

Extension of Shadow Billing for All Saskatchewan Error Messages Other than Volumetrics

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Audience:	All Saskatchewan Users
Purpose:	Inform stakeholders of an extension to the shadow billing period for all reporting errors with the exception of volumetric reporting errors for non-waste plants. ECON also wants to clarify that errors for all production months commencing with March 2012 must be corrected by the end of shadow billing for Industry to avoid being invoiced for penalties that will be payable within 30 days of the invoice date.
Background:	Saskatchewan Petrinex users were informed that the initial shadow billing period for non-compliance fees would end after six months, which included reporting for the March 2012 through August 2012 production months. As there are still a number of functionality-related items that have been identified but will not be implemented until near the end of the shadow billing period, ECON has decided to extend the shadow billing period for most reporting functions.
Key Principles:	No Shadow Billing Extension for Non-Waste Plant Volumetric Errors
	The shadow billing period for volumetric reporting errors (VME0001 through VME0035) will be terminated with the end of the volumetric reporting cycle for the August 2012 production month.



TIP

Please be aware that ALL volumetric errors (VME****) related to reporting for production months starting with March 2012 through August 2012 must be corrected prior to the volumetric reporting deadline for the September 2012 production month. All penalties for uncorrected errors will be invoiced at that time and become payable within 30 days of the invoice date.

Shadow Billing Extension for All Errors Other than Non-Waste Plant Volumetric Errors

The shadow billing period for all errors other than VME**** errors is being extended to include Petrinex reporting for production months March 2012 through December 2012. These reporting errors must be corrected prior to the volumetric reporting deadline for the January 2013 production month to avoid being assessed penalties.

Penalty Assessment Waiver Process

An electronic waiver process for penalty assessment is being developed by ECON and will be communicated to Industry sometime before the end of the September 2012 production month reporting cycle. See new Tip dated October 18, 2012 -<u>"Saskatchewan Interim Penalty Waiver Process"</u>.

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