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To: All Manitoba Oil and Gas Operators

As an operator of oil and/or gas facilities in the province of Manitoba, you may already be aware that Manitoba has initiated a project to conduct volumetric and royalty related reporting through Petrinex.

By way of background, Petrinex is a joint strategic organization supporting Canada's upstream, midstream and downstream oil and gas industry. Petrinex is collaboratively governed by governments, regulators and industry across the Western Canadian Sedimentary Basin. For more information on Petrinex please visit <u>www.petrinex.ca.</u>

The Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers (CAPP) and the Explorers and Producers Association of Canada (EPAC) are strong supporters of the Manitoba Petrinex Inclusion Project. Industry benefits anticipated for the oil and gas industry in Manitoba include the following:

- 1. Increased standardization of business and operational processes between Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.
- 2. Extension to Manitoba users of the benefits Petrinex Industry users enjoy in other jurisdictions, including:
 - a. Having a single venue for access to timely, accurate and secure data;
 - b. Tools to assure submissions for government and Industry processes are correct and complete; and
 - c. The ability to conduct partner reporting in a standard, effective, electronic venue.

The design phase of this project commenced in April and will be completed in July 2019. To allow time for development, testing, training and implementation, Petrinex functionality for Manitoba operators will be implemented in the second quarter 2020.

As the Petrinex Industry Manager, I and my team of subject matter experts represent Industry's interests at Petrinex and contribute Industry expertise to Petrinex operations and management. The Industry Team is charged with ensuring that Manitoba oil and gas industry operators are aware and fully prepared for this change, scheduled for implementation Q2 2020.

To ensure that we are positioned to communicate with the correct individual in your company dealing with Petrinex, we encourage you to provide us with the name, telephone number, e-mail address, and the base working location (e.g., Winnipeg, Brandon, Calgary, etc.) of a prime contact (a Petrinex Manitoba "*Change Leader*") for your company.

To register your Manitoba *Change Leader* please contact the Petrinex Business Desk at 403-297-6111 in Calgary or 1-800-992-1144 toll free outside of Calgary; or e-mail your *Change Leader* contact information to us at <u>petrinexsupport@petrinex.ca.</u> While the design process for including Manitoba in Petrinex is already well underway, access to Petrinex functionality is currently only available to registered AB, SK and BC Business Associates. Manitoba operators will be provided with access to Petrinex once the Manitoba functionality has been fully implemented in 2020.

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