

1 **4.3.7 Air Quality**

2 The NorthMet Project Proposed Action is subject to various federal and State of Minnesota air
3 quality regulations. The State of Minnesota has been granted permitting authority by the USEPA
4 and, therefore, the NorthMet Project Proposed Action will be issued a single permit by the State
5 of Minnesota.

6 **4.3.7.1 Federal Lands**

7 The federal lands of the Land Exchange Proposed Action are similar to the Mine Site previously
8 discussed, but exclude the privately owned land bordering Dunka Road to the south of the Mine
9 Site. Section 4.2.7.1 provides a discussion of the existing conditions on the federal lands.

10 **4.3.7.2 Non-federal Lands**

11 The non-federal parcels are all privately owned. No current operations or activities are proposed
12 on the non-federal lands that would result in a change to ambient air quality as part of the Land
13 Exchange Proposed Action.

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