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JUN 22 1953

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2920 Potomac Avenue
Los Angeles 16, California

Re: Docket No. DMEA-1649 - Mica
Clark County, Nevada

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Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

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Mr. Larrabee, G-232 GSA Bldg.
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Mr Douglas McKay
Secretary of the Interior

RE: DMA 1649-X

Dear Sir

I just heard the President of the united states making a speech at 33rd convention of the Junior Chambers of commerce
he mentioned mica amongst other things that are vitle to the national Defence. would you be kind enough to Re Use file number. boxed at top
thank you

I am sincerely yours

Murdock G. allen
2920 potomac ave
Los angeles 16 Calif

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Mr. Murdock G. Allen
2920 Potomac Avenue
Los Angeles 16, California

OCT 5 1951

Re: DMA-1649-X

Dear Mr. Allen:

Replying to your letter of September 23, we regret that under existing legislation and regulations pursuant thereto we are unable to render assistance to a prospecting project such as you propose.

To qualify for assistance under the present Exploration Aid Program it is necessary that the applicant supply proof of ownership or valid lease on a property, and present a sound geologic basis to justify a definite exploratory project.

Sincerely yours,

S.B. Parsons

S.G. 10-5

for Director, Supply Division

RWASKEY:vwm
10-3-51

cc: Field Team, Region III (2)
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Mr. Lyon
Mr. Barr

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DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

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Check (X) before the items needing attention.

J. Fyon
Initials of sender.

GPO 16—63815-1

Los angeles
September 23-51

Mr tom Lyon
Washington D C

Dear sir

I get your letter of sept 13-51 upon my return from my fifth trip to nevada.
upon reaching nevada I went to bolder city tried to get help and Information I got none. before I got to nevada I called on the marine base at Barstow asked about Inflatable Sockets such as SVP a craft that would travel on land and water one of these things would com handy for transportation supplies food and the mica from the mine to the lake then rail Road. I was informed that the department of Interior had som of them on lake mead.
when I got to bolder city and asked about some I was told that they have been sent down to parker dam and are not available for my use. that I should go to national park service and see what they have in that line. I went to mr Boggley office but he had left the office for the day so I talked with one officer there in the office about possibility of mining up near the great wash I was informed that I could not mine in the national park with out Congress Changing the law so I went to the lake

at Overton there I sent a Telegram to reno to see if they wanted to send somebody with me I got a reply that there was no examination scheduled your your property at Johnson I could do very little alone as my health would not permit one to climb these hills with out some transportation to travel me up there.

I have sent in sample of the mica also smelter assay on the copper I also stated in my previous letter that I had claims on the property in (1924) but haven't been there since because the government took the property off the market at that time and no mining was to be done in that territory. but on my recent trip I found several mines operating or have been recently very close to the lake? why can they mine and I have to have the constitution of the united states to allow me to do what others are doing I am american just as they are.

am enclosing a letter from a doctor stewart whom have been taking care of me since 1942 for heart ailment and I am still willing to sacrifice my life for my country but my country must help me with few dollars in order that I could get the mica & copper that are very much in need

its too bad that I have but one life to sacrifice for my country but my country would spend a million to help me do so

I have expended all the time and health I can spare at the time to put the stuff where it would do the most good but I cant do it alone if I had one of these LSVP about twenty five feet long that runs on Caterpeler tracks on land & water and little money I might be able to make a start. but if you and the Government do not see that I should have that much help then there is not much I can do at this time

thanking you & Every one Ele for past and present favours

I Remain
Respectfully yours

Murdock G allen
2920 Potomac ave
Los angeles. 16. Calif

if you ever in Los angeles I hope to have the honor of seeing you I have much to show you

tank you

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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G.E.P.

Mr. Murdock G. Allen
2920 Potomac Avenue
Los Angeles 16, California

Re: DMA-1649-X
Mica

Dear Mr. Allen:

Your application for aid for an exploration project on Mica deposit located in Clark County, Nevada, and docketed as DMA-1649-X, has been reviewed by this office.

Projects approved by the Defense Minerals Administration must, in its judgment, show definite promise of yielding material of acceptable grade, physical character and specifications, in quantities that will significantly improve the mineral supply position for National Defense.

A very careful study of your proposal revealed the following:

1. No sound geologic basis to justify the project has been demonstrated.

2. No ownership of or lease on property has been established.

Under these circumstances, your application for exploration aid to the extent of 90% of $100,000 is denied. Should additional information become available, we would be glad to have you resubmit your proposal for consideration.

Unless we receive a request within 30 days we will consider the case closed.

Sincerely yours,

J F9-13

Tom Lyon

Tom Lyon, Director
Supply Division

RWASKEY:esf
9/11/51
cc: Field Team, Region III (2)
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Mr. Lyon
Mr. Barr

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

UNITED STATES
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DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Memorandum

A. E. C. —

To: Reports and Records Unit, DMA

From: Chief, Industrial Minerals Branch, DMA

Subject: DMA-1649-X. Commodity: Mica
Mr. Murdock G. Allen

Denial recommended because:

1. No sound geologic basis to justify the project has been established.

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Attached:

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2. Ltr dated June 15 from Mr. Strobel to Mr. Allen acknowledging receipt of application and attachments.

3. Copy of ltr dated June 20 to applicant advising application referred to Field Team.

James A. Barr

James A. Barr, Sr.

Approved:

Tom Lyon

Director, Supply Division

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~~BUREAU OF MINES~~
~~REGION III~~
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

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~~630 SANSOME STREET~~
~~SAN FRANCISCO 11, CALIF.~~

OFFICE OF
~~REGIONAL DIRECTOR~~
Executive Officer
DMA Field Team
Region III

September 5, 1951

Memorandum

To: Tom Lyon, Chairman, Coordinating Committee, Defense Minerals Administration, Washington, D.C.

From: Executive Officer, DMA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMA-1649X - Mica - $100,000
Murdock G. Allen, 2920 Potomac Ave., Los Angeles 16, California.

Reference is made to your subject "Review of Application for Exploration Assistance", dated June 26, 1951.

On August 15, Mr. John D. Warne, Mining Engineer, U. S. Bureau of Mines, Reno, Nevada, visited Mr. Murdock G. Allen in Los Angeles relative to his application for a defense loan.

Attached is a copy of a memorandum to me from A. C. Johnson, Chief, Mining Division, Region III, giving the highlights of Mr. Warne's discussion with Mr. Allen.

Region III DMA Field Team concurs with Mr. Johnson that neither an exploration nor a development loan is warranted.

Docket DMA-1649X is returned herewith.

