

LEGISLATIVE RETURN

SUBMITTED BY: Hon. Ranj Pillai



- 1. On March 22, 2018, Mr. Scott Kent
    - asked the following oral question at page(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of *Hansard*
    - submitted the following written question – WQ No. 23
    - gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. \_\_\_\_\_
- RE: Land withdrawals and staking bans within Yukon.

OR

- 2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion related to: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 on \_\_\_\_\_ at page(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

In response to Written Question No. 23, please find attached a table listing current prohibition orders under the *Quartz Mining Act* and *Placer Mining Act* as of April 12, 2018.

The total area of current prohibition orders under the *Quartz Mining Act* and the *Placer Mining Act* in Yukon is 225,492 square kilometres. The total area of Yukon is 482,443 square kilometres which translates to 46.7 per cent of Yukon's land area is under active quartz and placer Orders-in-Council that prohibit mineral staking.

Please note there is some overlap between the current prohibition orders, therefore the total area of land under prohibition in Yukon cannot be calculated by adding all of the individual withdrawal areas. The above calculation takes into account the overlaps and reflects the total area of active prohibition orders.

Date April 24/2018

Signature Ranj Pillai

List of Current Prohibition Orders -Quartz Mining Act and Placer Mining Act (as of April 12, 2018)

Order No.	Title/Location	Effective Date	Total Area of the Land Withdrawn	Expiration Date
O.I.C. 2003/48	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory, (2001, No. 02, Fishing Branch Wilderness Preserve, Y.T.)	4/1/2003	5215.2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/49	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory, (2001, No. 01 Fishing Branch Ecological Reserve, Y.T.)	4/1/2003	169.7	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/82	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1991, No. 4 (Coal Springs Territorial Park)	4/1/2003	15.7	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/83	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1991, No. 5 (Moosehide Trail Historic Site)	4/1/2003	4.5	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/85	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1995, No. 5 (VGFN Settlement Land)	4/1/2003	7.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/86	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1995, No. 7 (Squanga Lake Airfield)	4/1/2003	0.6	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/87	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1995, No. 8 (Maya, Beaver Creek & Haines Junction Airports)	4/1/2003	6.6	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/88	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1996, No. 4 (Beaver Creek Lot)	4/1/2003	0.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/89	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1996, No. 12 (Carmacks Airport)	4/1/2003	1.6	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/90	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1997, No. 4 (Braeburn Airstrip)	4/1/2003	1.2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/91	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands Order (1997-No. 11, Rampart House Historic Site)	4/1/2003	0.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/92	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands (1998-No. 2, Lapierre House Historic Site)	4/1/2003	0	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/93	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands (1998-No. 1, Kluaene National Park Reserve)	4/1/2003	16182.9	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/94	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (1999, No. 3) (Teslin and Pine Lake Flight Strip)	4/1/2003	2.6	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/102	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (2001, No. 3, Yukon Airports Lands at Dawson City, Ross River, Burwash Landing and Old Crow, Y.T.)	4/1/2003	10.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/145	Yukon Placer Mining Prohibition Order, 1970 (Lands Required for a National Historic Park)	4/1/2003	0.8	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/146	Prohibition of Entry and Withdrawal of Lands from Disposal Order, 1973 (Placer Historical Reserve)	4/1/2003	2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/147	Placer Mining Prohibition Order, 1979 (Bear Creek National Historic Site)	4/1/2003	0.2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2003/149	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands Order, 1989, No. 3 (Bear Creek National Historic Site)	4/1/2003	0.3	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2004/204	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (Tombstone Territorial Park, Yukon)	10/22/2004	2047.4	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/40	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (Kusawa Park)	3/30/2005	3071.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/47	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (Canyon City)	3/30/2005	0.2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/48	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in the Yukon Territory (Lewes Marsh Habitat Protection Area)	3/30/2005	20.4	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/142	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Asi Keyl Natural Environment Park)	9/1/2005	2950.2	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/144	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Fort Selkirk Historic Site)	9/1/2005	1.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/224	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Conrad Historic Site)	12/15/2005	0.03	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/225	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Tagish North West Mounted Police Historic Site)	12/15/2005	0.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2005/226	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Tagish River Habitat Protection Area)	12/15/2005	5	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2006/163	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation)	8/15/2006	0.4	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/164	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Trondëk Hwëch' in First Nation)	8/15/2006	1.4	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/165	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Teslin Tlingit Council)	8/15/2006	0.8	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/167	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Ta'an Kwach'an Council)	8/15/2006	0.2	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/169	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Little Salmon/Carmacks First Nation)	8/15/2006	0.3	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/171	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Champagne and Aishihik First Nations)	8/15/2006	2.5	Register Survey
O.I.C. 2006/173	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands at Clinton Creek	8/15/2006	9.3	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2006/205	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands at Mount Nansen	11/27/2006	11.8	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2007/211	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Horseshoe Slough Habitat Protection Area)	1/1/2008	87.7	12/31/2017
O.I.C. 2017/203	- amended	12/8/2017		No Expiry
O.I.C. 2007/213	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Lot 1498, Quad 105 D/14)	12/14/2007	0.8	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2008/134	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Forty Mile, Fort Cudahy and Fort Constantine)	10/2/2008	0.5	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2008/135	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Tr'o-ju-wech'in Heritage Site)	10/2/2008	0.8	No Expiry

