

Vehicle Inspections & Standards

NOTICE

Re: Deferral of Application for New Designated Inspection Facilities

This notice applies to all new applications to operate a Designated Inspection Facility (DIF) located in the following Lower Mainland Districts:

Vancouver	Coquitlam	Maple Ridge	Mission
Burnaby	Richmond	Delta	Surrey
Langley	Abbotsford	Chilliwack	North Shore



Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement has reviewed the number of DIF's operating in these areas. We have determined that there are over 750 active facilities which represents over 43% of the total number of facilities operating in the province. CVSE has determined that this number of DIF's is sufficient to meet the demands of the Vehicle Inspection Program at this time.

As a result, CVSE will not be accepting new applications for semi-annual (S) facilities received for these areas after June 03, 2011. Applications currently in the queue for auditing will be placed on a waiting list in the order received and processed accordingly.

CVSE will monitor the number of active facilities in these areas every 6 months and review this deferral to ensure that all requirements of the Inspection Program are met and that an acceptable level of service is maintained.

We regret that this action may cause a delay and / or inconvenience for individuals or businesses that are interested in participating as a Designated Inspection Facility.

Should any further information be required, please contact Steve Haywood, South Coast CVSE Regional Manager at (604) 575 3450 or Brian Kangas, A/Manager, Vehicle Inspection & Standards at brian.kangas@gov.bc.ca or (250) 953 4008.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bry", is positioned below the "Regards," text.

Brian Murray, Director
Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement Branch
Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure