

 Capital/Non-Routine Expenditure Application (CNA) <small>This form must be used to obtain approval before any capital and non-routine expenditure is incurred. HODs/Project managers must ensure that proper upfront planning has been done and must meet all the deliverables (cost, quality, time, and scope of work).</small>	
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CA Number (to be assigned by Finance)

A. GENERAL

1	Operation	Nyakabingo Mine	2 Department	MRM
3	Head of Department	Thierry Dufitumukiza	4 Project Sponsor	Siobhan Joubert
5	Project Manager	Thierry Dufitumukiza	6 Project 2nd-In-charge	Shane Ryan

B. PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

1	Project Name	Sonic Drilling of the Nyakabingo Tailings for Resource Estimation		
2	Project Category	Growth: Exploration	Parent CNA ref	
3	Project Type	Supplemental	4 Asset Classification	Other

C. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

1	Budgeted/Unbudgeted	Unbudgeted in 5 Yr Plan		2 Approved Budget Amount (5Yrs):
3	Current year budget	Q1: 0	Q2: 0	Q3: 0 Q4: 0
4	Previous CNA request:	+	Current CNA request: 853,873	= Total project costs 853,873
5	If unbudgeted, what budgeted project to offset? (name of project and budget amount) ?	N/A		
6	Reason for substitution			

The drilling is required for the update of Mineral Resource and CPR which is a priority Project required in support of an IPO process. This drill campaign was budgeted in Mid Case.

D. PROJECT OVERVIEW

1 Project Description/Background
 Trinity Metals is in the process of engaging an experienced drilling company for sonic drilling of the Nyakabingo Tailings. This scope of work includes mobilisation of a drill rig to Nyakabingo Mine, Western Province Rwanda, the drilling, and diligent storage of core to support a QAQC process for Mineral Resource Estimation of the Tailings. The objective of the drilling is to define the volume, grade, and distribution of recoverable material within the tailings, while obtaining a high-quality, continuous core samples using sonic drilling technology. This will be used to support geostatistical modeling and resource estimation in compliance with industry reporting standards (e.g., JORC, NI 43-101).

2 Alternatives Considered

None

3 Schedule & Milestone dates

Schedule & Milestone	Responsible	Target Date	Duration (days)
a MOC	Thierry	2026-Mar-04	11
b Contract Approval	Supply Chain	2026-Mar-25	19
c Transport from South Africa to Rwanda	Supply Chain/ GeoGroup	2026-May-01	35
d Road Preparation	Engineering	2026-Apr-15	2
e Establish Benches in Tailings	Engineering	2026-Apr-15	2
f Mobilisation on Site	Geomechanics	2026-May-05	7
g Infrastructure Provision to the drilling site	Engineering	2026-May-01	14
h Commencement of the Drilling Operation	GeoGroup	2026-May-05	3
i Drilling Operation	GeoGroup	2026-Jul-05	60
j Demobilization of the Rig	GeoGroup	2026-Jul-13	7
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4 Risks management considerations & mitigation		
	Risks	Mitigation
a	Reduced confidence in the Mineral Resource Estimation	Analysis of the sample from Sonic
a	Unpredictable Tailing Grade	Sampling and Lab assays from Sonic Drilling
a	Tailing volume overestimate or underestimate	Sonic Drilling, Reliable LiDAR Survey
a	Density measurement	Purchase density Scale/ Liase CP
a	Team Capacity	Hiring temporary/Permanent staff
		Responsible
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		Siobhan/Dthierry
		Dthierry/Domina

5 Management of change considerations	
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a	Change in infrastructure, road slopes, rail system
b	Security of the rig
c	Expats logistics, accommodation, meals, arrival
d	Core handling, storage and Sampling Campaign
e	Rig Management and Safety of personnel
	Responsible
	Engineering/Survey
	Security
	HR
	Geology
	SHEC

E REPLACEMENT ASSET(S) (required if project type selected is "replacement asset")			
1 Details of asset being replaced			
	Asset Number	Description	Net Book Value
a	N/A	N/A	N/A
b			
c			
d			
e			
f			
g			
2 Redundant/obsolete spare parts/consumables			
	Will any existing inventory of spares / consumables relating to the asset being replaced need to be scrapped or written off?		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (fill-out details below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	Stock Item Number	Description	Net Book Value
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			
f			
g			

F MAJOR COST COMPONENTS					
Description	Supporting document/reference	Original currency		US\$ FX rate	US\$
		Curr	Amount		
Sonic Drill 2024 + 2026 excel cost estim	QUOTATION (USD)		853,873	1	853,873
				0	0
					0
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Total					853,873

*Comments on project expenditure
The cost was estimated using the prices from 2024 Sonic Drilling quotation, quotation for the rig transportation, Lab assay price at 60\$ per samples and the limity cost while in operation

G. TIMING OF EXPENDITURE (US\$'000)												
Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Prior expenditure												
Current Year				300	200	354						
Future Years												
Total Value												854

H. PROJECT VALUATION							
1	Analysis required (based on justification category) REQUIRED						
2	Risk ranking for Legislative/Regulatory/Risk/Governance/G&A (attached risk evaluation)						
	Current situation	Severity/Impact I6	Probability P7	Heat map H7	If project is completed	Severity/Impact I2	Probability P4
3	ICT Impact? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (ICT Manager approval needed) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No						
4	Key financial assumptions						
<p>Sonic drilling provides high-quality, continuous samples that improve grade accuracy, reduce dilution, and support consistent plant feed, leading to more reliable production outcomes. It will increase the confidence by enabling precise ore waste delineation and reducing processing uncertainty. It will also improve on the investor trust as the results will be used by a Competent Person in the Nyakabingo MRE. The use of appropriate, high-quality data collection methods reduces perceived risk, supporting stronger project valuation. Most importantly, it significantly improves MRE quality by increasing data reliability and allowing for higher resource classification, ultimately supporting better financial decisions and long-term value creation</p>							
5	Result of the financial valuation:						
a	Net cash flow US\$						
b	NPV (Net present value) US\$						
c	IRR (Internal Rate of Return) %						
d	Payback (years)						

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I. SIGN OFFS AND APPROVALS			
Position	Name	Signature	Date
PROJECT OWNER <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Justin Uwiringiyimana		29/03/2026
DEPARTMENT MANAGER <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Thierry Dufitumukiza		30-03-2026
FINANCE SUPERINTENDENT or MANAGER <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Jean Claude Habyarimana		30/03/2026
GROUP SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGER <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Jeome Sande		28/03/2026
Group OHS Manager <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Gerrit Ferreira		25/3/26
GENERAL MANAGER <i>Required for all CNAs</i>	Justin Uwiringiyimana		29/03/2026
ICT MANAGER <i>For projects requiring ICT expenditure or modifications</i>			
HEAD OF THE PROJECT COMMITTEE <i>For projects subject to stage gating process</i>	Shane Ryan		28/03/2026
COO <i>>\$50k-\$100k in budget; >\$10k-\$20k out of budget (N/A for CSR Activity)</i>	Shane Ryan		28/03/2026
CFO <i>>\$100k-\$250k in budget; >\$20k-\$50k out of budget (N/A for CSR Activity)</i>	David De Lange		30/3/26
CEO <i>>\$250k-\$100k in budget; >\$50k-\$100k out of budget (CSR Activity <\$100k)</i>	Peter Geleta		28/03/2026
BOARD OF DIRECTORS <i>>\$100k in budget; >\$100k out of budget (CSR Activity >\$100k)</i>	BOARD APPROVAL RECEIVED ON 27/3/2026 AFTER TECH COMMITTEE REVIEW		



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