

British Columbia Mine Safety Awards Mine Safety Technology Award

General Rules

- 1. At the Chief Inspector's discretion, awards will be given to eligible mines with the highest score following the award rubric in the competition period or year.
- 2. Mines will be required to self-score with the attached rubric; however, the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Low Carbon Innovation's award committee will verify the information for the top applications.
- 3. Eligible operations are permitted mines.
- 4. The competition year is from January 1st to December 31st. For the first year of this award, mines may include technology developed retroactively.
- 5. The hours worked by all employees are to be counted except for those persons who do not fall under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Low Carbon Innovation, such as in cement works, lime kilns, ready-mix plants, etc. Worker hours include contractor hours.
- 6. Other factors that will be considered in adjudicating awards include recent compliance history and the number and type of complaints associated with the operation.
- 7. To be considered, mines must complete the application process as prescribed and submit the completed application by the deadline.
- 8. The administration of the competition is by the Chief Inspector of Mines.