



PART A

Resource Consent Applications

FORM 9

APPLICATION FOR RESOURCE CONSENT

Sections 87AAC, 88, and 145, Resource Management Act 1991

To Waitaki District Council
Private Bag 50058
Oamaru 9444

1. OceanaGold (New Zealand) Limited (“OceanaGold”) applies for the following type of resource consent:

Land use consent (non-complying activity) to authorise mining activities.

2. The activity to which the application relates (the proposed activity) is as follows:

OceanaGold owns and operates the Macraes Gold Project and is seeking all necessary resource consents to extend the mine life, referred to as the Macraes Phase Four Project (“MP4” or “the Project”). The proposed activity includes the following key components:

- Down dip extension of three open pits (Innes Mills, Coronation and Golden Bar), formation of their associated backfills, WRSs, and ancillary works;
- Backfilling of the Coronation North Pit on completion of already authorised mining;
- Further tailings disposal in the FTSF to support ore processing from the open pit extensions and other consented operations;
- Waste rock rehandling from a rehabilitated waste storage area to Golden Point Pit;
- A minor realignment of part of Golden Bar Road; and
- Activities associated with the mitigation, remediation, offsetting and compensation of the adverse effects of the above activities including establishment of the Murphys Ecological Enhancement Area.

A full description of the proposed activity is provided in the attached Assessment of Environmental Effects (“AEE”).

3. The site at which the proposed activity is to occur is as follows:

- Macraes Gold Project, approximately 2.5km north-east from the intersection of Macraes-Dunback Road and Red Bank Road, Macraes Flat, Otago, within the area of OceanaGold mining/exploration permit MP41064;

- Land within Frasers Tailings Storage Facility which is legally described as:
Section 4 SO 24124; Section 5 SO 24124; Lot 2 DP 21220; Section 36 Block II Highlay SD; Part Section 6, Block II Highlay SD; Part Section 8, Block II Highlay SD; Section 7, Block II Highlay SD; Section 22, Block II Highlay SD; Section 27, Block II Highlay SD; Section 28, Block II Highlay SD; Section 29, Block II Highlay SD; Section 30, Block II Highlay SD; Section 49, Block II Highlay SD; Part Lot 1 DP 21220; Section 10 SO 24927; Part Section 1 SO 23828; Section 2 SO 23828; Section 12 SO 331188; Section 15 SO 331188; Section 16 SO 331188; Section 4 SO 429137; Road Reserve;
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- Land within Coronation Stage 6 Pit which is legally described as:
Part Section 2 Block V Highlay SD; Lot 1 DP 465577; Part Section 2 Block VII Highlay SD; Part Section 11 Block VII Highlay SD;
- Land within Coronation North Backfill which is legally described as:
Part Section 2 Block V Highlay SD;
- Land within Coronation Haul Road – Pit to Processing Plant which is legally described as:
Part Pt Section 2 Block V Highlay SD; Part Section 2 Block VII Highlay SD; Part Pt Sections 11 and 12 Block VII Highlay SD; Lot 3-4, 8 Deposited Plan 465577; Part Section 10 Block XII Rock & Pillar Survey District.
- Land within Golden Point Backfill which is legally described as:
Section 29 SO 459659; Part Section 19 Block IX Highlay SD; Part Section 2 SO 23079;
- Land within Northern Gully Waste Rock Rehandle which is legally described as:
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- Land within Golden Bar Extension Pit which is legally described as:
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- Land within Golden Bar Waste Rock Stock which is legally described as:
Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District;
- Land within Golden Bar Haul Road – Pit to Processing Plant which is legally described as:
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- Land within Murphys Ecological Enhancement Area which is legally described as:
Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District.

4. There are no other activities that are part of the proposal to which the application relates.

5. The following additional resource consents are needed for the proposal to which this application relates and are applied for at the same time:

The following new resource consents from the Dunedin City Council:

- Land use consent (discretionary activity) to authorise mining activities, earthworks (large scale) and the use and storage of hazardous substances.
- The following new resource consents from the Otago Regional Council:
 - Discharge Permits;
 - Water Permits; and
 - Land use consents.

As described in the attached AEE.

- Changes to the conditions of the following Otago Regional Council resource consents:
 - RM10.351.43.V3;
 - RM10.351.44.V3;
 - RM10.351.45.V2;
 - RM10.351.46.V2;
 - RM10.351.47.V3;
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 - RM10.351.51.V3;
 - RM10.351.52.V3;
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 - Records of Title;
 - Appendices 2 – 34.

