

## INFORMATION BULLETIN

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## **INVESTIGATION MEETING POSTPONED**

**DAWSON CREEK** – As communicated on January 11, 2009 the BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) is extending its investigation into the November 22, 2009 EnCana well site gas release.

The Commission had intended to conduct a meeting at the Pouce Coupe Seniors Hall at 7:00 pm on Thursday, January 14, 2010 in order to communicate investigation results to residents.

Due to the continuing investigation the meeting is being postponed.

The Commission has been in direct contact with many of the interested parties and is issuing this update in order to communicate the message to others.

The Commission will reassess the necessity for a community meeting as we continue to work with those directly affected.

The Commission is an independent, single-window regulatory authority of oil and gas activities within the Province of British Columbia. The Commission has regulatory responsibility for industry activity from the exploration and development phases. through to facilities operation and decommissioning. Among its more specific objectives is public safety, conservation of petroleum resources, and adjudicating a broad range of environmental, economic and social considerations.

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