

C. Will the Mining Operation Create a Pond? Yes No If Yes, please complete the following:

1. What will be the principal source of the water? Ground water Surface water runoff
2. Surface area of the pond: _____ acres Pond water depth: _____ feet
3. If the pond will have a dam or impounding structure, what will be its height above existing ground level?
 _____ feet
 - a. What is the size in acres of the upgradient watershed that will drain toward the proposed pond ?
 _____ acres
 - b. How much water will be impounded (held back) by the impounding structure?
 _____ million gallons
4. If the pond will have an outlet structure:
 - a. Type: _____
 - b. Located at or below existing ground level? Yes No
 - c. If above existing ground level, what height above? _____ feet
 - d. Where will the pond overflow discharge? _____
5. Maximum steepness of underwater slopes: _____ feet horizontal to _____ feet vertical
6. Does the local government prohibit a pond at the site? Yes No If no, is a local approval required to create a pond? Yes No

D. Verification

I certify that the information provided above is true to the best of my knowledge

Applicant or Sponsor Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

Part 2- Environmental Assessment (To be completed by Agency)

<p>A. Does Action exceed any Type I threshold in 6NYCRR Part 617.4? Yes No If yes, coordinate the review process and use the Full EAF</p>
<p>B. Will the action receive coordinated review as provided for unlisted actions in 6NYCRR Part 617.6? Yes No If no, a negative declaration may be superceded by another agency.</p>
<p>C. Will the project have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA) ? Yes No</p>
<p>D. Is there, or is there likely, to be controversy related to potential adverse environmental impacts? Yes No</p>
<p>E. If reclamation impounds water, will a dam safety permit be required? Yes No</p>

Part 3 - Determination of Significance (To be completed by Agency)

Instructions: For each adverse effect, determine whether it is substantial, large, important or otherwise significant. Each effect should be assessed in connection with its (a) setting (i.e. urban or rural); (b) probability of occurring; (c) duration; (d) irreversibility; (e) geographic scope; and (f) magnitude. If necessary, add attachments or reference supporting materials. Ensure that explanations contain sufficient detail to show that all relevant adverse impacts have been identified and adequately addressed. If question C of Part 2 was checked “yes”, the determination and significance must evaluate the potential impact of the proposed impact of the action on the environmental characteristics of the CEA.

Check this box if you have identified one or more potentially large and significant adverse impacts which may occur. Then proceed directly to the FULL EAF and prepare a positive declaration.

Check this box if you have determined, based upon the information and analysis and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impact and attach a supporting negative declaration.

Name of Agency

Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency

Title of Responsible Officer

Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency

Date

Signature of Preparer (if different)