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AgForce Projects delivers free webinar service for landholders affected by CSG

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AgForce Projects are delivering a free webinar to landholders, after recognising the need for landholders to have access to free information on CSG, without taking time away from their property.

The webinar - called 'Negotiation to Remediation' - and will discuss landholder involvements with CSG from the negotiation stage to remediation - when the company's activities on property ceases.

The webinar will run from 4pm to 5pm, Tuesday November 11 2014.

CSG Project Officer Daniel Phipps said it was still important to hold personalised workshops in the regions, but being able to deliver a webinar that can be attended while being able to stay on property was just as important for landholders.

"AgForce Projects understand that one of the major issues for landholders, when it comes to coal seam gas negotiation, is time taken away from the property.

"We held our pilot webinar on negotiation preparation earlier this year and our third webinar 'Negotiation to Remediation' will deliver an extensive range of information for landholders from the initial knock on the door through to what to expect when they pack up and move off your property."

The webinar will discuss: landholder rights and responsibilities when negotiating with a CSG company; an overview of negotiation process from initial activities to advanced development and operation and the phases of development and your rights in relation to these phases, including basic seismic to drilling wells and capping/abandoning wells.

Mr Phipps said it is important that landholders continue to have access to information on CSG, particularly in regards to the negotiation process.

"It is important that landholders are aware of what to consider during the negotiation process, including a range of conduct and compensation considerations that may be vital to the long-term security of their enterprise."

Landholders that are unable to attend the webinar are encouraged to register anyway, as the session will be recorded and provided electronically to all registrants.

For more information or to register visit www.agforceprojects.org.au

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