



September 18, 2020

To: TSL Holder

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Inactive Operations and Your Obligations

As a License holder, it is important for you to be aware that you are responsible for your Exhibit A area even if your operations are inactive. It is your obligation to continue to monitor your worksites during periodic shutdowns to ensure no detrimental effects are occurring and, where necessary, take actions to minimize such impacts. Within the TSL document Section 4.00 subsections 4.03, 4.06, 4.07, and Section 9.00, subsections 9.01 to 9.03 refer to schedules or legislation requirements the Licensee must be aware of and comply with during inactive operations.

BC Timber Sale license holders need to take actions to address issues such as:

- Road related landslide and erosion events (no waterbars or cross ditches established);
- Water management (plugged culverts);
- Ditches not cleaned out;
- Machine spills from parked equipment.

There are associated EMS incidents that can occur if steps are not taken to mitigate events occurring while operations are inactive. At this time BCTS is not setting an inspection frequency during shutdowns, but are relying on you to conduct periodic inspections based on risk and environmental conditions associated with your worksite.

If you have any questions and/or concerns regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me directly at 250 312-7280.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lorne Wood".

Lorne Wood
Certification Standards Officer
Kamloops Business Area