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New Submission Process for Changes In and About a Stream

EFFECTIVE DATE: FEB. 24, 2017

The BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) is advising operators that Changes In and About a Stream will be required in Post Construction Plan submissions made in eSubmission, effective Feb. 24, 2017.

Following February 24, operators will be required to submit spatial data for Changes In and About a Stream locations as part of the ZIP file of Post Construction Plans submitted via eSubmission.

Details of any works undertaken should also be included in the PDF of Post Construction Plan submissions. These include:

- A description of all remedial works (completed seeding / planting, etc.).
- A description of all instream works completed (stream bank armoring, rip-rap installations, etc.).
- Sketch plans that clearly delineate where the above works have taken place.

To incorporate this change, the <u>eSubmission Spatial Data Submission Standards manual</u> and <u>spatial shapefile</u> <u>templates</u> have been updated with new standards and templates.

As a reminder, notifications for Changes In and About a Stream must be submitted to the Commission within 60 days post completion of works.

Further information on requirements for Changes In and About a Stream and Post Construction plans are outlined in the <u>Permitting, Operations and Administration Manual.</u>

This change is part of a number of enhancements to eSubmission which will go live on Feb. 24, 2017. More information on these can be found on the <u>eSubmission web page</u>. Changes to spatial submission standards are listed in the Spatial Data Submission Standards manual revision log.

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