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Tēnā koe Augusta

Thank you for your request to the Department of Conservation (DOC), received on 26 March 2025, in which you asked for:

'A timeline of all the permits, consents and permissions that Heritage Mining then New Talisman Gold Mines Limited has acquired for the permit that they currently hold (MP#51326) at Karangahake.

In the interests of ensuring that I have not missed anything, can you please provide me with a table with the dates and title of any permit, consent, permission or other authority granted to the company to explore, mine or bulk sample for minerals in this permit area?'

We have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the OIA).

On 7 April 2025, following contact from DOC, you clarified that you were comfortable receiving the information available from 2013 onward and would also appreciate the opportunity to review any background material that has been compiled in relation to the request, as this would provide helpful context for the information released.

Please find the information requested in the table below.

Item	Date	Document description	Decision
1	April 2025	Background and timeline for New Talisman's permissions NZPM ID 51326	Released in full

Please note that this letter (with your personal details removed) and attached documents may be published on DOC's website.

Nāku noa, nā

Phillippa Fox

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Te Papa Atawhai

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