



BRITISH
COLUMBIA

CUMULATIVE EFFECTS FRAMEWORK

MOVING FORWARD

WORKSHOP 2

Target Audience

Selected environmental assessment practitioners who will be required to incorporate cumulative effects assessments into their related projects or programs.

Workshop 2 will focus primarily on the interests and needs of selected environmental assessment practitioners. The workshop will provide an important opportunity to solicit critical review and input from the perspective of EA practitioners.

Goals of Workshop 2:

- Familiarize practitioners with the purpose, scope, and content of the draft policies for Cumulative Effects Assessment and Management pursuant to the BC Cumulative Effects Framework (CEF).
- Build understanding among practitioners of how CEF Assessment outcomes can inform and support project planning (including mitigation planning), environmental assessment (EA), and preparation of applications for EA Certificates and permits.
- Build understanding among practitioners of how CEF Assessment outcomes will be considered in natural resource sector decision-making, including in the review of applications and development of EA Certificate and permit conditions.
- Solicit practitioner feedback on the scope, content, and implementation of the draft policies and the relationship between the CEF and project-specific EA and permitting processes.
- Build practitioner awareness of next steps, timelines for development and implementation, and opportunities for future engagement on CEF products.

Time: 9:00 to 3:30

Date: 17 June 2016

Location: SHERATON VANCOUVER AIRPORT HOTEL

7551 Westminster Highway, Richmond, BC V6X 1A3

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The draft policies for cumulative effects [assessment](#) and [management, discussion paper on procedures, grizzly bear value summary](#), and the EA-CEF Interface Bulletin will serve as the basis for discussion during the workshop. It is recommended that all workshop participants review the drafts prior to the workshop, as there will not be sufficient time during the workshop to review the documents in detail. The EA-CEF Interface Bulletin will be distributed to registered participants prior to the workshop.



Time	Workshop 2 - Draft Agenda	
	1	Introduction
9:00	1.1	Welcome and introductions
9:05	1.2	Overview of the Cumulative Effects Framework
	1.3	Progress overview
	1.4	Linkages with EA
	1.5	Purpose and objectives of the workshop
9:25	1.6	Workshop overview
	2	Policy for Cumulative Effects Assessment
9:30	2.1	Overview of Cumulative Effects Assessment
9:35	2.2	Values selection and approval
9:55	2.3	Defining Assessment Protocols
10:00	2.3.1	Objectives
10:30		BREAK - snacks and refreshments provided
10:45	2.3.2	Indicators
	2.3.3	Boundaries
11:10	2.4	Assessing Condition and Trend
11:40	2.5	Reporting
12:00		LUNCH - light lunch provided
	3	Policy for Cumulative Effects Management
1:00	3.1	Cumulative Effects Management Classes
1:05	3.2	Management Responses
1:50	3.3	Considering CE in Decision-Making
1:55	3.3.1	Considering CE in Project-Specific EA
2:20	3.3.2	Considering CE in Permitting
2:35		BREAK - snacks and refreshments provided
	4	Aboriginal Engagement
2:50		Aboriginal engagement and assessment
	5	Next Steps
3:10		Next steps

There are no registration fees for attending the workshop. Space may be limited, so early registration is encouraged. For inquiries or to register for the workshop, please contact CumulativeEffects@gov.bc.ca. If you are registering, please provide your contact information, your organizational affiliation, number of people attending, and the workshop number (Workshop 2) you wish to attend.