
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 208

**The Oil and Gas Authority (Levy and Fees)
and Pollution Prevention and Control (Fees)
(Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020**

PART 3

The Oil and Gas Authority Fees

Amendments to the Oil and Gas Authority (Fees) Regulations 2016

10.—(1) The Oil and Gas Authority (Fees) Regulations 2016^{M1} are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 4 (fees payable for consents and pipeline works authorisations) in the formula in paragraph (3), for “£595” substitute “£715”.

(3) In regulation 6 (fixed fees payable for other consents) for the table (fees for other consents) following paragraph (3), substitute the following—

<i>“Activity or matter requiring consent</i>	<i>Fee Payable</i>
Methodology proposed for the measurement of petroleum	£1,445
Drill a primary well	£610
Drill a sidetrack well branching off from the principal well to a target location different from that of the principal well	£590
Fit or refit equipment in a well for the purpose of enabling hydrocarbon production or injection	£320
Get petroleum from a licensed area	£990
Variation of a consent to get petroleum from a licensed area	£990
Flare or vent petroleum from a well	£725
Variation of a consent to flare or vent petroleum from a well	£725
Well suspension	£590
Put back into use any well subject to a well suspension	£320
Abandon a well permanently	£1,025
Change of licensee of a petroleum licence	£610

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Change of the beneficiary of rights granted by a petroleum licence	£610
Appointment of an operator under a petroleum licence	£1,825
Extension of the initial, second or final term of a petroleum licence	£4,640
Extension of the final phase of the initial term of a petroleum licence	£4,640
Amendment of a work programme	£4,640”

(4) In regulation 6A(1) (fees payable for consent to retention or development area proposals), for “£1,068” substitute “ £1,340 ”.

(5) In regulation 6B(1) (fees payable for determination of oil fields), for “£1,124” substitute “ £5,820 ”.

(6) In regulation 6C for the table (fees payable for metering examinations and tests) following paragraph (3), substitute the following—

<i>“Type of metering examination or test</i>	<i>Fee payable</i>
Metering examination under a seaward area production licence	£3,240
Metering examination under a petroleum exploration and development licence	£3,260
Meter flow calibration	£2,020”

(7) In regulation 7 for the table (fees payable for applications for petroleum licences) following paragraph (2), substitute the following—

<i>“Type of licence</i>	<i>Fee payable</i>
Landward petroleum exploration licence	£1,480
Seaward petroleum exploration licence	£1,480
Methane drainage licence	£120
Petroleum exploration and development licence	£3,955
Seaward area production licence	£5,930”

(8) In regulation 8(1) (fees payable for applications for gas storage licences), for “£2,100” substitute “ £5,930 ”.

(9) In regulation 9(1) (fees payable for applications for carbon dioxide appraisal and storage licences), for “£2,100” substitute “ £5,930 ”.

Commencement Information

II Reg. 10 in force at 1.4.2020, see [reg. 1](#)

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Marginal Citations

M1 [S.I. 2016/904](#) This instrument is amended by [S.I. 2017/426](#), [S.I. 2018/56](#) and [S.I. 2018/980](#).

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