# **EAMG 355: Assignment 3**

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| **Environment:** | Outside of Class Assignment |
| **Grading:** | / 50 marks (15%) |
| **Strategy:** | Case Study Research Assignment |
| **Evaluators:** | Instructor |
| **Time Commitment:** | 4-6 hours to complete |

Directions  
For this assignment you are required to read a case study and answer the related questions. You should use your course module material, class notes and online research. Support your answers with specific references from these sources. These references may include specific directives, procedures of regulations and knowledge gained from this course.

This is not a group assignment. Answer in your own words, and do not copy another’s work or allow yours to be copied.

**1. Your Case Study:**

Squirrel Gas (the Operator) and Pinecone Oil each have a 50% interest in an oil well that has been producing in Alberta for many years. Squirrel has determined the well has reached the end of its economic life and has decided to abandon the well.

**2. Provide your answers in point form or paragraphs. If you choose to answer in paragraph format, make sure that your sentences are complete. Make sure your instructor can easily tell which of the points you are answering. Marks will be deducted for spelling and grammar errors.**

* In your own words, provide a short explanation as to what options Pinecone has if Squirrel decides to abandon the well. What AER directive(s) will Squirrel need to comply with?
* Describe how Squirrel’s ‘Operations Accounting Team’ would be impacted. What would they have to do and what would types of issues should they consider during abandonment?
* Describe how Squirrel’s ‘Mineral Land Team’ would be impacted. What would they have to do and what types of issues should they consider during abandonment?
* Describe how Squirrel’s ‘Surface Land Team’ would be impacted. What would they have to do and what would types of issues should they consider during abandonment?
* Describe how Squirrel’s ‘WAM Team’ would be impacted. What would they have to do and what would types of issues should they consider during abandonment?
* Describe how Squirrel’s ‘JV Team’ of Company C would be impacted. What would they have to do and what would types of issues should they consider during abandonment?
* In your own words, summarize the basic steps that would be involved in preparing for the abandonment.

1. **Use the scoring guide to assess your draft – did you miss any of the components? Revise your work if necessary.**

**4. Upload your final work as an MS Word File to D2L for feedback and evaluation by the due date indicated on the course schedule. Make sure your name and assignment number is indicated in the file name. Late submissions will be penalized.**

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| **EAMG355 Assignment 2 Scoring Guide: 15% of Course Grade** | | |
|  | **Criteria** | **Ratings (marks)** |
| **1.** | **Relevancy:** The content is relevant and applicable to your topic. | /30 marks |
| **2.** | **Accuracy:** Your response contains accurate information and facts. | /10 marks |
| **3.** | **Grammar / Spelling:** The information utilizes correct grammar, punctuation, and spelling. | /5 marks |
| **4.** | **Citation:** Any quotes or information taken from the Internet, books, or articles are cited to recognize the source using the APA citation style. Any words which are not your own, your own thoughts need to be cited.  Do not copy the ideas of others, without giving them credit for their work and citing it correctly. | /5 marks |
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**Total Points \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
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