

FORM 9
CERTIFICATE OF SUBSTANTIAL PERFORMANCE OF THE
CONTRACT UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE ACT

Construction Act

Lively Ontario

(County/District/Regional Municipality/Town/City in which premises are situated)

1039 Creighton Mine Road Greater Sudbury, Ontario P3Y 1N2

(street address and city, town, etc., or, if there is no street address, the location of the premises)

This is to certify that the contract for the following improvement:

Repairs to Sand Tank #1

(short description of the improvement)

to the above premises was substantially performed on September 16, 2026

(date substantially performed)

Date certificate signed: _____

(payment certifier where there is one)

 Date: Sep 16, 2026

(owner and contractor, where there is no payment certifier)

Name of owner: Vale Canada Limited

Address for service: 200 Bay Street, Royal Bank Plaza, South Tower, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2K2

Name of contractor: Lopes Limited

Address for service: 84 Smelter Road, Coniston, Ontario P0M 1M0

Name of payment certifier (where applicable): N/A

Address: N/A

(Use A or B, whichever is appropriate)

☒ A. Identification of premises for preservation of liens:

Creighton Mine 46°27'50"N 81°10'29"W

(if a lien attaches to the premises, a legal description of the premises,
including all property identifier numbers and addresses for the premises)

☐ B. Office to which claim for lien must be given to preserve lien:

(if the lien does not attach to the premises, a concise description of the premises, including addresses,
and the name and address of the person or body to whom the claim for lien must be given)