



**Great South Land**  
Minerals Limited

Great South Land Minerals Limited ABN 54 068 650 386

Complete Application submitted to  
Mineral Resources Tasmania  
11 March 2011

**APPLICATION FOR OIL & GAS  
WITHIN PART OF ERA 791  
(AREA C 3,378 km<sup>2</sup>)**

**11<sup>th</sup> March 2011**





# **Great South Land Minerals Exploration Licence Application**

## **Area C ~ 3,378 km<sup>2</sup>**

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Mineral Resources Tasmania  
PO BOX 56  
ROSNY PARK TAS 7018

**Attention: Director of Mines**

Dear Sir,

**RE: Exploration Licence Application – Partial of ERA791 for Derwent Valley, Huon Valley and Southern Midlands Tasmania. Approximate area being 3,378km<sup>2</sup> - Application C**

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Enclosed herein, is Great South Land Minerals Limited (GSLM) Exploration Licence Application for category 4 minerals (*Petroleum products except oil shale*) over an approximate area comprising 3,378km<sup>2</sup> encompassing parts of Derwent Valley, Huon Valley and Southern Midlands Tasmania, which fall within the advertised release area (ERA) 791.

GSLM previously explored in this area under SEL 13/98 in which 10 significant structures has been identified. Consequently, these findings have established firm commercial reason to deem the whole basin to be prospective for hydrocarbons justifying further exploration and seismic testing.

Enclosed is a Bank cheque # 509025 for \$1,632.00 for the application. We look forward to receiving advice of receipt, processing and approval.

Should you require any further information to meet your specific requirements, please do not hesitate to contact our office on (03) 6231 3529.

Yours sincerely,

  
DAVID BENDALL (Director)  
GREAT SOUTH LAND MINERALS LIMITED  
Level 3, 65 Murray Street  
HOBART TAS 7000  
Tel: (03) 6231 3529 Fax: (03) 6234 9075

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Westpac Banking Corporation  
ABN 33 007 457 141

Bank Cheque Details - Customer Record  
HOBART OFFICE TAS

CUSTOMER RECORD

Purchaser GREAT SOUTH LAND MINERALS LTD  
LVL 3,65 MURRAY ST , HOBART 7000

Date Issued 04/03/2011 Teller F043876

Cheque No. 509025 Cheque Amount \$1,632.00

Fee Amount \$10.00 Total Paid \$1,642.00

Payee MINERAL RESOURCES TASMANIA



Westpac Banking Corporation  
ABN 33 007 457 141

Cheque No. 509025

HOBART OFFICE TAS

Date 04/03/2011

BANK CHEQUE

Pay MINERAL RESOURCES TASMANIA

the Sum of ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED THIRTY TWO DOLLARS AND 00

CENTS ONLY

For and on behalf of Westpac Banking Corporation

NOT NEGOTIABLE

or bearer

\$ 1,632.00\*\*\*\*\*

This cheque contains a number of security features, see reverse for a detailed list

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## EXPLORATION LICENCE APPLICATION

### Q1. Full name(s) or company name(s) of applicant(s) and percentage interest

Surname or company name	ACN	Incorporated in	Given name/s	%
GREAT SOUTH LAND MINERALS				
LIMITER	068650386	TAS	—	100
(If insufficient space please attach list)				100

### Q2. Postal address for service of notices

GPO BOX 1603  
HOBART TAS  
Postcode: 7001  
Phone No.: (03) 62313529 Mobile No.: 0428 205 650  
Email Address: paul.heath@gslm.com.au Fax No.: (03) 62349075

### Q3. Name and address of principal contact:

PAUL HEATH, CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER & EXECUTIVE  
GEOLOGIST  
Postcode:  
Phone No.: (03) 62313529 Mobile No.: 0428 205 650  
Email Address: paul.heath@gslm.com.au Fax No.: (03) 62349075

- Q4. Is this an application for a special exploration licence under Section 38 of the *Mineral Resources Development Act 1995*? Yes ☐ No ☒
- Q5. Is this an application for a small area under Section 22 of the *Mineral Resources Development Act 1995*? Yes ☐ No ☒
- Q6. Does this application arise from an area advertised under the Exploration Release Area (ERA) system? Yes ☒ No ☐
- ERA NO. 791

The prescribed application fees (see page 6) must accompany this application.

