



Petroleum Division

REQUEST FOR SEARCH OF PETROLEUM TITLE

PLEASE NOTE: SEARCH REQUESTS FOR ALL COMMONWEALTH TITLES MUST BE MADE DIRECTLY WITH THE NATIONAL OFFSHORE PETROLEUM ADMINISTRATOR (NOPTA)

APPLICANT(S) NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CONTACT PERSON _____ PHONE: _____ FAX _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

TITLES/DOCUMENTS TO BE SEARCHED (See explanation reverse of form)

TITLE (Identify by type and Nos) _____

DEALINGS NOS _____ TRANSFER NOS _____

PARTICULARS REQUIRED (tick boxes)

- VISUAL SEARCH
- REGISTER & TITLE INSTRUMENT (all)
- EXTRACTS
- REGISTER (PART 1)
- TITLE INSTRUMENT (PART 2)

INDIVIDUAL PAGE EXTRACTS where Register & Title Instrument above is not required:

- TITLE DETAILS page 1
- SECURITIES page 5
- MEMORIALS OF TRANS, DEALS ETC page 10 etc.
- TITLE HOLDERS page 2/3
- ENDORSEMENTS page 6/7
- ANNUAL FEE page 4
- SCHED OF TRANS DEALS ETC page 8/9
- WORK PROGRAM (from title instrument)

The applicant will be advised of the total search fee due. A search certificate and receipt will be issued.

OFFICE USE

APPLICATION NO. _____

TOTAL NUMBER OF SEARCHES REQUIRED _____

TOTAL NUMBER OF EXTRACTS _____

SEARCH COMPLETED ____/____/____

APPLICANT ADVISED OF TOTAL FEE PAYABLE \$ _____ ON ____/____/____

SEARCH COLLECTED ____/____/____

PAYMENT DETAILS STATE

FEE \$ _____

DATE _____

RECEIPT NO. _____

The petroleum Registry is a public registry and pursuant to the Petroleum Legislation, titles are capable of being searched and extracts of these and associated documents are capable of being taken at the fees prescribed from time to time.

THE PETROLEUM REGISTER (ONE PER TITLE) COMPRISES 2 PARTS

PART 1 (TITLE DETAILS)

• Title number, Term, Nominee	Page 1
• Title Holder	Page 2/3
• Annual Fee Receipt Details	Page 4
• Securities or insurance held against the title	Page 5
• Endorsements of matters impacting on title eg. Declaration of location, application for surrender, etc.	Page 6-7
• Schedule of Transfers and Dealings on the Title	Page 8/9
• Memorials of Transfers and Dealings, etc.	Page 10
• Variation, Suspension, Extension	Page 11
• Special notices	Page 12

PART 2 (TITLE INSTRUMENT)

This is the original title instrument issued to the title holder and contains details of the current term, including:

- A description of the Title area and plan
- Conditions of the grant incorporating the Work Program
- Any variations to the Title eg. Variation of the Work Program

In addition to the above, registered instruments of Transfer and Dealing documents (or at least a summary) are capable of being searched and extracts copied. These Transfers and Dealings are identified in the register.

TYPE OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT TENEMENTS

i) PETROLEUM GEOTHERMAL ENERGY RESOURCES ACT 1967

Drilling Reservations	(DR1)
Exploration Permits	(EP1) (R4 = 4th Renewal)
Production Licences	(L1)
Petroleum Lease	(L1H)
Retention Lease	(R1)
Geothermal Exploration Permits	(GEP1)
Geothermal Production Licences	(GL1)
Geothermal Retention Lease	(GR1)

ii) PETROLEUM PIPELINES ACT 1969

Pipeline Licenses	(PL1)
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iii) PETROLEUM (SUBMERGED LANDS) ACT 1982

Exploration Permits	(TP/1)
Production Licences	(TL/1)
Pipeline Licences	(TPL/1)
Retention Lease	(TR/1)

COSTS

Clients should be aware that a typical Title Register Part 1 is 10-15 pages and Part 2 varies between 8-20 pages and in some instances either part can be considerably more. The Petroleum Division Schedule of Fees lists the current fee for a Search of a Petroleum Title.