
MINERALS AND ENERGY

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MINING ACT 1978

MINING AMENDMENT REGULATIONS (No. 2) 1998

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Mining Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1998*.

Principal regulations

2. In these regulations the *Mining Regulations 1981** are referred to as the principal regulations.

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For amendments to 3 February 1998 see 1996 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, pp. 193-4 and Gazette 4 April and 3 October 1997.]

Regulation 86 amended

3. (1) The Table to regulation 86 of the principal regulations is amended by deleting the items commencing with the mineral categories set out in the following Table.

Table

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| Abrasives | Limestone (construction) |
| Alunite | Magnesite |
| Amblygonite | Monazite |
| Bentonite | Oil Shale |
| Calcite | Petalite |
| Corundum | Pyrophyllite |
| Emery | Quartz Crystal |
| Gadolinite | Shale |
| Glaucinite | Sillimanite |
| Jarosite | Spodumene |
| Lepidolite | Xenotime. |
| Limestone (metallurgical) | |

(2) The Table to regulation 86 of the principal regulations is amended by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical order the mineral categories set out in the following Table, together with the associated entries in the columns noted next to those entries.

Table

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| Construction Limestone | 30 cents (Column 1) |
| Lithium Minerals | 5% (Column 2) |
| Metallurgical limestone inc. limesands and shellsands | 50 cents (Column 1) |
| Rare Earth Minerals | 5% (Column 2). |

(3) The Table to regulation 86 of the principal regulations is amended —

- (a) in column 3 of the item commencing "Ilmenite" by deleting "with a minimum of \$1.50 per tonne";
- (b) in the item commencing "Leucoxene" —
 - (i) by inserting in column 2 the following —
" 5% "; and
 - (ii) by deleting the entry in column 3;
- (c) in the item commencing "Rutile" —
 - (i) by inserting in column 2 the following —
" 5% "; and
 - (ii) by deleting the entry in column 3;
- (d) in the item commencing "Semi-precious stones" by inserting after "stones" the following —
" (including specimen stones) "; and
- (e) in the item commencing "Zircon" —
 - (i) by inserting in column 2 the following —
" 5% "; and
 - (ii) by deleting the entry in column 3.

By Command of the Governor,

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