

## Sour Gas: Health, Safety and You A Call for Participation

We invite you to share your experiences and issues about Alberta's sour gas regulatory framework. Help us identify and suggest possible solutions to the public health and safety issues related to sour gas.

*The Mandate of the Committee is that, through public consultation and analysis, we will evaluate existing sour gas policies, standards and regulations, report our findings, and give recommendations to the EUB for implementation by it and others.*

### About the Review Process...

In January 2000, the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board (EUB) initiated a review of the public health and safety requirements for Alberta's sour gas facilities. To receive input from the public, the first stage of the consultation will involve Regional Discussion Sessions to be held in selected Alberta communities this June. In addition, the Committee has initiated a consultation process for First Nations and Metis Settlements. In September and October, the Committee will come back to individuals that participated in the June sessions asking them to review a "Directions" document which will outline the Committee's proposed recommendations.

The scope of this consultation is focussed on health and public safety issues related to sour gas and does not include: the review of possible long-term or chronic effects of exposure to very low levels of sour gas on human or animal health; sulphur recovery (e.g. grandfathering, large plant versus several small plants); flaring; and, compensation relating to costs associated with emergency incidents. These issues are currently being dealt with by other organizations or committees.

### About the Advisory Committee ...

Our **Committee members** include representatives from the public at large; government; public health; industry; and experts in risk management.

### Providing your Input...

You, or your organization, will have the opportunity to meet with and speak directly to members of the Committee. **To arrange for a meeting time, we request that you contact us to pre-register. Written submissions** are encouraged and can be submitted in person at your Regional Discussion Session or by mail, fax or E-mail to the address below.

Locations and dates for the meetings are:

June 8	Millarville	June 22	Sundre
June 8	Vulcan	June 24	Grande Prairie
June 9	Pincher Creek	June 26	Edson
June 19	Red Deer	June 27	Hinton
June 20	Drayton Valley	June 28	Leduc
June 21	Rocky Mountain House	June 29	Calgary

**To pre-register** for the Regional Discussion Sessions in June, or request further information please contact us at:

**Phone:** 1-888-882-1286

**Email:** [sourgas-review@praxis.ca](mailto:sourgas-review@praxis.ca)

**On-line:** <http://www.publicsafetyandsourgas.org>

If you prefer to **pre-register by mail**, complete the form below as soon as possible and mail to:

Mr. Gerry DeSorcy, Chairman  
Advisory Committee on Public Safety and Sour Gas  
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Calgary, Alberta T2P 3G4

"Your input is important and will provide the foundation for our Committee's recommendations."

**Mr. Gerry DeSorcy, Chairman**

## Public Safety & Sour Gas

Please cut out and mail to the address above if you would like to book a meeting.

Your Name: Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Choice of Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Day Best for You:  Morning:  Afternoon:  Evening

Your Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Your E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_