H. C. Miller
Executive Officer
DMA Field Team, Region III

Attachment

Copy to: E. H. Bailey, USGS

DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION WASHINGTON, D.C.
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF MINES
P. O. Box 1551
Reno, Nevada

August 30, 1951

Memorandum

To: H. C. Miller, Regional Director, Region III

From: Chief, Mining Division, Region III

Subject: DMA-1649X, Murdock G. Allen, 2920 Potomac Ave., Los Angeles 16, California - Mica

Mr. Warne, an engineer from this office, visited Mr. Murdock G. Allen in Los Angeles, California on August 15 relative to his application for a defense loan.

According to a memorandum to me from Mr. Warne, Mr. Allen has not seen the mica occurrence since 1924 although he claims to have made four unsuccessful attempts to find the prospect during 1950.

According to Mr. Allen he desires a loan to finance an expedition to find the mica prospect in order to relocate or secure the property, and to perform further exploration work on the property. According to Mr. Allen, the best means of reaching the property would be via boat over Lake Mead; a total cost of about $5,000 would be required to reach the property and to expose the mica for sampling and examination purposes.

Mr. Allen also appeared to be uncertain as to the location of the mica and could not find it on a U.S.G.S. quadrangle map or a county map.

Work on the prospect consisted of only one hand-drilled hole which revealed the mica when blasted. He is more interested in a copper deposit in the same vicinity. Mr. Allen is not sure whether or not the mica specimen which he submitted to the Bureau of Mines in connection with his application for a loan came from the property.

Mr. Warne explained the difference between exploration and production loans to Mr. Allen. His previous intention was to offer his services and work in connection with mica "free of charge" in lieu of a cash participation in the cost of work. After the type of loans were explained to him he verbally proposed to reduce the amount requested from $100,000 to $20,000, and to specifically request an exploration type loan for which he is able to contribute $2,000 to the project.

Mr. Warne recommended to Mr. Allen that he definitely locate the property (which he desires to do alone before an examination is made) and to attempt to expose mica for sampling.

Under the circumstances, I do not believe that an exploration or a development loan is warranted. The docket and correspondence relating to it is returned herewith.

/s/ A. C. Johnson
A. C. Johnson

Encl.

Form MF-103
(April 1951)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.
Approval expires 6-30-51.

APPLICATION FOR AID FOR AN EXPLORATION PROJECT PURSUANT TO MINERAL ORDER 5, UNDER DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950

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Docket No. DMA-1649X

Date received 6/7/51

Participation

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Defense Minerals Administration
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LANDON F. STROBEL
Executive Secretary
Date June 4-51

Name and address of applicant

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Date of application June 4-51

Estimated cost

Mineral or metal Mica

Percentage of Government participation

Location of mine Clark County Nevada
approx 90 miles from Boulder Dam on the Colorado River

Date of filing MF-100

DMA Docket Number, if available

INSTRUCTIONS

Read Mineral Order 5, Regulations Governing Government Aid in Defense Projects, before completing this application. Submit four signed copies of the application to Defense Minerals Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or to the nearest field executive officer thereof, with your name and address on each sheet of the application and all accompanying papers. If any question is inapplicable, or if you cannot answer it, so state on the form. Where the space provided for answer is insufficient, answer on a separate sheet, annex it to the application form, and refer to it in space for answer. If the application is approved, you will be presented with an exploration project contract on Form MF-200, for your signature.

THE APPLICANT

*1. Is applicant an individual, partnership, or corporation?
*2. If a partnership, state names and addresses of partners.
*3. If a corporation, state names and addresses of officers, directors, and five largest stockholders.
*4. Describe the mining and general business experience of (*a*) the applicant, and (*b*) the person or persons who will manage the project.
*5. Are you the owner or the lessee of the property?
6. If owner, state what claims, liens, or encumbrances, if any, are against the property.
7. If lessee, attach a copy of the lease and state if it is in good standing.

NOTE.—It will be necessary to procure and attach to the exploration project contract agreements of claimants, lienors, encumbrances and lessors subordinating their interests in the property to the interest of the Government under the contract.

8. Furnish current financial statement, showing assets and liabilities, and a profit and loss statement.
9. How much money is applicant prepared to invest in proposed project? Is it sufficient to pay your part of the cost of the project as detailed in question 23 of this application form, in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Section 9 of Mineral Order 5)?

*If you have already answered these questions on MF-100, you are not required to answer the questions for this application.

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THE PROPERTY

10. (*a*) Give a description of the real property that will be in any way involved in the exploration project, including any existing mine or operating property.
    (*b*) Give the legal description of the exact parcel, plot, or area upon which the exploration is to be conducted.

    NOTE.—If both areas are the same, so state. The only obligation to repay the Government is from the net earnings from any commercial discovery made in the area specified in (*b*) above in which the exploration is to be conducted, and the expenditure of funds which may be charged as costs of the project must be limited to that area or to work necessary to perform the exploration in that area.

*11. State the present and former names of the property, if any.

*12. State, in detail, the location of the property with reference to towns, railroads, roads, shipping points, including distances and directions and kinds and conditions of roads.

*13. State source and quantity of water available for operations and its sufficiency at all seasons.
State amount of power to be used, rate per hour or other cost, and source.

*14. Describe any existing useable facilities, equipment, buildings, or structure now on the property that will be devoted to the exploration work.

15. State in detail how the ore could be shipped and how and where milled.

*16. History:
    (*a*) Give a statement, as complete as possible, of previous exploration, development, operation, and production of property, with reasons for any past suspensions of operations.
    (*b*) State briefly the known history and production of adjoining and neighboring properties.
    (*c*) Furnish any available (private) reports that may apply to this application, including results of mine examinations, recommended exploration and development, and metallurgical investigations.

*17. Production:
    (*a*) If mine is in production, furnish the following information:

	Tons per day	*Grade or analysis*	*Cost per ton*	*Net value per ton*
(1) Mining				
(2) Milling				
(3) Shipped or sold				

*18. Ore or mineral reserves: (If property is or has been operating.)
    (*a*) Describe the ore or mineral deposits briefly.
    (*b*) Submit available maps and assay data.
    (*c*) Give estimated tonnage and grade of each class of ore reserves.

19. State any conditions or circumstances regarding the property not sufficiently brought out by the foregoing questions.

THE EXPLORATION

20. For what mineral or minerals and for what types of deposits and ores will the exploration be conducted?

21. Describe briefly, but concisely, the proposed work and the estimated time required to complete it.

    NOTE.—The Government will not participate in a project that will require more than 2 years to complete.

