Northgate Minerals CORP Form 6-K October 31, 2007

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

### FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of October, 2007.

### **Northgate Minerals Corporation**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

815 Hornby Street, Suite 406 Vancouver, British Columbia Canada V6Z 2E6 (Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

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## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Registrant:

Northgate Minerals Corporation

Date: October 29, 2007

By: /s/ Jon Douglas Name: Jon Douglas

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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99.1 News Release Dated October 28, 2007 - Northgate Minerals Corporation Announces Friendly Proposal to Acquire Perseverance Corporation Limited to Create Leading Mid-tier Gold Producer