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To Otago Regional Council
Private Bag 1954
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1. OceanaGold (New Zealand) Limited (“OceanaGold”), applies for the following type(s) of resource consent:

At Frasers and Innes Mills Pits:

- A new discharge permit to authorise the discharge of tailings into Frasers TSF (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to authorise the take and use of tailings return (supernatant) water from Frasers TSF (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to authorise the damming of water within Frasers TSF (discretionary activity); and
- A new land use consent to authorise earthworks and land disturbance within 100m of a natural inland wetland that may result in partial drainage of the wetland (discretionary activity).

At Coronation Pit:

- A new land use consent to authorise vegetation clearance, land disturbance and earthworks within and within 100m of natural inland wetlands for the purpose of mining the Coronation Stage 6 Pit (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to divert surface water around Coronation Pit and into unnamed tributaries of Maori Hen Creek, Trimbells Gully, Mare Burn and Camp Creek for the purpose of preventing surface water ingress and managing surface water runoff (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to authorise the discharge of waste rock to land within Coronation Pit (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to discharge waste rock to land for the purpose of construction of the Coronation Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity).

- A new water permit to take and use surface water for the purpose of dewatering Coronation Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity); and
- A new water permit to take and use groundwater for the purpose of dewatering Coronation Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity).

At Coronation North Pit:

- A new discharge permit to authorise the discharge of waste rock to land within Coronation North Pit for the purpose of backfilling the Coronation North Pit (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to authorise the take and use of surface water from Coronation North Pit for the purpose of dewatering the Coronation North Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity), replacing an expiring consent; and
- A new water permit to authorise the take and use of groundwater from Coronation North Pit for the purpose of dewatering the Coronation North Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity), replacing an expiring consent.
- A new discharge permit to discharge waste rock to land for the purpose of constructing the Coronation North Waste Rock Stack and the Trimbells Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity), replacing an expiring consent.

At Golden Bar Pit:

- A new water permit to authorise the diversion of surface water around the Golden Bar Pit, haul roads and stockpile area for the purpose of managing surface water runoff (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to take and use surface water for the purpose of dewatering Golden Bar Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to take and use groundwater for the purpose of dewatering Golden Bar Pit and use in the Mine Water Management System (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to discharge water containing contaminants to Golden Bar Creek for the purpose of disposing of water from dewatering of Golden Bar Pit (discretionary activity).
- A new land use consent to authorise vegetation clearance, land disturbance and earthworks within and within 100m of natural inland wetlands for the purpose of mining the Golden Bar Pit extension (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to discharge waste rock to land in Golden Bar Pit for the purpose of disposing of waste rock (discretionary activity);

- A new water permit to take surface water for the purpose of creating the Golden Bar Pit Lake (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to take groundwater for the purpose of creating the Golden Bar Pit Lake (discretionary activity); and
- A new discharge permit to discharge contaminants to air from mining operations and post mining rehabilitation (discretionary activity).

At Golden Bar WRS:

- A new discharge permit to discharge waste rock and contaminants from waste rock to land for the purpose of extending the Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity);
- A new land use consent to reclaim part of an unnamed modified watercourse and to undertake vegetation clearance, land disturbance and earthworks within a natural inland wetland in the Clydesdale Creek catchment for the purpose of extending the Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to discharge silt and sediment to water for the purpose of extending the Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity);
- A new water permit to permanently divert water around the Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack and into unnamed tributaries of Clydesdale Creek for the purpose of preventing surface water ingress and managing stormwater runoff (discretionary activity);
- A new discharge permit to discharge contaminants to water from the base and toe of the extended Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack for the purpose of waste rock disposal (discretionary activity); and
- A new water permit to dam water in Clydesdale Silt Pond for the purpose of operating Clydesdale Silt Pond (discretionary activity); and
- A new discharge permit to discharge water from a silt pond to Clydesdale Creek for the purpose of operating a silt pond associated with the Golden Bar Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity).

At Golden Bar Road Realignment:

- A new discharge permit to authorise the discharge of waste rock to land for the purpose of constructing a road (discretionary activity).

At Northern Gully WRS:

- A new discharge permit to discharge silt and sediment to water in Northern Gully Silt Pond for the purpose of excavating waste rock from Northern Gully Waste Rock Stack (discretionary activity).

Activities associated with the mitigation of surface water quality effects:

- A new water permit to take and use surface water from Murphys Silt Pond, Frasers West Silt Pond, Redbank Silt Pond, and Clydesdale Silt Pond for the purpose of capturing waste rock stack seepage and preventing its release to the environment and for use in the Mine Water Management System.

