


NRC FORM 7 (02-2016) 10 CFR 110		U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION		APPROVED BY OMB: NO. 3150-0027		EXPIRES: 11/30/2018	
 <p align="center">APPLICATION FOR NRC EXPORT OR IMPORT LICENSE, AMENDMENT, RENEWAL, OR CONSENT REQUEST(S) (See Instructions on Pages 4 and 5)</p>				Estimated burden per response to comply with this mandatory collection request: 2.4 hours. This submittal is reviewed to ensure that the applicable statutory, regulatory, and policy considerations are satisfied. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the FOIA, Privacy, and Information Collections Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by e-mail to Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0027), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.			
				PART A. FOR NRC USE ONLY		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC OR <input type="checkbox"/> NON-PUBLIC	
LICENSE NUMBER XSOU8827/01		DOCKET NUMBER 11605966		ADAMS ACCESSION NUMBER			
PART B. TO BE COMPLETED FOR ALL LICENSES, AMENDMENTS, RENEWALS, OR CONSENT REQUESTS (If more space is needed to complete any of the items, use Pages 3-4 first, and then attach additional sheets, if necessary.)							
1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT/LICENSEE MP Mine Operations LLC HC1 Box 224 67750 Bailey Road Mountain Pass, CA 92366			1a. NAME OF APPLICANT'S CONTACT Peter Landi		1b. APPLICANT'S REFERENCE NUMBER Letter dated 8-14-17		
			1c. PHONE NUMBER (702) 370-5384		1d. FAX NUMBER (760) 270-9176		
			1e. E-MAIL ADDRESS plandi@mpmine.com				
2. TYPE OF ACTION REQUESTED (Check One)							
<input type="checkbox"/> EXPORT (Parts B, C, E)		<input type="checkbox"/> IMPORT (Parts B, D, E)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT/RENEWAL Current License Number: XSOU8827		<input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT REQUEST (Parts B, C) Current License Number:	
3. CONTRACT NUMBER(S)		4. FIRST SHIPMENT DATE		5. LAST SHIPMENT DATE		6. PROPOSED EXPIRATION DATE	
PART C. TO BE COMPLETED FOR EXPORT LICENSES, AMENDMENTS, OR RENEWALS (If more space is needed to complete any of the items, use Pages 3-4 first, and then attach additional sheets, if necessary.)							
7. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF SUPPLIERS AND/OR OTHER PARTIES TO THE EXPORT No change			8. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF INTERMEDIATE FOREIGN CONSIGNEE(S) No change			9. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF ULTIMATE FOREIGN CONSIGNEE(S) No change	
7a. FUNCTION(S) PERFORMED/SERVICE(S) PROVIDED			8a. INTERMEDIATE USE(S)			9a. ULTIMATE END USE(S)	
10. DESCRIPTION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, SEALED SOURCES, NUCLEAR FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, OR COMPONENTS; FOR NUCLEAR EQUIPMENT INCLUDE TOTAL DOLLAR VALUE OF EQUIPMENT FOR EXPORT No change				10a. MAX TOTAL VOLUME / ELEMENT WGT (KG), OR TOTAL ACTIVITY (TBq) No change		10b. MAX ENRICHMENT OR WGT % No change	10c. MAX ISOTOPE WGT (KG) No change
11. FOREIGN OBLIGATIONS (BY COUNTRY AND BY PERCENTAGE OF MAXIMUM TOTAL VOLUME) No Change							

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PART D. TO BE COMPLETED FOR IMPORT LICENSES, AMENDMENTS, OR RENEWALS
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12. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF FOREIGN SUPPLIERS AND/OR OTHER PARTIES TO IMPORT	13. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF INTERMEDIATE CONSIGNEE(S)	14. NAME(S) / ADDRESS(ES) OF ULTIMATE U. S. CONSIGNEE(S)	
12a. NRC EXPORT LICENSE NUMBER(S) <i>(if applicable)</i>	13a. LICENSE NUMBER(S) / EXPIRATION DATE(S)	14a. LICENSE NUMBER(S) / EXPIRATION DATE(S)	
	13b. INTERMEDIATE USE(S)	14b. ULTIMATE END USE(S)	
15. DESCRIPTION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, SEALED SOURCES, NUCLEAR FACILITIES	15a. MAX TOTAL VOLUME / ELEMENT WGT (KG), OR TOTAL ACTIVITY (TBq)	15b. MAX ENRICHMENT OR WGT %	15c. MAX ISOTOPE WGT (KG)
16. FOREIGN OBLIGATIONS (BY COUNTRY AND BY PERCENTAGE OF MAXIMUM TOTAL VOLUME)			

PART E. TO BE COMPLETED FOR ALL LICENSES, AMENDMENTS, RENEWALS OR CONSENT REQUEST(S)

17. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PROVIDED ON PAGES 3, 4, AND/OR ON SEPARATE SHEETS? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	17a. COPIES OF RECIPIENTS' AUTHORIZATIONS PROVIDED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
18. CERTIFICATION: I, the applicant's authorized official, hereby certify that this application is prepared in conformity with Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, and that all information provided is correct to the best of my knowledge.		
18a. PRINT NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL Michael Rosenthal, Interim Executive Vice President	18b. SIGNATURE – AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL 	18c. DATE <i>14-Aug-2017</i>

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Reference applicable block numbers from page 1 and/or page 2 for each entry)

MP Mine Operations LLC purchased the Mountain Pass rare earth mine and processing facility from Molycorp Minerals, LLC on July 11, 2017. MP Mine Operations intends to restart operations at Mountain Pass. Molycorp Minerals, LLC, which is in bankruptcy, will likely be wound down as a company and will no longer operate in the rare earth industry. Please see attached the purchase agreement evidencing the sale.

We respectfully request that NRC license XSOU8827 be transferred

From:

Molycorp Minerals, LLC
HC1 Box 224
67750 Bailey Road
Mountain Pass, CA 92366

To:

MP Mine Operations LLC
HC1 Box 224
67750 Bailey Road
Mountain Pass, CA 92366

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Michael Rosenthal
Chairman and Interim Executive Vice
President
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August 14, 2017

Deputy Director - Office of International Programs
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Re: Amendment to NRC Export Licenses XSOU8707 and XSOU8827

Enclosed are two applications for the amendment of export licenses XSOU8707 and XSOU8827. Also enclosed are two credit card authorization forms for \$1,300 for each license amendment.

As disclosed in the amendment applications, the Mountain Pass rare earth facility was purchased by MP Mine Operations LLC, and we respectfully request that the Applicant / Licensee on both licenses be transferred

From:
Molycorp Minerals LLC
HC1 Box 224
67750 Bailey Road
Mountain Pass, CA 92366

To:
MP Mine Operations LLC
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Mountain Pass, CA 92366

While we have updated the contact person on the licenses, the corporate address and other information on the licenses remains unchanged. As evidence of the sale, we have included a copy of a news article covering the sale and a copy of the sale agreement between Molycorp Minerals LLC and MP Mine Operations LLC.

Molycorp Minerals, LLC, which is currently in bankruptcy, will likely be wound down as a company and will no longer operate in the rare earth industry. MP Mine Operations LLC intends to restart the Mountain Pass rare earth facility to produce rare earth products.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Warm regards,



Michael Rosenthal
Interim Executive Vice President
MP Mine Operations LLC