

**Seminar for Federal Oil and Gas Operators
Presented by the
Bureau of Land Management at
Aera Energy LLC Bakersfield
10000 Ming Avenue
Bakersfield, California 93311
8:30 a.m. - 3:20 p.m., May 24, 2007**

Agenda

8:00 a.m. Registration
8:30 Welcome - John Kaiser
8:35 Overview of BLM Roles and Responsibilities, Federal Statistics – Jeff Prude

How do I get a Lease?

8:50 Leasing – Laurie Moore, BLM Sacramento

How do I get a Permit?

9:00 to 9:50 Requirements for Geophysical Permits – Nora Dedios
Requirements for Obtaining Rights of Way – Dan Vaughn
Applications for Permit to Drill (APD's)/Sundry Notice Procedures – Jeff Prude
Electronic Permitting – John Kaiser

9:50 **Break**

Environmental Compliance Requirements

10:05 to 11:35 Compliance w/ Environmental Laws and Regulations - Denis Kearns
Cultural (Archaeological/Native American) Responsibilities – Kim Cuevas
Biological Resources including Programmatic Biological Opinion – Amy Kuritsubo
Lease Conduct, Requirements when in Habitat – Gabe Garcia

11:45-12:45 Catered Lunch

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Additional Post-Permit Actions

1:00 to 1:20 Lease Assignments/Transfers/Bonding – Nora Dedios
ROW Amendments, Assignments, and Renewals – Dan Vaughn

Inspection & Enforcement

1:20 to 2:20 Introduction to Petroleum Engineering Technician Staff, Areas of Responsibility, Production Accountability Reviews – George Garcia
Spill reporting and Clean-up guidelines – Kent Varvel
Onshore Orders – Richard Graham
Production Accountability – Jennifer Shives
Safety – Rod Sparks
Site Security – Kevin Coodey
Incidents of Non-compliance (INC's) and Written Orders – Glen Garnand

2:20 **Break**

General Program Updates

2:30 Royalty Rate Reduction Programs – Jeff Prude
Cost Recovery – Jeff Prude
2:40 Idle Well Program – John Kaiser
2:55 NPR2 Update – John Kaiser
3:05 Cooperative Efforts w/ the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources – John Kaiser - BLM, Randy Adams – DOGGR

Concluding Remarks

3:15 Wrap-up and Feedback
Questions and Answers
3:20 Adjourn
3:25 BLM Staff Available for Q&A

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