

ORDER**SECTION 35, THE MINING ACT, R.S.O. 1990****ORDER NO. W-K-32/19**

The SURFACE RIGHTS and MINING RIGHTS of the area outlined in red on the attached sketch and associated provincial grid cells referenced in the attached Appendix A, situated in the Big Island Lake Area, in the Kenora Mining Division, containing 1473 hectares more or less, are hereby WITHDRAWN from prospecting, mining claim registration, sale or lease.

This area is withdrawn as having been identified by the Ministry of Indigenous Affairs (IAO) as lands identified for the purposes of Lake of the Woods flooding claims negotiations. If any of the withdrawn lands within this area cease to be required for the purposes of settlement, they will be reopened for mining claim registration.

Saving, excepting and reserving hereto and herefrom, all other lands patented, sold, leased or otherwise alienated by the Crown at the date of this Order.

Any alienated lands lying within the limits of this withdrawn area that revert to the Crown subsequent to the date of this Order will automatically be considered to be withdrawn as part of this Order. ¹

This Order comes into effect upon signing:

DATE: Dec 2, 2019

Originally signed by Christine Kaszycki
Christine Kaszycki, Assistant Deputy Minister
Mines and Minerals Division

TIME: 5:46 pm

Copies:

Senior Manager, Mining Lands Section, ENDM, Sudbury
Provincial Mining Recorder, ENDM, Sudbury
Provincial Lands Specialist – CLR
Director, Indigenous Consultation and Partnerships Branch
RLUG – Thunder Bay

¹ IAO has requested that a variety of Crown lands identified in northwestern Ontario be withdrawn to prevent mineral claim registration in this area to facilitate negotiations for Lake of the Woods (LOTW) flooding claims.

The lands withdrawn include only those identified for the purposes of negotiation, however any areas no longer required as part of the final land claim settlement will be reopened for mineral claim registration.

The withdrawal only applies to available Crown lands and does not apply to anyone with an existing mineral interest.

W-K-32/19
Big Island Area
Kenora Mining Division

