What's New for Version 3.06.06 - Sept 2011

The following recent upgrades have been made to the ECAS application as part of Phase 2 of the July 1, 2010 Interior Appraisal Manual.

Category 1 - Fixes & business validation refinements

Global	Address email/workflow issue in ECAS3.06 by using Webade logic instead of MOF_ORG_DEFAULT logic.

Category 2 – Enhancements (user-friendliness)

ECAS30 Reference	Allow for new reappraisal reason code to be selected when a appraisal type of reappraisal is selected Five new codes will appear in a drop down. 1) BRS Beetle Resweep 2) CHM Change in Harvest Method 3) CID Change in Development 4) MIN Minister Directed 5) SSD Sudden and Severe Damage
ECAS60 Reference	Allow for new reappraisal reason code to be selected when a appraisal type of reappraisal is selected Five new codes will appear in a drop down. 1) BRS Beetle Resweep 2) CHM Change in Harvest Method 3) CID Change in Development 4) MIN Minister Directed 5) SSD Sudden and Severe Damage
ECAS62 Control	Regional Staff will have a new field called 'Number of Issues'. This field will consist of a drop down containing the values 1 thru 15 to be selected. This is an optional field.
ECAS69 BCTS	Remove the condition that require the upset rate to be manually entered when deciduous volume > 60 %.

Category 3 –Policy upgrades

COAST

ECAS41 – Cutting Authority Details	Appraisal Log Dump revisions based on an effective date of June 1 2006
	GAMBIER - North Island Central Coast Forest District
	(1) Johnstone Strait - Eve River - JSER
	(2) Johnstone Strait - Naka Creek - JSNC
	(3) Zeballos Inlet - Zeballos ZIZE

	(4) Muchalat Inlet - Gold River DLS MUGR
	GAMBIER - Campbell River Forest District
	(5) Bute Inlet - Moh Creek - BUMO
	(6) Mud Bay – MUDB
	(7) Union Bay – UBUB
	GAMBIER - Squamish Forest District
	(8) Harrison Lake Head –HLHE
	(9) Indian Arm -– INDA
Submit Validations	Reappraisal reason code must be entered with a relevant reason if appraisal type is reappraisal.

INTERIOR

ECAS62 Control	Regional Staff will have a new field called 'Number of Issues'. This field will consist of a drop down containing the values 1 thru 15 to be selected. This is an optional field.
ECAS63 Cruise Information/ Tree-to-Truck	Change Distance to Support Centre field from 'mandatory' to 'optional'
ECAS63 Cruise Information/ Tree-to-Truck	If only one harvest method exists for a submission, and contains an average slope of 0 (zero) percent, set CP Avg Slope to be zero.
ECAS64 Log Transportation	Remove the edit that forces a Primary Haul Method of 'H' (Highway) when the CP Avg. Vol/Tree is less than 0.2 m3/tree **effective July 1, 2011**
ECAS64 Log Transportation	Secondary Cycle time may be populated and is not dependent on whether Primary Cycle time is populated or not.
ECAS65 Specified Operations	Disable Suitable Secondary Structure Survey **effective July 1, 2011**
ECAS66 Culverts	Add a circular Pipe Diameter 0.95 to drop down list of valid diameter effective July 1, 2008.
ECAS67 Tabular Roads	Disable 'T' Temporary Roads as a road type effective June 1, 2010.
ECAS67 Tabular Roads	Effective June 1, 2010, Road Groups 3,7, 8 and 9, must have Rock Percent field filled in. Change from optional to mandatory.
ECAS69 BCTS	Add a new radio button for upset stumpage rate sections on the screen. Section a) 5.1.1(1) is for MPS70 + submissions.
ECAS69 BCTS	If Decked Volume is blank, pass 0 (zero) to GAS for the decked volume field.
Submit Validations	Change Distance to Support Centre field from 'mandatory' to 'optional' Change Rock % from 'optional' to 'mandatory' when Road Group is 3,7, 8 or 9. Change valid road types on or after July 1, 2010 from 'L,S,T and W' to ' L,S and W'

	Reappraisal reason code must be entered with a relevant reason as provided for by the Interior Appraisal Manual (IAM).

Category 4 –DTD updates

Coast	1.Allow for revised ALD (appraisal log dump), Point of Appraisal and District combinations 2.Allow for new reappraisal reason code with values of BRS, CHN, CID, MIN and SSD 3. Reappraisal reason code must be entered with a relevant reason if appraisal type is reappraisal.
Interior	1.Allow for new reappraisal reason code with values of BRS, CHN, CID, MIN and SSD 2. Disable 'T' Temporary Roads as a road type effective June 1, 2010 3. Reappraisal reason code must be entered with a relevant reason if appraisal type is reappraisal. 4. Change Distance to Support Centre field from 'mandatory' to 'optional'

Category 5 –ESF updates

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Interior	1.Allow for new reappraisal reason code with values of BRS, CHN, CID, MIN and SSD 2. Disable 'T' Temporary Roads as a road type effective June 1, 2010. 3. Reappraisal reason code must be entered with a relevant reason if appraisal type is reappraisal. 4. Change Distance to Support Centre field from 'mandatory' to 'optional'

Category 6 –Tech spec/documentation updates

Updated resultant from the changes above. All documentation can be accessed from the ECAS Project website, http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/hva/ECAS/index.htm .

<u>Category 7 – Online Help updates</u>

1) New Reappraisal Reason code
2) New Number of Issues Field for Regional Staff
3) Change to valid road type for Interior Tabular Roads
4) Changes to validations for Interior Submit
5) New MPS70+ button on BCTS screen for Interior
6) Change distance to support centre to optional
7) Remove Suitable Secondary Structure Survey from Interior Specified Operations