22. Furnish statement of the geological basis of the project with particular emphasis on factors leading the operator to expect the finding of commercial ore bodies. This statement should be accompanied by supporting maps such as geological maps, maps of the proposed openings and assay maps, sample lists, and other pertinent data.

THE REQUIREMENTS AND COSTS

23. Tabulate in the form of an itemized statement with a sum for each item the estimated requirements and costs of the project so that the total will give the estimated cost of the project in which the Government will participate, as follows:
    (*a*) Labor, by numbers and classes (miners, muckers, millmen, etc.), with wages of each.
    (*b*) Supervisors, by numbers and positions, with salaries of each.
    (*c*) Cost of necessary repairs to existing facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*d*) Cost of necessary installation or construction of additional facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*e*) Cost of items of equipment, not now owned by the applicant which must be purchased for operations at a cost of $50 or more each.
    (*f*) Cost of rental for equipment which the operator proposes to rent.
    (*g*) Rental value of items of equipment which the operator now owns and which will be devoted to the work.
    (*h*) Cost of materials and supplies, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each.
    (*i*) Cost of power, water, utilities, and any other items not provided for above.

24. Furnish a time schedule of the project, stated in terms of months after project is approved, showing progress expected to be accomplished and the money expected to be spent.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Allen mines
(Name of company)

By Maurdark Allen
(Signature of authorized official)

(Date)

Owner
(Title)

Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

*Same as footnote on page 1.

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5. I had a claim on the property in 1924 the land office in Carson City Nevada, told me I can relocate.
6. I don't know of anything lease or anything against the property.
8. The property has not been marked only I located on the property in 1924 was ready to start work when I was told the government took the property of the market to build the dam.
10. There is nothing in the way of operation of this property for the property is in the hills about 9 miles east of Boulder Dam and about 2 miles from highway 99 I don't the legal operation for I didn't make sure when I was there last.
11. no name yet.
12. There is dirt road from Highway 99 to within 2 miles from the property but the best route would be to cross Lake Mead going west on the Colorado River to the Virgin turn north to Overton landing then 6 miles to railroad in Overton.
13. Developed spring for drinking in 1924 found some last year still running. Lake Mead ain't far from property
14. There is nothing left of what I had up there in 1924
15. The Mica would have to be shipped to Asheville Mica Co. New Port News Va. or where ever the gov't want it shipped.
16. Exploration hole only.
18. About 8 miles north east of the property are mining mica last year.
9. no repairs private or otherwise only what I found when I blasted a hole on top of a hill found mica 4x4 square
17. the property has not been marked yet.

18. ~~Have~~ not been marked.
19. From all outlooks of the land for miles there is mica someplace, mountains of broken mica mixed with dirt all colors & shapes but no one has ever worked some only place they started last year about 8 miles from my property.
20. For mica only I could take up the copper after I start shipping mica.
21. After the deal is made or advance on same I would go to the property make camp locate after that at present Mr. Ord and sort and the mica and ship some I would like to have a shipment in about 90 days.
22. I have no shaft made I have been Electrician since 1912 and the mica I found is the same as used in motors generated Comutators, flat irons, toasters, radios, and electrical brush holders.
23. At present there is nothing the camp has to be built. Air compressors have to be bought, air drills, shovels, bulldozers and two small trucks, mines to be hired. Don't know what I have to pay for wages sorters have to hire packers, shippers and other help. I might have to have a road through the mountains or build a snow to sail on Lake Mead. Will not need everything to start mining only I would use (money) my own car and my drivers at a reasonable price after property is approved. I hope to have the first shipment in about 90 days.

I understand some mining drilling loading Blasting and Loading have had some experience in some in Canada have worked for Vermont marble company in rutland Vt have also mined shale in Canada have managed mining operation for 2 years in Canada

6/5/51

Defense Minerals Administration

Review of Application for Exploration Assistance

Docket No. DMA 1649X

Commodity Mica

Total Amount $100 000

Govt. Participation 96%

1. Name and Address of Applicant Murdock G. Allen, 2920 Palomar Ave. Los Angeles 16, California

2. Location of Property 90 miles E of Boulder Dam on the Colorado River in Clark County, Nevada

3. Mineral or metal Mica Is it listed in Section 9 of MO-5? Yes

If not, application will be rejected.

4. Geologic probability of discovery—based on data in application (question #16, 17, 18, 20 and 22)*

Mines or Survey reports, etc., do you rate chances:

a) Good

b) Poor ✓ Request applicant to send samples

c) None of his mica and see if it is anything besides

d) Don't know—needs field examination scrap mica. J. Madden 6/6/51

e) Is there an alternative and favorable project? ~~Yes~~
(If so, attach an explanation)

5. Is the applicant's right to the property clearly stated? Yes
(question 5, 6, 7)*

6. If applicant is a lessee, is a copy of the lease attached? No owner

Does the lease have sufficient time to run to cover a future productive period?

*question numbers are those of MF-103

7. Are subordination agreements necessary? No

a) MF-201? —

b) MF-202 —

8. From the data presented, does the proposed project appear feasible from the point of view of:

a) Available manpower Questionable

b) Equipment and supplies Yes - by buying or renting everything
(Question 14 plus general knowledge of availability)*

c) Accessibility (question 12)* Difficult.

d) Water (question 13)* Yes

e) Power (question 13)* Would have to use gasoline or diesel power

Is a field check needed on any of these points? Yes -

9. Does the experience of the applicant appear to be adequate to assure that he can properly conduct the proposed project? (question 4)* No

Is a field check needed on this point? Yes.

10. Exhibit A. (questions 21 and 22)*

a) Is the project adequately described? No

If not, are there sufficient data given so that you can describe the project? No If so, attach a draft.

b) Is there an adequate map or sketch of the proposed work? No

c) Is the proposed work "exploration" under the definition of Section 8, MO-5? Questionably - No definite program given

If not, what part of it is? Impossible to say

Is this part a worthwhile exploration project? ——

d) Are the cost estimates detailed? None given

Can they be summarized, as on page 2 of Procedural Instruction 5-A, from the available data? No If so, attach a draft.

e) Are the cost estimates reasonable? None given

f) Should more information be requested from applicant? YES - by field team

g) Is a field examination necessary to complete Exhibit A? Yes

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a) Is it applicable? Yes

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c) Is a field check needed? Yes - would probably need living quarters - field check

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b) Sufficient data? No If so, attach a draft.

c) Are rents and charges reasonable? None given

d) Is a field check needed? Yes

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a) Are there sufficient data? No

b) Is the schedule adequate for the work proposed? no data given -

c) Is the schedule excessive for the work proposed?

d) Are the proposed wages and salaries reasonable?

e) Is a field check needed? Yes

14. Exhibit E (question 23-c)*

a) Is it applicable? No - nothing on property - road construction

b) Sufficient data? No - [illegible] report probably needed

c) Reasonable? —

d) Field check needed? No

15. In your judgment, can the proposed work be done in the proposed time? No program given - estimate production in 90 days -

(All exploration must be completed within two years)

16. If field examination is not needed, attach your recommendation.

17. If field examination is needed, do you have any special instructions for the field team not indicated by your answers to the foregoing question? Request that the applicant send samples of his mica. Probably all of scrap grade. The Field team check everything, including transportation, whether a road or water shipment facilities. Ascertain if strategic mica can be anticipated.

Field Trip not justified only if Applicant produces samples of strategic grade mica

6/19/51

Reviewed by: [illegible] 11565

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Date 6/18/51

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6/28/51.

Docket No. 1649X

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

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Mr. H.C. Miller
1415 Appraisers Bldg.
San Francisco, California

DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION WASHINGTON, D.C.
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Dear Sir:

We attach "Review of Application for Exploration Assistance" on:

Applicant ~~Mr. Murdock G. Allen, 2920 Palomar Ave.~~ Potomac, Los Angeles 16, Cal.

Docket No. ~~DMA-1619X~~ 1649X

Commodity Mica

Amount $ 100,000

Please expedite the consideration of this application with particular reference to the points raised in the attached "Review".

Very truly yours,

Tom Lyon

Tom Lyon, Chairman
Coordinating Committee

Lowell B. Moon
For Bureau of Mines

Edwin T. McKnight
For Geological Survey

Field Plan

6/5/51

Defense Minerals Administration

Review of Application for Exploration Assistance

Docket No. DMA 1649X

Commodity Mica

Total Amount $100 000 00

Govt. Participation 96%

1. Name and Address of Applicant Murdock G. Allen, 2920 ~~Palmar~~ Potomac Ave. Los Angeles 16, California

2. Location of Property 90 miles E of Boulder Dam on the Colorado River in Clark County, Nevada

3. Mineral or metal Mica Is it listed in Section 9 of MO-5? Yes

If not, application will be rejected.

4. Geologic probability of discovery—based on data in application (question #16, 17, 18, 20 and 22)*

Mines or Survey reports, etc., do you rate chances:

a) Good

b) Poor ✓ Request applicant to send samples

c) None of his mica and see if it is anything besides

d) Don't know—needs field examination scrap mica. J Madden 6/16/51

e) Is there an alternative and favorable project? ~~Yes~~
(If so, attach an explanation)

5. Is the applicant's right to the property clearly stated? Yes
(question 5, 6, 7)*

6. If applicant is a lessee, is a copy of the lease attached? No - owner

Does the lease have sufficient time to run to cover a future productive period? ——

*question numbers are those of MF-103

7. Are subordination agreements necessary? No

a) MF-201? —

b) MF-202 —

8. From the data presented, does the proposed project appear feasible from the point of view of:

a) Available manpower Questionable

b) Equipment and supplies Yes - by buying or renting everything
(Question 14 plus general knowledge of availability)*

c) Accessibility (question 12)* Difficult.

d) Water (question 13)* Yes

e) Power (question 13)* Would have to use gasoline or diesel power

Is a field check needed on any of these points? Yes -

9. Does the experience of the applicant appear to be adequate to assure that he can properly conduct the proposed project? (question 4)* No

Is a field check needed on this point? Yes -

10. Exhibit A. (questions 21 and 22)*

a) Is the project adequately described? No

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Form MF-103
(April 1951)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.
Approval expires 6-30-51.

APPLICATION FOR AID FOR AN EXPLORATION PROJECT PURSUANT TO MINERAL ORDER 5, UNDER DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950

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Docket No. DMA-1649X

Date received 6/7/51

Participation

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Defense Minerals Administration
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LANDON F. STROBEL
Executive Secretary

Name and address of applicant

Murdock G. Allen
2420 ~~Potomac~~ Ave.
Los Angeles, 16, Calif.

DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION WASHINGTON, D.C.
SEP 11 8 52 AM '51

Date June 4-51

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Date of application June 4 - 51

Estimated cost $100.000

Mineral or metal Mica

Percentage of Government participation 90%

Location of mine Clark County nevada
about 90 miles East of Boulder dam on the Colorado River

Date of filing MF-100

DMA Docket Number, if available

INSTRUCTIONS

Read Mineral Order 5, Regulations Governing Government Aid in Defense Projects, before completing this application. Submit four signed copies of the application to Defense Minerals Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or to the nearest field executive officer thereof, with your name and address on each sheet of the application and all accompanying papers. If any question is inapplicable, or if you cannot answer it, so state on the form. Where the space provided for answer is insufficient, answer on a separate sheet, annex it to the application form, and refer to it in space for answer. If the application is approved, you will be presented with an exploration project contract on Form MF-200, for your signature.

THE APPLICANT

*1. Is applicant an individual, partnership, or corporation?
*2. If a partnership, state names and addresses of partners.
*3. If a corporation, state names and addresses of officers, directors, and five largest stockholders.
*4. Describe the mining and general business experience of (*a*) the applicant, and (*b*) the person or persons who will manage the project.
*5. Are you the owner or the lessee of the property?
6. If owner, state what claims, liens, or encumbrances, if any, are against the property.
7. If lessee, attach a copy of the lease and state if it is in good standing.

NOTE.—It will be necessary to procure and attach to the exploration project contract agreements of claimants, lienors, encumbrances and lessors subordinating their interests in the property to the interest of the Government under the contract.

8. Furnish current financial statement, showing assets and liabilities, and a profit and loss statement.
9. How much money is applicant prepared to invest in proposed project? Is it sufficient to pay your part of the cost of the project as detailed in question 23 of this application form, in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Section 9 of Mineral Order 5)?

*If you have already answered these questions on MF-100, you are not required to answer the questions for this application.

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THE PROPERTY

10. (*a*) Give a description of the real property that will be in any way involved in the exploration project, including any existing mine or operating property.
    (*b*) Give the legal description of the exact parcel, plot, or area upon which the exploration is to be conducted.

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*11. State the present and former names of the property, if any.

*12. State, in detail, the location of the property with reference to towns, railroads, roads, shipping points, including distances and directions and kinds and conditions of roads.

*13. State source and quantity of water available for operations and its sufficiency at all seasons.
State amount of power to be used, rate per hour or other cost, and source.

*14. Describe any existing useable facilities, equipment, buildings, or structure now on the property that will be devoted to the exploration work.

15. State in detail how the ore could be shipped and how and where milled.

*16. History:
    (*a*) Give a statement, as complete as possible, of previous exploration, development, operation, and production of property, with reasons for any past suspensions of operations.
    (*b*) State briefly the known history and production of adjoining and neighboring properties.
    (*c*) Furnish any available (private) reports that may apply to this application, including results of mine examinations, recommended exploration and development, and metallurgical investigations.

*17. Production:
    (*a*) If mine is in production, furnish the following information:

	Tons per day	*Grade or analysis*	*Cost per ton*	*Net value per ton*
(1) Mining				
(2) Milling				
(3) Shipped or sold				

*18. Ore or mineral reserves: (If property is or has been operating.)
    (*a*) Describe the ore or mineral deposits briefly.
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    (*c*) Give estimated tonnage and grade of each class of ore reserves.

19. State any conditions or circumstances regarding the property not sufficiently brought out by the foregoing questions.

THE EXPLORATION

20. For what mineral or minerals and for what types of deposits and ores will the exploration be conducted?

21. Describe briefly, but concisely, the proposed work and the estimated time required to complete it.

    NOTE.—The Government will not participate in a project that will require more than 2 years to complete.

22. Furnish statement of the geological basis of the project with particular emphasis on factors leading the operator to expect the finding of commercial ore bodies. This statement should be accompanied by supporting maps such as geological maps, maps of the proposed openings and assay maps, sample lists, and other pertinent data.

THE REQUIREMENTS AND COSTS

23. Tabulate in the form of an itemized statement with a sum for each item the estimated requirements and costs of the project so that the total will give the estimated cost of the project in which the Government will participate, as follows:
    (*a*) Labor, by numbers and classes (miners, muckers, millmen, etc.), with wages of each.
    (*b*) Supervisors, by numbers and positions, with salaries of each.
    (*c*) Cost of necessary repairs to existing facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*d*) Cost of necessary installation or construction of additional facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*e*) Cost of items of equipment, not now owned by the applicant which must be purchased for operations at a cost of $50 or more each.
    (*f*) Cost of rental for equipment which the operator proposes to rent.
    (*g*) Rental value of items of equipment which the operator now owns and which will be devoted to the work.
    (*h*) Cost of materials and supplies, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each.
    (*i*) Cost of power, water, utilities, and any other items not provided for above.

24. Furnish a time schedule of the project, stated in terms of months after project is approved, showing progress expected to be accomplished and the money expected to be spent.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Alter mines
(Name of company)

By Murdock G. Alter
(Signature of authorized official)

6-4-5
(Date)

Owner
(Title)

Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

*Same as footnote on page 1.

16—64067-1 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

#5 I had a claim on the property in 1924 the land office in carson city nevada told me I can relocate same

6 I dont know of any liens or anything against the property

8 the property have not been worked only I located on the property in 1924 was ready to start work when I was told the Government took the property of the market to build the dam

10 there is nothing in the way of this operation of this property for this property is in the hills abouth 90 cost of boulder dam and abouth 96 miles from the highway 99

11 no more as yet

12 there is a dirt road from hiway 99 to with in eight miles from the property. but the best rought would be to use Lake mead Cern west on the colorado river to the Virgen turn north to overton Landing then six miles to Railroad in overton

13 I Developed a spring of water for Drinking in 1924 and found same last year still running Lake mead is not two far from the property

14 there is nothing left of what I had there in 1924

15 the mica moved home to be shipped to asheville mica or newport news Va, or where ever the Government wants it shipped to

16 a location hole only. I done most work on the copper. I done most work on the Copper

B abouth eight miles north cost of this property are mining mica last year

C no private or other use only what I found when I blasted a hole on top of the hill and found mica 4"X4" square

17 the property have not been worked as yet

18 have not been worked mica

19 from all out looks of the land around for miles ther is mica some places mountains of broken mica mixed with dirt old sellars and shapes but no one have ever worked some only place they started last year abouth eight miles from my property

20 for mica only I would take up the copper after I start shipping mica

21 after the loan is made or advance an some I would go to the property make camp locate after that at present blast and sort out the mica and ship some I would like to have a shipment in abouth 90 days

22 I have no maps made I have been Electrician since 1912 and the mica I found is like the same as used in motors generators comutaters flat irons toasters radios and Electric Brush holders

23 at present there is nothing the Comp have to be built air compressors have to be bought air drills shovels Buldozers and two small tracks miners to be hired dont know what have to pay for wages sorters have to have Packers shippers and other help I might have to have. I might have to build a road through the mountions or build a skow to use our lake need.

will need everything to start mining only I would use my own automobile and my services at a reasonable rate after the property is approved I hope to have the first shipment in about 90 days

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

JUN 26 1951

Mr. H.C. Miller
1415 Appraisers Bldg.
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

We attach "Review of Application for Exploration Assistance" on:

Applicant ~~Mr. Murdock C. Allen, 2920 Palomar Ave.~~, Los Angeles 16, Cal

Docket No. ~~DMA-1619X~~

Commodity ~~Mica~~

Amount $ ~~100,000~~

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Very truly yours,

Tom Lyon, Chairman
Coordinating Committee

For Bureau of Mines

RW:mas

cc: Mr. Moon
Mr. Barr

For Geological Survey

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

June 20, 1951

Docket
Mailed
6/26/51

Mr. Murdock G. Allen
2920 Palomar Ave.
Los Angeles 16, Calif.

Subject: DMA-1649X
Mica

Dear Mr. Allen:

Your application is being referred to Mr. H.C. Miller, 1415 Appraisers Bldg., San Francisco, California, Executive Officer of the Field Team, Region III, for further information.

Sincerely yours,

Tom Lyon, Director
Supply Division

RW:mas
cc: Administrator's Reading File
Mr. Strobel
Field Team
Mr. Barr
DMA Files

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

G.E.S.

June 20, 1951

Mr. Murdock S. Allen
2930 Palomar Ave.
Los Angeles 16, Calif.

Subject: L[illegible]-1549A

Dear Mr. Allen: Mica

Your application is being referred to Mr. W.C. Miller, 1415 Appraisers Bldg., San Francisco, California, Executive Officer of the Field Team, Region III, for further information.

Sincerely yours,

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Lands Division

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

June 15, 1951

Mr. Murdock G. Allen
2920 Palomas Avenue
Los Angeles, California

Subject: DMA-1649 X
Re: Exploration Loan -
$100,000 (Nevada)

My dear Mr. Allen:

Receipt is acknowledged of your application and attachments of June 4, 1951 for an Exploration Loan under the Defense Production Act of 1950.