O.I.C. 2008/168	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands at Faro Mine Complex Order	11/21/2008	182.9	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2010/48	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Yukon North Slope) Order	3/11/2010	8503.4	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2010/49	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Summit Lake - Bell River Area)	3/11/2010	1526.2	6/29/2018
O.I.C. 2014/119	- amended	6/18/2014		
O.I.C. 2010/50	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Old Crow Flats Core Wetland) Order	3/11/2010	533.3	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2010/51	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Old Crow Flats Remainder) Order	3/11/2010	3228.6	8/14/2026
O.I.C. 2010/52	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Whitefish Wetlands)	3/11/2010	460	6/29/2018
O.I.C. 2014/120	- amended	6/18/2014		
O.I.C. 2011/131	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Ddhaw Ghro Habitat Protection Area)	9/1/2011	1610.2	8/31/2019
O.I.C. 2016/131	- amended	7/18/2016		
O.I.C. 2011/132	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Devil's Elbow Habitat Protection Area and Big Island Habitat Protection Area)	8/29/2011	81	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2011/133	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Luard First Nation)	9/1/2011	33	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2016/132	- amended	7/18/2016		
O.I.C. 2012/135	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Wellgreen Mill Site) Order	7/5/2012	0.4	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2012/145	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (City of Whitehorse) Order	7/19/2012	313.1	7/19/2022
O.I.C. 2017/124	- amended	7/14/2017		
O.I.C. 2013/59	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Luard First Nation)	4/1/2013	4357.9	7/15/2018
O.I.C. 2015/47	- amended	3/12/2015		
O.I.C. 2015/161	- amended	7/30/2015		
O.I.C. 2017/52	- amended	3/17/2017		
O.I.C. 2017/168	- amended	9/28/2017		
O.I.C. 2013/60	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Ross River Dena Council)	4/1/2013	4787.1	7/15/2018
O.I.C. 2015/48	- amended	3/12/2015		
O.I.C. 2017/53	- amended	3/17/2017		
O.I.C. 2017/169	- amended	9/28/2017		
O.I.C. 2013/61	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (White River First Nation)	4/1/2013	529.1	
O.I.C. 2015/49	- amended	3/12/2015		
O.I.C. 2016/34	- amended	3/14/2016		
O.I.C. 2017/54	- amended	3/17/2017		
O.I.C. 2017/170	- amended	9/28/2017		
O.I.C. 2018/29	- amended	1/30/2018		
O.I.C. 2018/55	- amended	3/21/2018		4/1/2020
O.I.C. 2013/224	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Ross River Area) Order	12/27/2013	57416.7	
O.I.C. 2014/77	- amended	4/28/2014		
O.I.C. 2014/122	- amended	6/25/2014		
O.I.C. 2015/21	- amended	1/28/2015		
O.I.C. 2015/162	- amended	7/30/2015		
O.I.C. 2017/19	- amended	1/23/2017		
O.I.C. 2018/30	- amended	1/30/2018		7/31/2019
O.I.C. 2015/13	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Peel Watershed Planning Region)	1/9/2015	67282.4	
O.I.C. 2015/256	- amended	12/16/2015		
O.I.C. 2017/204	- amended	12/8/2017		1/1/2020
O.I.C. 2015/163	Order in Respect of Luard First Nation Settlement Land Selection Parcel R-137B	7/30/2015	98.9	7/30/2025
O.I.C. 2015/258	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (City of Dawson) Order	12/16/2015	37.7	12/15/2023

O.I.C. 2017/26	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (the Kaska asserted traditional territory outside the Ross River Area)	2/1/2017	4457.5	4/30/2018
O.I.C. 2017/83	- amended	4/28/2017		
O.I.C. 2017/150	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands (Venus Mine Tailings Site)	8/24/2017	0.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2017/189	Prohibition of Entry on Certain Lands (Kluane National Park Reserve) Order	11/10/2017	6.1	No Expiry
O.I.C. 2018/45	Order Prohibiting Entry on Certain Lands in Yukon (Ketza River Mine Site)	3/7/2018	156.2	No Expiry