



PERMIT UNDER THE WATER ACT AUTHORIZING THE OCCUPATION OF CROWN LAND

Highmont Mining Corporation Ltd., (N.P.L.) of 812 - 1177 West Hastings Street,
Vancouver 1, B. C.

the holder(s) of Conditional/~~Final~~ Water Licence(s) 36809
the diversion of water from Thompson River

authorizing

is/are hereby

authorized to occupy Crown land by constructing, maintaining, and operating thereon the works authorized under the said water licence and any licences which may be issued in substitution thereof.

(a) The Crown land which is authorized to be occupied under this permit is a portion of Legal Subdivisions 8 & 9, Frac. Section 30; Legal Subdivision 5 & North $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 29; North $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 28; South West $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 27, North West $\frac{1}{4}$ Frac. Section 23; Legal Subdivision 2 & South West $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 26; South East $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 25, Township 18, Range 24, West 6th Meridian; South West $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 30; South East $\frac{1}{4}$ Frac. Section 10, Frac. North $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 2; Frac. North $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 1, Township 18, Range 23, West 6th Meridian; Frac. Section 6, Township 18, Range 22, West 6th Meridian; Legal Subdivisions 8,9,16 of Frac. Section 31; & South West $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 32, Township 17, Range 22, West 6th Meridian; & unsurveyed land, K.D.Y.D., the location of which is shown approximately on the plan attached to the said water licence.

(b) The approximate dimensions of the Crown land authorized to be occupied under this permit are
18.5 miles in length and 40 feet in width, having an area of 89.6 acres.

(c) Subject to the payment of royalty, stumpage, and other compensation as provided under Condition 5, the permittee is authorized to cut and remove from the said land any timber the removal of which is necessary to permit construction and maintenance of the said works.

(d) The annual rental for this permit is \$90.00, which is subject to review and revision at any time at the discretion of the Crown.

(e) This permit is appurtenant to the land to which the aforesaid water licence is appurtenant.

(f) The conditions relative to the rights granted under this permit are printed on the back of this form.


Deputy Minister of Lands.

File No. 0296265

Ref. Map 92 I/NW (A-5)
92 I/SW(F-6)

W.R. Map 301

Date issued: 1st March, 1971

Permit No. 7888

**CONDITIONS RELATIVE TO THE RIGHTS GRANTED
UNDER THIS PERMIT**

1. This permit is issued under the *Water Act*, and the rights hereby granted are subject at all times to the provisions of that Act and all Acts passed in amendment or substitution thereof and to all regulations from time to time made under any such Act.

2. There is reserved to the Crown the right to grant to other persons permits to occupy the land affected by this permit without compensation to the permittee or his successors in title.

3. In the event of any dispute arising at any time between the permittee and any owner of land adjacent to the land affected by this permit with respect to the area or boundaries of the land so affected, the licensee shall at his own expense, when so directed by the Deputy Minister of Lands, have the said land surveyed by a duly qualified surveyor, and shall likewise file with the Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources at Victoria, British Columbia, a plan showing the result of the survey.

4. This permit and the rights granted hereunder are subject always to compliance by the permittee with the terms of his water licence, and if the rights granted under the said licence should at any time be suspended or terminated the rights granted under this permit are thereupon likewise suspended or terminated.

5. The amount of stumpage, royalty, and (or) compensation payable to the Crown by the permittee in respect of trees, including merchantable or young growth, cut, removed, damaged, or destroyed by the permittee, shall be the sum or sums fixed by the Forest Service of the Province of British Columbia.