**FORM FPS3**

**Notice by holder to Scheme Manager of a cessation in production under section 43 of the** ***Mineral and Energy Resources (Financial Provisioning) Act 2018***

**Purpose**

Use this form if:

1. the resource activity for which an environmental authority is given is authorised under any of the following resource authorities:
2. a mining lease or mineral development licence under the *Mineral Resources Act 1989*;
3. an authority to prospect or petroleum lease under the *Petroleum and Gas (Production and Safety) Act 2004*;
4. a geothermal production lease under the *Geothermal Energy Act 2010*; and
5. after the start of production under the resource authority:
6. the holder ceases production under the resource authority and does not expect production to restart within 6 months after the cessation; or
7. production has not been carried out under the resource authority for 6 months.

**Who must give notice**

The holder of the authority.

**When must notice be given**

This notice must be given within 10 business days after:

* for 2(a) – the holder ceases production; or
* for 2(b) – the end of the 6-month period.

**Holder details**

Name:

Address:

Email:

Telephone number:

EA Number:

When did production first cease? …………………………………….

When is production expected to re-commence? ………………………………….

Please attach details

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Signed Date

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Name and position

Please forward completed forms to fps@treasury.qld.gov.au.

For more information on the Financial Provisioning Scheme please visit <https://www.treasury.qld.gov.au/resource/financial-provisioning-scheme/> or contact one of the Scheme representatives on 3035 3551.

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