

**SUPPLEMENTAL
NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE ALASKA OIL AND GAS
CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

The Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (AOGCC) is proposing to adopt regulation changes in Title 20, Chapter 25 of the Alaska Administrative Code, dealing with Oil and Gas regulations.

The proposed changes are in response to AOGCC's periodic regulation reviews. In general, the proposed modifications aim to update and clarify the requirements, improve understanding, and streamline the implementation of the regulations.

This is a SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE adding to the NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES that was issued on July 20, 2016, concerning these proposed regulations revisions contained in the Department of Law file number JU2016200655; this SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE incorporates by reference information in the July 20, 2016 notice of proposed regulations. This SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE is being issued because the AOGCC has decided to hold a second oral hearing on those proposed provisions.

The AOGCC held its first public hearing on these proposed regulation changes on September 27, 2016. As a result of concerns raised during the September 27, 2016 hearing, a second oral hearing is scheduled for November 1, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. at the AOGCC, 333 West 7th Avenue, Anchorage Alaska 99501. The purpose of the hearing is to permit interested persons to provide more input to AOGCC staff regarding the regulatory amendments introduced at the AOGCC's Public Hearing held September 27, 2016. The pending proposed changes to the regulations are available on the AOGCC website <http://doa.alaska.gov/ogc/>. Written comments will not be taken at the second oral hearing. The hearing might be extended to accommodate those present before 9:30 a.m. who did not have an opportunity to comment.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact Jody Colombie at (907) 793-1221 no later than October 30, 2016 to ensure that any necessary accommodation can be provided.

For a copy of the proposed regulation changes, contact Jody Colombie at (907) 793-1221 or go to www.aogcc.alaska.gov.

A copy of material proposed for adoption by reference is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System or through the electronic link to the complete text. A copy of material proposed for adoption by reference may be viewed at the agency's office at 333 West Seventh Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99501.

After the November 1, 2016 oral hearing, the Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission will notice another hearing, adopt these or other provisions dealing with the same subject, or decide to take no action on them. The language of any final regulation may be different from the proposed regulation. You should comment during the time allowed if your interests could be affected.

Statutory Authority: AS 31.05.030 and AS 31.05.090

Statutes Being Implemented, Interpreted, or Made Specific: AS 31.05.090

Fiscal Information: The proposed regulation changes are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

DATE: September 29, 2016

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Cathy P. Foerster, Chair, Commissioner