Applications made through Service Tasmania: STaRS Code: MR1

Amount paid \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt Number \_\_\_\_\_

Cashier (Initial & date) \_\_\_\_\_

Cost allocation: 892010.45.4612 (Application fee); 311110.34.4919 (Rental Suspense a/c)

Personal information we collect from you for registration and tenement administration processes will be used by the Director of Mines for that purpose and may be used for other purposes permitted by the *Mineral Resources Development Act 1995* and associated laws. Your personal information may be disclosed to contractors and agents of the Director of Mines, law enforcement agencies and other public sector bodies or organisations authorised to collect it.

This information will be managed in accordance with the *Personal Information Protection Act 2004* and may be accessed by you on request to the Department. You may be charged a fee for this service. Failure to provide this information may result in your application not being processed or records not being properly maintained.

**Q7. Specify the Category of Minerals for which this Exploration Licence is sought**

Note: Category 1 *Metallic minerals and atomic substances*  
 Category 2 *Coal, peat, lignite and oil shale*  
 Category 3 *Construction minerals — stone, clay & sand*  
 Category 4 *Petroleum products except oil shale*  
 Category 5 *Industrial minerals, precious and semi-precious stones*  
 Category 6 *Geothermal substances*

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Specify principal commodities sought OIL & GAS

**Q8. What is the area and general locality of this application?**

e.g. 50 km<sup>2</sup>, 15 km SE of Mt Zeehan.

DERWENT & HUON VALLEYS & SOUTHERN MIDLANDS, APPROX  
3,378 KM<sup>2</sup> AREA.

Please attach a map showing the area or a description by co-ordinates. Specify the datum used.

REFER ATTACHMENTS A1 & A2.

**Q9. Leases and licences already held in Tasmania by the applicant**

Licence/Lease No.(s)	List expenditure commitment on each (\$)	\$
<u>EL 14/2009</u>	<u>OVER TWO YEARS</u>	<u>7,550,000</u>

If no tenements are held in Tasmania, provide a brief statement of experience and mining or exploration activities, and attach the last annual report (if a company).

**Q10. Technical resources available to the applicant**

Names, qualifications and experience of persons undertaking the exploration program. If the person is not an employee of the applicant you must attach evidence that he/she has agreed to assist in the proposed exploration program.

REFER ATTACHMENTS B1 - B9.



**Q11. Financial resources available to the applicant**

Proof of ability to fund the exploration program is required. The applicant is to supply details of the financial resources available to them. All companies should attach their most recent audited financial report to the Australian Stock Exchange (for No Liability companies, this will be your most recent quarterly report. For Limited companies, this will be your most recent half-yearly report), as well as providing details in the space provided.

Companies with net assets over \$50 million which submit their most recent audited financial report do not need to provide details in the space provided.

All other applicants must provide details in the space provided.

You must answer on each line and state 'not applicable' if it is not applicable. You must attach evidence of the availability of each resource, and signed authorisations from guarantors if applicable. **Acceptable** resources are listed below. **Unacceptable** resources include unlisted shares, personal or investment property, fixed assets and accounts receivable or other debts.

In assessing your financial capacity, the Department compares your 'Assets' against your 'Obligations' to establish your net assets which are measured against the required expenditure for the first two years, i.e. the net assets must meet or exceed the required expenditure.

