

RATES AND INDEXING OF DUES, RENTS, ROYALTIES AND FEES JANUARY 1, 2024

NOTICE

Pursuant to section 83.3 of the [Financial Administration Act](#) (CQLR, chapter A-6.001), these fees are indexed automatically every year on January 1 to reflect the annual change in the Consumer Price Index for Québec. The indexation factor for this year is set at 5.08%*. In accordance with section 83.6 of the [Financial Administration Act](#), the Minister of Natural Resources and Forests hereby publishes the 2024 indexation for fees set under the [Regulation respecting mineral substances other than petroleum, natural gas and brine](#) (CQLR, chapter M-13.1, r. 2).

Accordingly, the fees as of January 1, 2024, are as shown below.

* “ Indexing of the parameters of the personal income tax system, social assistance benefits and certain government fees for the 2024 tax year ” published on the website of the [Ministère des Finances](#), as well as in the press release issued on November 7, 2023.

MINING EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES

Section of regulation	Description	Specification	Fees as of January 1, 2024
8	Map designation: Registration fee per claim North of the 52nd degree of latitude From 1 to 150 claims	< 25 ha 25 to 45 ha > 45 to 50 ha > 50 ha	\$39.50 \$142.00 \$160.00 \$179.00
	More than 150 claims		5 times the amount per-claim
	Map designation: Registration fee per claim South of the 52nd degree of latitude From 1 to 40 claims More than 40 claims	< 25 ha 25 to 100 ha > 100 ha	\$39.50 \$77.00 \$117.00
			5 times the per-claim amounts
10	Renewal fees per claim North of the 52nd degree of latitude	< 25 ha 25 to 45 ha > 45 to 50 ha > 50 ha	\$39.50 \$142.00 \$160.00 \$179.00
	Renewal fees per claim South of the 52nd degree of latitude	< 25 ha 25 to 100 ha > 100 ha	\$39.50 \$77.00 \$117.00
128	Fee for registration in the public register of real and immovable mining rights	Per mining right Maximum per deed	\$21.90 \$1 779.00
129	Duties payable for taking part in a drawing	Per application for authorization Per mining right (other cases)	\$179.00 \$179.00

RESEARCH IN THE PUBLIC REGISTER OF REAL AND IMMOVABLE MINING RIGHTS

Section of regulation	Service	Specification	Fee as of January 1, 2024
130.1, ss. 1	Mining title research fee	Hourly (minimum 30 minutes)	\$70.50
130.1, ss. 2	Fee for copies of documents	Per page	\$0.30
130.1, ss. 3	Fee for shipping and handling of documents		\$26.00
130.1, ss. 4	Management fee for handling and shipping of documents that are accessible in the public register of real and immovable mining rights		\$129.00