

INFORMATIONAL NOTICE 20-04

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REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Manitoba Oil and Gas Act

In accordance with The Oil and Gas Act, Drilling and Production Regulation, The Oil and Gas Production Tax Act and Oil and Gas Production Tax Act Regulation, Manitoba's oil and gas operators are required to report volumetric, valuation, and infrastructure data to the Petroleum Branch. As of May 2020 reporting requirements for oil and gas activities in Manitoba are changing with the implementation of Petrinex. This notice outlines the important changes to Manitoba's reporting requirements.

Submission through Petrinex

Beginning with the April 2020 production month, all operators are required to submit volumetric, valuation and infrastructure information electronically to the Petroleum Branch via Petrinex. Volumetric, valuation and some infrastructure information submitted directly to the Petroleum Branch will no longer be accepted.

Business Associates must complete reporting in Petrinex. To access Petrinex, operators must register a valid Business Associate Identifier (BA ID). All industry stakeholders that hold licenses or permits in Manitoba must register a BA ID. For more information about this process, please email the Manitoba Petroleum Branch at petroleum@gov.mb.ca.

Appendix 5 of the Petrinex Industry Readiness Handbook provides more information on reporting responsibility by specific stakeholder group.

Information Reported through Petrinex

Volumetric data: Reporting of volumetric data is required for a well or facility that produces oil, gas or water; or for the injection or disposal of water or any other substance. Volumetric data can be manually submitted online, or as a batch upload, to Petrinex.

Valuation: Valuation information is required for the purpose of calculating Crown Royalty and Freehold Production Tax owing on crude oil produced from Manitoba wells or units.



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Infrastructure: Infrastructure information for individual wells and facilities is required to ensure volumetric and valuation information is properly allocated and reported. Operators of wells and/or facilities must obtain an appropriate facility ID through Petrinex. Information submitted to successfully obtain a facility ID is dependent upon the type of facility for which an identifier is being sought.

This information is to be submitted monthly before the deadlines outlined in Petrinex's Reporting Calendar located on the Petroleum Branch website.

For more information on changes to reporting deadlines, please refer to Informational Notice 20-05.

Further Petrinex Information

The Petrinex Manitoba Industry Readiness Handbook, located on the Petroleum Branch website, contains additional information on Petrinex reporting.

The Petrinex Business Desk is available to assist in preparing for and using Petrinex.

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