*Note: The Department reserves the right to pursue whatever information that is necessary for the Minister to be satisfied that the applicant meets the requirements of section 14(4)(d) of the Mineral Resources Development Act 1995.*

*All information relating to financial details must be no older than six months at the time the information is submitted.*

Financial resources		Acceptable evidence
(a) Cash	\$	Attach a copy of a Bank Statement.
(b) value of Government/semi-Government bonds	\$	Attach copy of bond.
(c) value of listed shares held at current market price (selling)	\$	Broker's statement, or copies of share certificates, or CHESS (Clearing House Electronic Subregister System) statements. Attach copy.
(d) line of credit from a recognised financial institution	\$	Attach a statement from the institution concerned giving the extent of credit.
(e) Future fund raising	\$	Prospectus. Fund raising must be completed prior to the licence being granted.
<b>TOTAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>Financial obligations</b>		
Expenditure commitment on this licence for the first two years	\$	Proposed expenditure as per Question 14.
Expenditure commitments on all existing mineral tenements in Tasmania for the next two years	\$	Total expenditure commitments as per Question 7.
<b>TOTAL FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS</b>	<b>\$</b>	

REFER ATTACHMENTS C1 - C15

**Q12. Public Liability Insurance**

A copy of the certificate of currency of the applicant's public liability insurance for at least \$10 million must be attached.

REFER ATTACHMENTS D1- D3

**Q13. Aims and exploration philosophy**

Applicants are to provide details of exploration data, searches, geological concepts/models and other criteria used in selection of the area.

REFER ATTACHMENT E

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**Q14. Proposed exploration program and estimated expenditure (for first two years)**

Applicants are to outline their proposed exploration program for the first two years.

Details

	\$
1) YEAR 1, GEOLOGICAL, GEOPHYSICS & SEISMIC PLANNING	100,000
2) YEAR 2, GEOLOGICAL, GEOPHYSICS, GEOCHEM. SEISMIC ACQUISITION (~150 km <sup>2</sup> )	1,010,000
	<u>\$ 1,110,000 TOTAL</u>

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NOTE: APPLICATION IS FOR 5 YEARS AS PER EXPLORATION PROGRAM. REFER ATTACHMENTS F1, F2 & F3.

**Q15. Environmental impacts**

Applicants are to list any impact on the environment and outline the measures they will employ to mitigate these.

REFER ATTACHMENT E (PAGE 2)

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## CHECKLIST

The following must accompany the application:

Please tick **ATTACH**

- ☐ A plan showing the application area (Q8) ☒ (A18)
- ☐ A copy of the current annual report if the applicant is a company and this has not been provided previously (Q9) N/A ☐ ☒ (G)
- ☐ Evidence that the specified persons have agreed to assist with the exploration program (Q10) N/A ☐ ☒ (B1-0)
- ☐ Evidence of the financial resources available to the applicant (Q11) ☒ (C1-1)
- ☐ A copy of the Certificate of Currency of the applicant's Public Liability Insurance (Q12) ☒ (D1-3)
- ☐ A separate summary of the proposed exploration program for **public distribution** ☒ (H)
- ☐ Proof of identity of applicant (Q17) ☒ (I)
  - Minimum age of 18 years if applicant is not a company.
  - e.g. — *Individual* – Photocopy of Driver's Licence, Passport
  - Company* – Photocopy of Certificate of Incorporation or Australian Companies Number (ACN) and list of directors/office holders
- ☐ Evidence that the person signing this application is authorised to do so (Q17) ☒ (K)
- ☐ Application Fee (exploration licence):
 

Petroleum, coal seam gas or geothermal substance	\$1632.00
Minerals other than petroleum, coal seam gas or geothermal substance	\$816.00
- ☐ Application fee (special exploration licence):
 

Petroleum, coal seam gas or geothermal substance	\$3264.00
Minerals other than petroleum, coal seam gas or geothermal substance	\$1632.00

### ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE AND LODGEMENT OF FORMS

Registrar of Mines  
Mineral Resources Tasmania

*Postal Address:*  
PO Box 56  
ROSNY PARK TAS 7018

*Street Address:*  
30 Gordons Hill Road  
ROSNY PARK TAS 7018

Forms and attachments may be lodged electronically at [info@mrt.tas.gov.au](mailto:info@mrt.tas.gov.au)

### FURTHER ADVICE

Further advice may be obtained by contacting Mineral Resources Tasmania:

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Facsimile: (03) 6233 8338  
Email: [info@mrt.tas.gov.au](mailto:info@mrt.tas.gov.au)  
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