
MINERALS AND PETROLEUM

MP301*

Mining Act 1978

**Mining (Ellendale Diamond Royalties)
Amendment Regulations 2004**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Mining (Ellendale Diamond Royalties) Amendment Regulations 2004*.

2. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Mining (Ellendale Diamond Royalties) Regulations 2002**.

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3. Regulation 3 amended

Regulation 3(1) is amended in the definition of “year” by deleting “means a calendar year and, if the sale date is a day other than 1 January, includes the period beginning on the sale date and ending on the next 31 December” and inserting instead —

“ means a financial year ”.

4. Transitional provisions

- (1) In this regulation —

“**first return**” means the first royalty return under regulation 11 of the *Mining (Ellendale Diamond Royalties) Regulations 2002* after the commencement of these regulations.

- (2) The first return is to be forwarded within 4 months after 30 June 2005.
- (3) Regulation 11 of the *Mining (Ellendale Diamond Royalties) Regulations 2002* applies in relation to the first return as if references in that regulation to “that year” and “the year to which the return relates” were references to “the period from 1 January 2004 to 30 June 2005”.

By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.