

# Fossicking – land access information bulletin

Land tenure	Notification (fossicking notice)	Consent (fossicking request)
Declared fossicking area	Nil required	Nil required
Vacant Crown land	Nil required	Nil required
Pastoral land (i.e. pastoral lease or perpetual pastoral lease)	7 days notification required to landowner or occupier	Nil required
Pastoral land if area is being used for pastoral activity or if fossicking is within 2km of a homestead or 1km of a stockyard.	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the landowner / occupier required to obtain written consent
Granted or application area of an Extractive Mineral Exploration Licence (EMEL)	Nil required	Nil required
Application area of an Exploration Licence (EL)	Nil required	Nil required
Granted area of an Exploration Licence (EL) (1) not fossicking for gold	7 days notification to mineral title holder	Nil required
(2) fossicking for gold	7 days notification to mineral title holder	Nil required
(3) fossicking for gold on EL area where authorised activity is being conducted	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the mineral title holder required to obtain written consent
Granted or application areas of; Mineral Lease (ML) Extractive Mineral Permit (EMP) Extractive Mineral Lease (EML)	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the mineral title holder or applicant required to obtain written consent
Reserved land ( <i>Mineral Titles Act</i> ) if not a declared fossicking area	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to Department Industry, Tourism and Trade required to obtain written consent
Private land (i.e. NT freehold, Crown lease in perpetuity, Crown lease term, special purpose lease)	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the landowner / occupier required to obtain written consent
Aboriginal land or Aboriginal community living area	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the landowner / occupier required to obtain written consent
Park or reserve	Not applicable	14 days notification (fossicking request) to the landowner required to obtain written consent