

# **COAST AREA - Concurrent Residual Harvest System (CRHS)**

## **FAQ**

- 1. What if a load arrives with Concurrent Residual Harvest System (CRHS) on the Load Description Slip (LDS) but it doesn't fit the Grade Profile of the CRHS strata?**
  - The timber weigher on site will stratify the load according to the stratum description it matches. This may not be a CRHS stratum as expected but rather the stratum whose description fits the load. If it doesn't fit any stratum description at the site then it must be *Red Tagged*, which means that the load is taken out of the weight system and *Piece Scaled*. Ministry will be monitoring the strata profiles as we do with other revenue risks.
  
- 2. How will the Ratios and Grade Profiles be updated and how often?**
  - Grade profiles and ratios will be monitored and may be updated on a quarterly basis under the authority of the Director, Timber Pricing Branch (TPB). TPB reserves the right to sample CRHS loads at any facility at any time for the purpose of adjusting strata ratios and/or grade profiles. Additional/changes to strata may be added after the initial period of 3 months.
  
- 3. Can CRHS material be received at sites that have a Primary Manufacturing facility onsite?**
  - For sites where there is a primary manufacturing facility, a procedure for keeping material bound for the CRHS program separate from other incoming material must be attached to the district CRHS Application form by the applicant.
  
- 4. Can licensees only apply for CRHS for their own tenure?**
  - The licensee may only apply for the CRHS for tenures directly managed by the licensee and must ensure these are approved under an authorized Cutting Authority.
  
- 5. When can the CRHS process be used on a cutblock?**
  - A licensee can apply to use the CRHS process, with the approval of the District Manager, at any time during the term of the cutting authority.
  
- 6. Are there any special Harvest Billing System instructions for entering CRHS strata?**
  - Licensees will determine which strata from the table of CRHS strata (Appendix 1) they will be using and those specific strata will be set for the receiving scale site under the direction of the Area/District Scaling staff.
  - The species profile will be determined by the licensee application and the Area/District staff.
  
- 7. Can I use an Unattended Weigh Scale to weigh loads of timber into the CRHS program?**
  - Unattended Weigh Scales can only be used for CRHS Processed Deliveries (Chips and Hogfuel).
  - Loads of timber must be weighed in by a timber weigher to ensure consistency in the grade and species profile of the loads.