



Titles Division Information Letter

Oil and Gas Titles

TITLES DIVISION

TITLES-04-03

**SUBJECT: ISSUE DATES OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS TENURES
ISSUED AT CROWN DISPOSITIONS**

Tenures sold at Crown dispositions of petroleum and natural gas rights have historically been issued on the same day as the Crown disposition. Effective March 4, 2004, the issue date of tenures acquired at a Crown disposition will be the day **following** the date of the Crown disposition. This will ensure tenure holders have full beneficial use of tenure agreements for the entire term.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald German". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

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