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# **Landholder notice of proposed application for mineral claim within the Lightning Ridge Mineral Claims District**

# *Form LR21 Mining Act 1992*

The person intending to lodge an application for a mineral claim must first complete the information below and serve this notice and a map of the proposed mineral claim (meeting the requirements set out in section 3 of this form) on all landholders of the land on which the proposed mineral claim is located.

Note: A completed copy of this notice and map must be attached to your application for a mineral claim (Form LR2A).

1. Landholder details

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| Landholder details | |
| Name |  |
| How the notice will be served |  |

In accordance with [s177](https://legislation.nsw.gov.au/view/html/inforce/current/act-1992-029#sec.177) of the *Mining Act 1992*, I hereby give notice of my intention to apply for a mineral claim in relation to land for which you are a landholder. The details of my proposed mineral claim are as follows:

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| 1. Located on the property known as: |  |
| 1. A map of my proposed mineral claim area is attached for your reference, prepared in accordance with s.177(2) of the *Mining Act 1992* and cl.41(2) of the Mining Regulation 2016*.* | |

1. Applicant details

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| Applicant details | |
| Applicant name (person or company applying for mineral claim) |  |
| Contact person (if a company) |  |
| Address |  |
| Phone (optional) |  |
| Email (optional) |  |
| Date |  |
| Signature |  |

1. Supporting information

Why do I need to serve a notification to the landholder?

If you intend to apply for a mineral claim, you must first serve notice to all landholders of the land on which your proposed mineral claim is located. This is an obligation under [s177](https://legislation.nsw.gov.au/view/html/inforce/current/act-1992-029#sec.177) of the *Mining Act 1992.*

Why does my notice need to include a map of the land?

The map is required to meet your obligations under [cl41(2)](https://legislation.nsw.gov.au/view/html/inforce/current/sl-2016-0498#sec.41) of the Mining Regulation 2016*.*

The notice must include a map that identifies the location of your proposed mineral claim on their property. The map must be at least at 1:100,000 scale, clearly indicate the extent and location of that land relative to property boundaries and include man-made features such as roads, fences and buildings.

When do I need to serve the notice on the landholder/s?

You must serve the section 177 notice on the landholder/s before lodging a mineral claim application.

Keep a completed copy of this form and map to attach to your application for a mineral claim (LR2A).

If you require assistance or more information, please contact:

**Mining, Exploration and Geoscience**

**Small Scale Titles Team**

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| February 2023 | 1.0 | Form amended and issued for use. |
| March 2023 | 1.1 | Form updated to reflect commencement of Mining Regulation 2016 on 1 March 2023. |
| April 2023 | 1.2 | Edited to remove the need to provide a statutory declaration and add in more detail around the map requirements. |

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This information may also be used by the Department to comply with its public register and record-keeping requirements under the *Mining Act 1992* and Mining Regulation 2016, to confirm applicant details in the event that subsequent applications are made and to establish and maintain databases to assist the Department with its work generally.

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