The application was assigned Docket Number 1649 X and referred to Mr. James A. Barr, Chief, Industrial Minerals Branch on June 12, 1951.

In any future correspondence relating to your application, kindly refer to DMA-1649 X.

Sincerely yours,

LANDON F. STROBEL

Landon F. Strobel
Executive Secretary

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Mr. Lyon
Mr. Barr
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.
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APPLICATION FOR AID FOR AN EXPLORATION PROJECT PURSUANT TO MINERAL ORDER 5, UNDER DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950

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Date received 6/7/51

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LANDON F. STROBEL
Executive Secretary

Name and address of applicant

Date June 4-51

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Date of application June 4-51

Estimated cost $100,000

Mineral or metal mica

Percentage of Government participation 90%

Location of mine Clark County nevada
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Date of filing MF-100

DMA Docket Number, if available

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Allen mines
(Name of company)

By Murdock G. Allen
(Signature of authorized official)

(Date)

Owner
(Title)

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10 There is nothing in the way of operation of thes property for this property is in the hills abouth 90 miles East of Caliber ~~from~~ and abouth 90 miles from the main hawy 99 I have not the Legal Description for I dont make such when I was there last

11 no name as yet

12 there is a dirt road from highway 99 to with in eight miles from the property but the best roaght mined be to use Lake mead Com west on the Colorado River to the Virgen turn north to overton landing then six miles to rail road in overton

13 I Developed spring for drinking in 1924 & found some Lost Gear still running Lake mead is not two far from the property

14 there is nothing left of what I had there in 19~~2~~24

15 the mica mined have to to be shipped to asheville Mica co Newport News VA or where ever the government wants it shiped

16 a location hole only
B abouth eight miles north East of thes property are mining mica Lost Gear
C no reports private or other mica only what I found when I blasted a hole on top of the hill and found mica 4"X4" Specs

17 the property have not been worked as yet

18 have not been marked

19 from all out looks of the land for miles there is mica some places mountains of broken mica mixed with dirt all colors and shapes but no one have ever worked some only one place they started Lost year about 8 miles from my property

20 for mica only I would take up the copper later maybe after I start shipping mica

21 after the loan is made or advance on loan I would go to the Property make camp Locate after that at present Blast and sort out the mica and ship some I would like to have a shipment in about 90 days

22 I have no maps made I have been Electrecian since 1912 and the mica I found is the same as used in motors generators commutators flat irons toasters radio and Electrecial Brush holders

23 at present there is nothing the Comp have to be built air compressor have to be bought air drills shovels bulldozer one or two small trucks miners to be hired dont know what have to pay for wages sorters have to be hired packers shippers and other help I might have to have. I might have to build a road through the mountains or build a skow to use on the Lake need will need every thing to start mining only I would use my own automobile and my scrows at a reasonable rate

After project is approved I hope to have the first shipment in about 90 days

Form MF-103
(April 1951)

U. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTER

DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.
Approval expires 6-30-51.

APPLICATION FOR AID FOR AN EXPLORATION PROJECT PURSUANT TO MINERAL ORDER 5, UNDER DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950

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Docket No. dma-1649X

Date received 6/7/51

Participation

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Defense Minerals Administration
RECEIVED
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LANDON F. STROBEL
Executive Secretary

Name and address of applicant

Date

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Date of application June 4-51

Estimated cost $100,000

Mineral or metal mica

Percentage of Government participation 90%

Location of mine Clark County nevada

about 90 miles from hoover Dam on the Colorado River

Date of filing MF-100

DMA Docket Number, if available

INSTRUCTIONS

Read Mineral Order 5, Regulations Governing Government Aid in Defense Projects, before completing this application. Submit four signed copies of the application to Defense Minerals Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or to the nearest field executive officer thereof, with your name and address on each sheet of the application and all accompanying papers. If any question is inapplicable, or if you cannot answer it, so state on the form. Where the space provided for answer is insufficient, answer on a separate sheet, annex it to the application form, and refer to it in space for answer. If the application is approved, you will be presented with an exploration project contract on Form MF-200, for your signature.

THE APPLICANT

*1. Is applicant an individual, partnership, or corporation?
*2. If a partnership, state names and addresses of partners.
*3. If a corporation, state names and addresses of officers, directors, and five largest stockholders.
*4. Describe the mining and general business experience of (*a*) the applicant, and (*b*) the person or persons who will manage the project.
*5. Are you the owner or the lessee of the property?
6. If owner, state what claims, liens, or encumbrances, if any, are against the property.
7. If lessee, attach a copy of the lease and state if it is in good standing.

NOTE.—It will be necessary to procure and attach to the exploration project contract agreements of claimants, lienors, encumbrances and lessors subordinating their interests in the property to the interest of the Government under the contract.

8. Furnish current financial statement, showing assets and liabilities, and a profit and loss statement.
9. How much money is applicant prepared to invest in proposed project? Is it sufficient to pay your part of the cost of the project as detailed in question 23 of this application form, in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Section 9 of Mineral Order 5)?

*If you have already answered these questions on MF-100, you are not required to answer the questions for this application.

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THE PROPERTY

10. (*a*) Give a description of the real property that will be in any way involved in the exploration project, including any existing mine or operating property.
    (*b*) Give the legal description of the exact parcel, plot, or area upon which the exploration is to be conducted.

    NOTE.—If both areas are the same, so state. The only obligation to repay the Government is from the net earnings from any commercial discovery made in the area specified in (*b*) above in which the exploration is to be conducted, and the expenditure of funds which may be charged as costs of the project must be limited to that area or to work necessary to perform the exploration in that area.

*11. State the present and former names of the property, if any.

*12. State, in detail, the location of the property with reference to towns, railroads, roads, shipping points, including distances and directions and kinds and conditions of roads.

*13. State source and quantity of water available for operations and its sufficiency at all seasons.
State amount of power to be used, rate per hour or other cost, and source.

*14. Describe any existing useable facilities, equipment, buildings, or structure now on the property that will be devoted to the exploration work.

15. State in detail how the ore could be shipped and how and where milled.

*16. History:
    (*a*) Give a statement, as complete as possible, of previous exploration, development, operation, and production of property, with reasons for any past suspensions of operations.
    (*b*) State briefly the known history and production of adjoining and neighboring properties.
    (*c*) Furnish any available (private) reports that may apply to this application, including results of mine examinations, recommended exploration and development, and metallurgical investigations.

*17. Production:
    (*a*) If mine is in production, furnish the following information:

	Tons per day	*Grade or analysis*	*Cost per ton*	*Net value per ton*
(1) Mining				
(2) Milling				
(3) Shipped or sold				

*18. Ore or mineral reserves: (If property is or has been operating.)
    (*a*) Describe the ore or mineral deposits briefly.
    (*b*) Submit available maps and assay data.
    (*c*) Give estimated tonnage and grade of each class of ore reserves.

