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**Alberta Natural Gas Royalty Guidelines -  
July 2006 Edition Now Available**

The latest edition of the Alberta Natural Gas Royalty Guidelines, July 2006, with current updates for major changes in legislation and policy is now available.

In response to a client survey, the Alberta Natural Gas Royalty Principles and Procedures have been reorganized to be more user-friendly. Some structural changes to the Guidelines are complete and include combining the principles, the procedures, and the forms sections by subject matters. The intent of the reorganization is to assist clients in locating information quickly and to obtain information on each subject matter in one location.

The department updates the Alberta Natural Gas Royalty Guidelines when there is a major change in relevant policy or legislation, and regularly to incorporate information published in Information Letters and Information Bulletins. Some major changes included in this Guideline release are the Royalty and Related Information Review changes, specifically Unit Operating Cost Rate changes and the changes relating to the allowable cost information on the Petroleum Registry of Alberta.

The July 2006 edition is effective for October 2002 production periods forward. The September 2001 edition is still applicable for periods prior to October 2002.

The Guidelines may be printed from the department's Internet site located at: [www.energy.gov.ab.ca](http://www.energy.gov.ab.ca)

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