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## **OIL SANDS INFORMATION BULLETIN 2013-12**

### **Subject: Learning Session on Mapping Tool Upgrade in OASIS**

GeoView is the Department of Energy's mapping tool used in the electronic Oil Sands Royalty (OSR) project application submission process to edit lands for inclusion/exclusion in project applications. A product upgrade to GeoView 9.3 will be made available to industry on **July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2013** in the Oil Sands Administrative and Strategic Information System (OASIS). The upgraded version, GeoView 10.0, offers advanced map options which improve its functionality; however, it requires that you learn some new and changed features in its editing process.

The updated Online Learning Modules will be made available early July on the [Electronic Transfer System \(ETS\) web page](#) and will indicate the land editing processes in GeoView 10.0. Project applicants are encouraged to visit this site for self-learning. First-time users must complete an on-line registration in order to obtain access to the training modules.

In addition, the Oil Sands Operations Branch will be conducting learning sessions on editing lands in project applications using GeoView 10.0. The sessions will provide a demonstration of the editing features and processes that will generally be used to edit lands. An active environment will be available for hands-on experience. Technical staff from the Department's Information Technology Branch will be on hand to answer questions related to the tool.

As companies must use this mapping tool in the electronic OSR project application process, it is recommended that each company send a representative to attend one of the two sessions. As each session will be the same there is only a need to attend one session. Please note that this session is not about the project application process itself. The focus will be using GeoView 10.0 to edit lands in the project application process. However, Project Engineers from the Project Engineering and Approvals group will also be in attendance to answer process-related questions, time-permitting.

### **Registration Details:**

Session Date: Tuesday, July 9, 2013

Time: Morning Session: 10:00 a.m. to Noon  
Afternoon Session: 1:15 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Place: Room 534B Training Room, AMEC Place  
300, 801 – 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW  
Calgary, Alberta  
*(Please check in with receptionist on the third floor for a visitor pass)*

Registration Contact: Teresa MacLeod at [OSODMailbox@gov.ab.ca](mailto:OSODMailbox@gov.ab.ca)

Registration Deadline: Friday July 5, 2013

Space availability is limited to 14 people per session. We ask that you send one representative from your company to attend. Additional sessions can be arranged based on demand.

**GeoView Help Support:** Please direct GeoView inquiries to: [Mogiss.Energy@gov.ab.ca](mailto:Mogiss.Energy@gov.ab.ca)

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