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- Changes to the conditions of the following Otago Regional Council resource consents:
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 - RM10.351.46.V2;
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FORM 10

APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF RESOURCE CONSENT CONDITIONS

Under section 127, Resource Management Act 1991

To Otago Regional Council
Private Bag 1954
Dunedin 9054

1. OceanaGold (New Zealand) Limited (“OceanaGold”), applies for a change of a Resource Consent Conditions.

2. This application relates to the following resource consents:

- RM10.351.43.V3;
- RM10.351.44.V3;
- RM10.351.45.V2;
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- RM16.138.12.V1;
- RM16.138.14.V1;
- RM16.138.17.V1; and
- RM16.138.19.V1

3. This application relates to the following specific conditions of the resource consents:

- RM10.351.43.V3 – Condition 3 and Appendix I;
- RM10.351.44.V3 – Condition 3 and Appendix I;
- RM10.351.45.V2 – Condition 3 and Appendix I;
- RM10.351.46.V2 – Condition 3 and Appendix I;
- RM10.351.47.V3 – Condition 3 and Appendix I;
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- RM16.138.17.V1 – Condition 3 and Appendix I and
- RM16.138.19.V1 – Condition 2 and Appendix I.

Including any consequential changes.

4. The proposed change is as follows:

At Frasers Pit, Innes Mills Pit and Golden Point Pit:

- Variations to resource consents RM10.351.48.V3, RM10.351.50.V2, and RM10.351.51.V3 that provide for operational pit dewatering and diversion activities (discretionary activity);
- Variations to resource consents RM10.351.43.V3, RM10.351.44.V3, RM10.351.45.V2, RM10.351.46.V2, and RM10.351.47.V3 that provide for the creation of the Frasers and Innes Mills Pit Lakes (discretionary activity);

- A variation to resource consent RM10.351.49.V2 providing for the discharge of waste rock to land in Frasers and Innes Mills Pits (discretionary activity); and
- A variation to resource consent RM10.351.52.V3 providing for discharges to air from mining operations within the Frasers and Innes Mills Pits (discretionary activity).

At Coronation Pit:

- Variations to resource consents RM12.378.11, RM12.378.12 and RM12.378.14 provide for the creation of the Coronation Pit Lake (discretionary activity); and
- A variation to resource consent RM12.378.15 providing for discharges to air from mining operations associated with the Coronation Pit (discretionary activity).

At Coronation North Pit:

- Variations to resource consents RM16.138.06.V2, RM16.138.12.V1 and RM16.138.14.V1 RM16.138.17.V1 provide for the creation of the Coronation North Pit Lake (discretionary activity); and
- A variation to resource consent RM16.138.19.V1 providing for discharges to air from mining operations associated with the Coronation North Pit (discretionary activity).

For each of these consents, the proposed change is as follows:

- Changes to the conditions as set out in (3) above to update the reference documents to include this resource consent application and Assessment of Environmental Effects (“AEE”) its appendices that are relevant to the activity authorised by that consent;
- Changes to the plan appended to each consent; and
- Other administrative and consequential changes as necessary.

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- Further tailings disposal in the FTSF to support ore processing from the open pit extensions and other consented operations;
- Waste rock rehandling from a rehabilitated waste storage area to Golden Point Pit;
- A minor realignment of part of Golden Bar Road; and
- Activities associated with the mitigation, remediation, offsetting and compensation of the adverse effects of the above activities including establishment of the Murphys Ecological Enhancement Area.

A full description of the above activities is provided in the attached Assessment of Environmental Effects (“**AEE**”).

