

# LEGISLATIVE RETURN



**SUBMITTED BY:** Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources

1. On April 28, 2022, Scott Kent, Member for Copperbelt South
- asked the following question during the Oral Question Period at page(s) [page numbers] of *Hansard*
  - submitted the following written question – WQ No. 24
  - gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. #

RE: value of claims exchanged for compensation

OR

2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion with [MLA] on [date] related to:

Bill No. #

Second Reading  Third Reading

Committee of the Whole: [Vote]

Motion No. #

RE: [subject]

at page(s) [page numbers] of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

The Government of Yukon offered eligible companies/individuals with mineral claims in the Peel Land Use Plan area an opportunity to voluntarily relinquish their mineral claims in exchange for non-financial compensation. Eligible claimholders have claims within a Conservation area in the Peel Land Use Plan area and also hold claims in other areas of the territory.

The primary compensation offered to claimholders was relief from annual assessment work on their claims in other parts of the territory. Public acknowledgement by the Government of Yukon of the individual or company as a good corporate citizen was also offered.

The amount of relief for claims outside of the Peel Land Use Plan area was based on the equivalent amount of work filed with the Mining Recorder on claims located in the Peel Land Use Plan area to keep claims in good standing. Acquisitions costs and valuation of mineral potential were not considered in the calculations.

24-Nov, 2022

Date

Signature