. **Up to ten areas** may be included on the same form only if the areas are adjacent and for the same minerals. Licences are granted for 6 years unless a shorter period is warranted. **Note:** *Acceptance of applications for prospecting licences for consideration will not create any obligation on the part of the Minister to grant any facilities.*

Name of Applicant(s)	

Address of Applicant(s)	
	Eircode:-

Address of Registered Office	
	Eircode:-

Telephone Number(s)		Email(s)	

Nature of Business of Applicant(s)	
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If the applicant is not a current prospecting licence holder, the application must if available include copies of their most recent Annual Report, audited accounts, information concerning its share capital and details of significant shareholdings.

A priority listing of the areas being sought, the licence area with the highest priority should be listed first.

1		2		3		4		5	
6		7		8		9		10	

In the case of open ground, please provide a map of relevant scale showing townlands.

The basis of the interest of the applicant in this ground.

Minerals of Interest

e.g. Base Metals, Barytes, Silver, Gold

Basis of Interest



An in-depth description of the exploration programme proposed over the Licence (Block) applied for, including of any special techniques or equipment to be used. The applicant should submit any maps, diagrams or reports which support the belief of the applicant that minerals are present. This information will be treated as confidential and will assist in determining which applicant (if any) in the case of competition will be offered Licence(s).

Work Programme

Estimates, for each two year phase of the 6-year Licence term, of the proposed expenditure on the area(s) applied for:

Year 1 and 2	
Year 3 and 4	
Year 5 and 6	

Information concerning the applicant's previous experience in prospecting for minerals

Previous Experience

Names, addresses, qualifications and experience of technical experts or advisers who will organise and carry out the prospecting programme. If the applicant will be the operator, then this should be stated.

Resident Manager			
Address			
Telephone		Email	

Amount of capital available for operations under the Licence(s) now applied for:

Funds Presently Available €		Funds Available for Release €	
Source (Institution and Description)			

Applicants may be asked to provide evidence that these amounts are available.

Details of persons to whom the Minister can refer for evidence on (a) character, (b) financial standing and (c) technical qualifications of the applicant(s). Independent references must be provided to cover each aspect.

	Name	Email	Telephone
Character Reference			
Financial Reference			
Technical Reference			

I/We hereby declare that all the foregoing particulars are correct. I/We enclose a remittance of €190.00 per Prospecting Licence being the prescribed fee on application. By applying for licences you are agreeing to the **TERMS AND CONDITIONS** of being a licence holder.

Name	Signature	Date