19. State any conditions or circumstances regarding the property not sufficiently brought out by the foregoing questions.

THE EXPLORATION

20. For what mineral or minerals and for what types of deposits and ores will the exploration be conducted?

21. Describe briefly, but concisely, the proposed work and the estimated time required to complete it.

    NOTE.—The Government will not participate in a project that will require more than 2 years to complete.

22. Furnish statement of the geological basis of the project with particular emphasis on factors leading the operator to expect the finding of commercial ore bodies. This statement should be accompanied by supporting maps such as geological maps, maps of the proposed openings and assay maps, sample lists, and other pertinent data.

THE REQUIREMENTS AND COSTS

23. Tabulate in the form of an itemized statement with a sum for each item the estimated requirements and costs of the project so that the total will give the estimated cost of the project in which the Government will participate, as follows:
    (*a*) Labor, by numbers and classes (miners, muckers, millmen, etc.), with wages of each.
    (*b*) Supervisors, by numbers and positions, with salaries of each.
    (*c*) Cost of necessary repairs to existing facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*d*) Cost of necessary installation or construction of additional facilities, structures, and buildings.
    (*e*) Cost of items of equipment, not now owned by the applicant which must be purchased for operations at a cost of $50 or more each.
    (*f*) Cost of rental for equipment which the operator proposes to rent.
    (*g*) Rental value of items of equipment which the operator now owns and which will be devoted to the work.
    (*h*) Cost of materials and supplies, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each.
    (*i*) Cost of power, water, utilities, and any other items not provided for above.

24. Furnish a time schedule of the project, stated in terms of months after project is approved, showing progress expected to be accomplished and the money expected to be spent.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Allen mines
(Name of company)

By Murdock G Allen
(Signature of authorized official)

(Date)

Owner
(Title)

Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

*Same as footnote on page 1.

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5 not to claim [illegible] the property in 1920 [illegible] but after an
entry records told me I can relocate

6 I don't know of any claims or anything they found the property

7 the property have not been worked only I located on the property
in 1921 was ready to start work when I was told the government
took the property the wanted to build the road

10 there is nothing in the way of expansion of this property but
the property as are the bulk about 90 miles east of Dawson
are about 90 miles from the main highway 97
[illegible] I employed but did not make used when was
there last

11 no [illegible]

12 there is a dirt road from the highway 97 to within 6 miles
from the property but the last [illegible] to see the road
[illegible] the Coronation Mines to the Yukon River with
to [illegible] there are miles to [illegible]

13 I [illegible] first spring [illegible] in 1921 a few days last
year still running. Lake [illegible] for [illegible]

14 there is nothing left of [illegible] I last up there in 1921

15 the mines branch done [illegible] to stop [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] road 97 on where the government [illegible] to higes
16 [illegible] [illegible]

18 about the 6 or 7 miles north east of the property are making
[illegible] last year

19 no [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] 9
blasted [illegible] but found [illegible] 11" X 14" square

17 the property have not been [illegible] as yet

18 have never been worked

19 some 600 cord inches of the land for miles there is some magnificent specimens of Douglas spruce with that all colored and shaped but no one has been worked some only place they started but soon abandoned Finally from very poor property

20 for years only I would take up the Coyote cutter I short shipping season

21 other than as made no advances on loans I turned to the property made camp locate other that at present but not but not the mine and stop loss I would like to have a shipment in about 90 days

22 I have no profit made I have been battling since 1912 and the mine ~~is~~ found on the lower as cost in motors generators compressors that means tractors radios and electrical plants holders

23 at present there is nothing the camp have to do but with camp needs have to be bought can bulls shovels blacksmiths mine tools small tracks rails to be hired about 10 men what have to pay for wages carters have to hire packers shippers and other help I might have to have. I might have to build a road through the mountains as hard as I have to pass on Lake street

with need concentrating to stand mining camp I would need a ring mill. Can sell for cash and a reasonable rate

other property as adjacent I hope to have the first shipment in about 90 days

May 29, 1951

Mr. Murdock A. Allen
[redacted]
Los Angeles 14, California

Dear Mr. Allen:

This is in reply and to thank you for your letter of April 23, 1951. In order to proceed with your request for a lease to explore your copper and mica properties, it will be necessary for you to file an application for assistance.

For your information we are enclosing one copy each of press releases dated April 11 and May 14, 1951 and one copy of Form MO-3 describing the exploration program of the Defense Minerals Administration. We are also enclosing two copies of Form MF-100 and ten copies of Form MF-103 in case you should desire to apply for aid.

It is very important that every question on Form MF-103 be answered because no contract can be signed before all of the requested information has been supplied.

If you wish to apply for aid in the exploration of both copper and mica, a separate application will be necessary for each.

Very truly yours,

J. B. Gowan, Acting Chief
Copper Branch, DMA

Enclosures
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Executive Officer, DMA Field Team, Region III WCI
Copper Branch WCI
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Los Angeles Calif
April 23rd 51

Mr. Tom Lyon
Defence minerals administration

My Dear Mr. Lyon

Your letter of April 17th received with thanks I am glad to lern that I am able to furnish the national defence with some of the national res I would be glad to due my share to further strention the united states

am also glad to learn that the government would contribute great deal of cash towards the Development of the minerals. I had this property back in 1924 of spent some four months making assestment work building reads to start getting the oar out. Then we get an Insurance Company interested the manager & engineer went up looked the property up ad decided the best thing would be to put a smelter on the grounds and employ couple steem shovels to feed sod smelter. at the same time I discovered a deposit of mica not too far from the copper ledge of uncovered sheets of mica about 4" x 4" square at the time I did not think much of my find in 1925 the government withdrew the property of the market and the property laid idle ever since I had about two car loads of oar an the pile then in 1949 I get to thinking about the property I went to the state mining office in Los Angeles and made inquaries about the copper thay would not give me anny hope that it was anny good then I ast the office about mica he sad it wasent no good alto he did not see a sample of some I dont know what made me ast him if he had a price list an mica he sod yes and showed me the list sheets from 2"x2" up to 6"x6" worth from two dollars to ten dollars per pound then I went to work I sod to myself that the mica is more valubel then gold. I went to the Chamber of Commerce and asked for a list of difrent people handles mica so thay gave me some names I visited them all before I found are that was kind enough to tell me the name of ore company that handles mica he also told me where thay get their supply. Ananda & South America.

