

# COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT REPORTING June Quarter 2021

1 April to 30 June 2021

# **Compliance Activities (Minerals & Petroleum)**

The RER Group's Resource and Environmental Compliance Division uses an integrated approach to compliance planning and monitoring activities across its branches. In Q2 2021, the following desktop compliance activities and site inspections were completed:

Environmental Compliance Branch (Minerals, Petroleum and Native Vegetation)	
Petroleum Compliance Branch (Petroleum Gas Onshore & Offshore, Hydraulic Fracture Stimulation)	
Financial Compliance Branch (Minerals & Petroleum)	
Title Compliance Branch – Third Party Audit Requests (Minerals & Petroleum)	
Mining Rehabilitation Fund (Minerals)	274

# **Enforcement Actions (Minerals)**

DMIRS uses enforcement actions to influence compliance within the mining sector. In Q2 2021, the following were carried out:

### **Environmental Enforcement Actions**

Directions to Modify	2
Stop Work Orders	0
Warning Letters	3
Investigative Referrals	0

### **Penalties Imposed**

Exemption Refusal	74
Late Form 5	
Late Mineral Exploration Reports	
Late Rental Payment	12

## **Forfeiture Warnings**

Notice of Intent to Forfeit	212	

### **Tenements Forfeited**

Non-lodgement of Form 5	
Non-payment of Rent	5
Non-payment of Penalties	
Third Party Applications for Forfeitures	
Under expenditure	
Late lodgement of Form 5	

# Penalties in Lieu of Forfeiture

Titles Compliance				
Nature of Breach				
Exemption Refusal				
Expenditure (Reporting)				
Mineral Exploration Reports				
Rent		\$9,636		
Environmental Compliance				
Nature of Breach	Learnings for Industry	Penalty		
Mining activities undertaken without written approval on several tenements.	Ensure all appropriate approvals have been granted prior to undertaking clearing and mining activities.	\$210,517		