

**THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 3RD OCTOBER, 1998**  
**LEGAL SUPPLEMENT – B**

GUYANA

No. 7 of 1998

**REGULATIONS**  
**MADE UNDER**  
**THE MINING ACT**  
(No. 20 of 1989)

**IN EXERCISE OF THE POWER CONFERRED UPON ME BY SECTION 136 OF THE MINING ACT, I HEREBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS:—**

1. These Regulations which amend the Mining Regulations, may be cited as the **Mining (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1998**.

Citation

2. Regulation 3(1) of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the deletion of the full stop and insertion of the words "and every reference to an exclusive permission in these regulations shall be read and construed as if it includes a reference to a prospecting licence relating to large scale operations".

**Amend-**  
**ment of**  
**regulation**  
**3 of the**  
**Principal**  
**Regula-**  
**tions.**

3. Regulation 13(2) of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "a distance no greater than 300 feet from" and the substitution of the full stop at the end with a comma and the insertion of the words "and a buffer zone of sixty-six feet on either side shall be provided for the purposes of ingress and egress to and from the river".

**Amend-**  
**ment of**  
**regulation**  
**13 of the**  
**Principal**  
**Regula-**  
**tions.**

4. Regulation 18 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution of the words "three successive Saturdays" by the words "one Saturday".

**Amend-**  
**ment of**  
**regulation**  
**18 of the**  
**Principal**  
**Regula-**  
**tions.**

5. Regulation 26(4) of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution of the words "three successive Saturdays" by the words "one Saturday".

**Amend-**  
**ment of**  
**regulation**  
**26 of the**  
**Principal**  
**Regula-**  
**tions.**

Amendment of regulation 38 of the Principal Regulations.

6. Regulation 38 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution therefor of the following Regulation —

“38 (1) Before any prospecting licence is granted the Commissioner shall on behalf of the intended grantee publish a notice of the intention to grant such prospecting licence in the GAZETTE for one Saturday.

(2) Any person who claims that he has any right or interest in respect of the area granted which will be injuriously affected by the grant of a prospecting licence may, within twenty-one days after publication of the advertisement, lodge with the Commissioner a petition objecting to the grant of the licence.

Amendment of regulation 42 of the Principal Regulations.

7. Regulation 42(6) of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution of the words “three successive Saturdays” by the words “one Saturday”.

Amendment of regulation 44 of the Principal Regulations.

8. Regulation 44(1) of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) by the insertion after the word “publish” of the words “on behalf of the intended grantee; and

(b) by the substitution of the words “three successive Saturdays” by the words “one Saturday”.

Amendment of regulation 50 of the Principal Regulations.

9. Regulation 50(2) is hereby amended by the substitution for the words “three consecutive Saturdays” by the words “one Saturday.”

Made this 14th day of September, 1998.

*Samuel Hinds,*  
Prime Minister