3. The site at which the proposed activity is to occur is as follows:

- Macraes Gold Project, approximately 2.5km north-east from the intersection of Macraes-Dunback Road and Red Bank Road, Macraes Flat, Otago, within the area of OceanaGold mining/exploration permit MP41064;
- Land within Frasers Tailings Storage Facility which is legally described as:
Section 4 SO 24124; Section 5 SO 24124; Lot 2 DP 21220; Section 36 Block II Highlay SD; Part Section 6, Block II Highlay SD; Part Section 8, Block II Highlay SD; Section 7, Block II Highlay SD; Section 22, Block II Highlay SD; Section 27, Block II Highlay SD; Section 28, Block II Highlay SD; Section 29, Block II Highlay SD; Section 30, Block II Highlay SD; Section 49, Block II Highlay SD; Part Lot 1 DP 21220; Section 10 SO 24927; Part Section 1 SO 23828; Section 2 SO 23828; Section 12 SO 331188; Section 15 SO 331188; Section 16 SO 331188; Section 4 SO 429137; Road Reserve;
- Land within Innes Mills Pit which is legally described as:
Part Section 6 Block II Highlay SD; Section 7 Block II Highlay SD; Section 19 SO 331188; Part Section 14 Block II Highlay SD; Sections 4-8 SO 331188; Part Section 8 Block II Highlay SD; Part Section 13 Block II Highlay SD; Sections 4 SO 459659; Part Section 16 Block II Highlay Survey District; Section 19-20 Survey Office Plan 459659; Part Section 15 Block II Highlay Survey District; Section 18 SO 459659; Road Reserve;
- Land within Coronation Stage 6 Pit which is legally described as:
Part Section 2 Block V Highlay SD; Lot 1 DP 465577; Part Section 2 Block VII Highlay SD; Part Section 11 Block VII Highlay SD;
- Land within Coronation North Backfill which is legally described as:
Part Section 2 Block V Highlay SD;
- Land within Coronation Haul Road – Pit to Processing Plant which is legally described as:
Part Pt Section 2 Block V Highlay SD; Part Section 2 Block VII Highlay SD; Part Pt Sections 11 and 12 Block VII Highlay SD; Lot 3-4, 8 Deposited Plan 465577; Part Section 10 Block XII Rock & Pillar Survey District.
- Land within Golden Point Backfill which is legally described as:
Section 29 SO 459659; Part Section 19 Block IX Highlay SD; Part Section 2 SO 23079;
- Land within Northern Gully Waste Rock Rehandle which is legally described as:

Section 23, 37-44 Block II Highlay Survey District; Part Section 25 Block II Highlay Survey District; Section 5-6 Survey Office Plan 429137; Section 1-2 Survey Office Plan 625; Section 45 Block II Highlay Survey District; Section 46 Block II Highlay Survey District; Lot 4 and Lot 5 Deposited Plan 21220; Section 35 Block II Highlay Survey District; Section 36 Block II Highlay Survey District; Part Section 29 Survey Office Plan 459659;

- Land within Golden Bar Extension Pit which is legally described as:
Section 8 and Section 22 Block V Dunback Survey District; Section 1-4 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 1, Section 3 and Section 6 Block IX Dunback Survey District; Section 4 Block IX Dunback SD; Section 26 and Section 28 Block V Dunback SD; Section 10 Block V Dunback SD; Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District;
- Land within Golden Bar Waste Rock Stock which is legally described as:
Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District;
- Land within Golden Bar Haul Road – Pit to Processing Plant which is legally described as:
Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District.
- Land within Murphys Ecological Enhancement Area which is legally described as:
Part Section 7 Block VIII Dunback Survey District; Section 8 Block VIII Dunback Survey District.

4. There are no other activities that are part of the proposal to which the application relates.

5. The following additional resource consents are needed for the proposal to which this application relates and have been applied for:

- A land use consent from Waitaki District Council (non-complying activity) to authorise mining activities.
- The following new resource consents from the Otago Regional Council:
 - Discharge Permits;
 - Water Permits; and

- Land use consents.

As described in the attached AEE.

- Changes to the conditions of the following Otago Regional Council resource consents:
 - RM10.351.43.V3;
 - RM10.351.44.V3;
 - RM10.351.45.V2;
 - RM10.351.46.V2;
 - RM10.351.47.V3;
 - RM10.351.48.V3;
 - RM10.351.49.V2;
 - RM10.351.50.V2;
 - RM10.351.51.V3;
 - RM10.351.52.V3;
 - RM12.378.11;
 - RM12.378.12;
 - RM12.378.14;
 - RM12.378.15;
 - RM16.138.06.V2;
 - RM16.138.12.V1;
 - RM16.138.14.V1;
 - RM16.138.17.V1; and
 - RM16.138.19.V1.

6. I attach an assessment of the proposed activity's effect on the environment that—

- (a) includes the information required by clause 6 of Schedule 4 of the Resource Management Act 1991; and
- (b) addresses the matters specified in clause 7 of Schedule 4 of the Resource Management Act 1991; and
- (c) includes such detail as corresponds with the scale and significance of the effects that the activity may have on the environment.

7. I attach an assessment of the proposed activity against the matters set out in Part 2 of the Resource Management Act 1991.
8. I attach an assessment of the proposed activity against any relevant provisions of a document referred to in section 104(1)(b) of the Resource Management Act 1991, including the information required by clause 2(2) of Schedule 4 of that Act.
9. I attach the following further information required to be included in this application by the district plan, the regional plan, the Resource Management Act 1991, or any regulations made under that Act:
- Assessment of Environmental Effects;
 - Records of Title; and
 - Appendices 2 – 34.

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