

Industry Tip

Allow user to report authorized abandonment after authorization expiry

Date	Module/Application/Functionality	Notes
March 31, 2021	Non-Routine Abandonment Authorization Expiry	Initial Release

Background/Issue

The system generates the hard-stop error message *“Approval is expired. Obtain Authorization from Ministry”* when an IRIS user attempts to report a Downhole Abandonment using a valid Abandoned Date prior to the authorization expiry on a current date that is greater than the *Authorized To Date* of the authorization.

The enhancement will allow IRIS users to report Abandonment activity against an expired approved Non-Routine abandonment authorization if the reported date of activity is prior to the *Authorization To* date for the authorization.

What are the changes?

New Notifications have been added to Non-Routine Abandonment Authorization.

- Within 30 days of the expiry of the authorization, the BA will receive a notification of pending expiry of the Non-Routine Abandonment Authorization with the following message:

“This notice is to advise you that the Authorization Number ##### for the Non-Routine Abandonment will expire in approximately 30 days. At that time, any associated abandonment activity will no longer be eligible for reporting under this authorization. Please follow the link for [Details](#). If there are any questions regarding this authorization, please follow the link [Contact Us](#) to contact the appropriate Service Desk at the Ministry of Energy and Resources.”

- In the case when Abandonment has not been reported, resulting in authorization expiry, the BA will receive a second notification within 7 days after the Non-Routine Abandonment Authorization expiry with the following message:

*“This notice is to advise you that the Authorization Number ##### for the Non-Routine Abandonment has expired. You have 7 days from the **Authorization To Date** to report under this authorization, after which any associated abandonment activity will no longer be eligible for reporting. This notice is not an extension of the Authorization To Date. Please follow the link*

for [Details](#). If there are any questions regarding this authorization, please follow the link [Contact Us](#) to contact the appropriate Service Desk at the Ministry of Energy and Resources.”

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