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**ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATRUAL RESOURCES**

**OFFICE OF MINES AND MINERALS – LAND RECLAMATION DIVISION**

**YEARLY REVEGETATION REPORT**

**COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MINE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ PERMIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**PIT NAME/NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ SUBMITTAL DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ YEAR REPORTED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ AMENDED:** YES OR NO (circle one)

**Section 1: Fish and Wildlife Herbaceous, Fish and Wildlife Wetland, and Pasture Post-Mining Land Uses**

Permittees should note that the **applicable period of responsibility for these areas does not begin until the** **approved permanent species** have been seeded, therefore **only the year of permanent seeding** and the years of any augmentation should be reported on this form.

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| **Tract/Field No.** | **Acres** | **Year of Permanent Seeding** | **PMLU & CapabilityA** | **Augmentation Activity TypeB** |
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A See Operator Memorandum No. 2017-04 for acceptable PMLU and Capability codes

BExamples include herbaceous ground cover kills to eradicate invasive species and subsequent re-seeding and other Department determined activities

**Section 2: Fish and Wildlife Woody and Forest Post-Mining Land Uses**

Permittees should note that seeding of the approved permanent herbaceous ground cover should be reported, however the **period of responsibility will not begin until tree planting is reported** on this form. Woody and forest areas will have a reporting year for the planting of permanent herbaceous cover and a reporting year for the initial tree planting.

The Department understands that, in some instances, delay of tree planting will be necessary. **The permittee shall submit an official request for an extension to the Department the year planting is due as an attachment with the previous calendar year SCML 4 form.** For example, if tree planting is due in 2018 the extension request should be submitted in February 2018 with the 2017 calendar year SCML-4.

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| **Tract/Field No.** | **Acres** | **Year of Final Grade** | **PMLU & CapabilityA** | **Year of Permanent Herbaceous Seeding** | **Year of Original Tree PlantingB** | **Spacing / Rate per Acre** | **40% Exfoliating Bark for PEP? Y or NC** | **No. of Trees Re-planted and % Re-plantedD** |
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B If an extension to the 2-yr planting requirement is requested indicate “Extension Requested” and attach a justification for the request

C Did the planting mix require 40% exfoliating bark tree species to meet a bat Protection and Enhancement Plan? Indicate Yes or No

D Re-planting is limited to 20% the 1st year and 10% the 2nd year, any re-planting after the 2nd year is augmentation and will re-start the responsibility period

**Section 3: Cropland Post-Mining Land Use**

Permittees should note that the **applicable period of responsibility for these areas begins the year of final grading**.

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| **Tract/Field No.** | **Acres** | **Year of Final Grade** | **CapabilityA** | **Augmentation Activity TypeB** |
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BAs determined by the Department on a case by case basis