Petroleum permits

Types of petroleum permits [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/types/]

NZP&M issues permits to prospect, explore or mine petroleum onshore and offshore.

Block Offer annual exploration permit tender process [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/block-offer/]

The New Zealand Government allocates petroleum exploration permits in an annual tender called a ‘Block Offer’.

Previous Block Offers [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/block-offer/previous/]

Apply for other petroleum permits or manage current permits [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/apply-manage/]

Under the Crown Minerals Act, a permit is required to prospect, explore, or mine for petroleum.


NZP&M provides online maps using real-time data to show all current petroleum permits, applications, and Block Offers in New Zealand.
Petroleum permit fees and royalties [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/fees-royalties/]

An overview of petroleum permit fees and royalty requirements.

Petroleum permit compliance and reporting requirements [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/compliance-reporting/]

The Crown Minerals Act requires all permit holders to keep detailed records and reports on prospecting, exploration, and mining activity.

Annual reports [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/compliance-reporting/annual-reports/]
Annual review meetings [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/compliance-reporting/review-meetings/]
Obligations and compliance [http://mbie17.cwp.govt.nz/permits/petroleum/compliance-reporting/obligations-compliance/]

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