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New Editions of *Directive 007* and *Manual 011* – Brine-Hosted Mineral Amendments

Today, we released a new edition of [Directive 007: Volumetric and Infrastructure Requirements](#) and [Manual 011: How to Submit Volumetric Data to the AER](#) as part of the mineral resource regulatory framework implementation.

The directive and manual have been updated to include volumetric and infrastructure reporting requirements for brine-hosted mineral operations in accordance with the *Brine-Hosted Mineral Resource Development Rules* and *Directive 090: Brine-Hosted Mineral Resource Development*.

Directive 007 has been updated to include reporting requirements for brine-hosted minerals infrastructure data and monthly volumetric activities. Codes have been added to Petrinex so that industry can input infrastructure data for brine-hosted mineral wells and facilities. This revision enables the AER to charge fees for late or inaccurate submissions for brine-hosted mineral activity reporting. Effective January 2024, all brine-hosted mineral well and facility operators must report brine-hosted minerals activities monthly to the AER using Petrinex, in accordance with *Directive 007* and *Directive 090*.

Manual 011 has been updated with information on using Petrinex to report brine-hosted mineral activities, including updates to table 2 to include new brine-hosted mineral facility subtypes and additions to appendix 7 to include new brine-hosted minerals well statuses, including statuses for reporting incidental hydrocarbon production.

The revised edition of *Directive 007* is available on the [Directives](#) landing page, and the revised edition of *Manual 011* is available on [Manuals](#) landing page.

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