I wrote to them and ast them if thay would be interested in mica from me thear letter Inclosed I went up to the property with my son I wrecked the car ad almost wrecked my self and the boy so we packed and came an have that trip caused me couple thousent dollars when I got home I bought another car drove it around till I got about eight thousent miles that was in July I went back with my son we got within fifty miles from the property the new car began to bail and steem so I turned back for home in August I get a friend to go with me we went to the property get a sample of copper sent some to the smelter in Salt Lake City the assay report I sent to Defense sltvory ? Johnson when he was in office I did not get it back but there is a copy of som of March 1950 .03 ozs per ton 1.8 ozs silver and 8.51% copper value as of last year $18.84 per ton at the smelter I got figgers from R.R. for freght ad from trucking co also miners

ad lodars so much per ton of copper the main ledge ten feet wide on top of ground ad I scraped dirt hundard feet each slide of ledge and get copper I would say there is a place of about two hundard by three hundard feet of copper in sight
and the mica I wrote to GE and got this answer since I sent to Charles E. Welson a sample in Washington all I need of finance ad the word to get it out before building a road I would like to use lake need around the Vergen Bason for transportation I dont have to go anny farther west then the Vergen River from there East to the Grand Conyon as I sod the mica is about 4"x4" very good size
I can start shipping in less them year if I had one hundard thousent $100.000) dollars that is just for a start might take more later on hope to hear from you soon

I am sincerly yours

Murdack J. Allen
2920 Potomac Ave
Los Angeles 16, Calif

COPY

Los angeles 16 Calif
2-7-H-51

[illegible] Lyon
[illegible] of Interior

[illegible]

Dear Sir

In answer to your letter of Jan 31-51

[illegible] thank you for your letter and help so far
I don't [illegible] it would get it here to you, but you
[illegible] that I'm counting on hunt of copper
and [illegible] used [illegible] paint or Porter generators
or [illegible] flat mount file etc & Franklin
Deposit one of copper one of mica
I made from Eng. Engineer office [illegible] found
there quite a market for them but its hard to get
out that not as hard as shipping from French
Equatorial africa Lake (E.C.A) is trying to due Ethy. E.C.A.)
will pay (F4.240.000) for an exploration in that
region for copper. no [illegible] Lyon if the (E.C.A) will

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you [illegible] can [illegible] paid 113,116,000 dollars to build

a [illegible] of about sixty [illegible] hundred

[illegible] all argument

will [illegible] also

the [illegible] they [illegible] 1933 [illegible] they

will [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible]

will [illegible]

Experience and [illegible]

[illegible]

The [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

fifty [illegible]

per [illegible] at [illegible] percent copper mean is [illegible] between.

four and five tons of Copper per day to start with and we might get more as we progress in our operation and get our machinary in place where we can do the most work. we might be able to double the Trucking company estimate and put on four or five trucks in stead of two.

if you can help me to get started I would be greatful and would do my outmost to prove that what I say is true

I am yours

Murdock G. Allen

2920 Potomac ave
Los angeles 16. calif

January 31, 1951

Mr. Murdock G. Allen
[illegible] Potomac Avenue
Los Angeles 16, Calif.

Dear Sir:

Your letter to Mr. Charles E. Wilson, dated January 1, has finally reached this office for consideration.

Enclosed you will find the proper forms for making a request for a loan. It will be necessary for you to complete four of these forms and return them to this office, retaining one copy for yourself. Be sure to include the location of your property.

Very truly yours,

Tom Lyon, Assistant Chief
Copper Branch

TLyon:spd

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Executive Secretary - 4629
Executive Officer Field Team Region III
Copper Commodity Committee
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Los Angeles Calif
Jan 1st 51
Interior

LYNDON E. STROBEL
BUREAU OF MINES
WASHINGTON, D.C.
JAN 26 10 26 AM '51

1-26-51
~~Joseph~~
Richardson

Mr Charles E. Wilson
Chairman Natural Res board
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

I the writer have written to you on February 6th 1950 pertaining to Mica my letter was turned over to T P Walsh who answered my letter wanting sample of the stuff I had. the distance to the mica & copper is around six hundred miles from here. I was there in 1924 working the property and for some unknown reason I was told to leave by the government when I tried to go back there last year the whole landscape had changed and my phizical condition made the trip very tuff. but never the less I got a sample of the copper which I sent to the American smelting and refining company at Salt Lake utah for test & assays they told me on the assay that the ore is very good and contains .03 ozs gold 1.8 ozs silver and 8.51% copper that the American smelter would handle some where. ever I wish to start shipping

II

I went to the railroad and made Enquiries as to how much they would charge me for hauling the ore a distance of about three hundred miles the figer they gave me was ok. then I went to trucking company and got a figer for hauling same from the mine to railroad that was ok the trucking company want to haul fifty tons per day which I thought would be ok to start. all that took place between 1949 & 1950 I tried to get to the property from a different Routh from the one used twenty six years ago I wrecked two automobiles trying to get to the place and for a poor working man I could not stand the Expence. so I got in touch with the Commerce Department of Mining they told me to go to the RFC and see what they will do. so I went to the RFC and told them the circumstances they not only laughed at me but made an ass of me.

now mr Wilson under total mobilization when we need every pound of copper and mica I would ask you in your new capacity to help me finantily to start this material moving you say where you are going to get the money to do

II

I red an article in the Los angeles papers some weeks ago when they the government wanted to help Lito they said they could always find a hundred thousand or million lost in washington if there always that kind of money laying lood why send me one hundred thousand ($100,000) dollars so as to help me to help the government with some thing that is very short supply? on my part I offered to howard hughes air craft. north american air craft & Douglas air craft also wright patterson air force Base Dayton ohio a new type of plane or take a DC 6 or army air troop part and work the plane over in a new invention of my own and make the same plane carry fifty per cent more lood and take off from shorter runway they all told me submit your idea for evaluation. I submitted a see plane to England in 1915 when in the canadian army I got evaluated out of it in 1918 I submitted a multipol motored air plane also to England also got evaluated of that to by telling me that the airplane was too heavy as is without adding more motors in may 1941 I submited to

IV

President F.D.R. a ship tank that would float on and cross a body of water and up and out on Land the President turned some to Department of Commerce the national Inventors Council my file is no 48722 this way back may 19-1941 since then the have had the Enfebous tank and also I get Coordated out of that also so you see what I mean. if and I know you will help me to bring what I know to help the usa

I will close in hoping to hear favourable from you

Thanking you in advance
I am sir your

Murdock A. Allen
2920 Potomac ave
Los angeles 16. Calif

Happy new year to you and the usa.

Sample of unea enclosed