



Coastal GasLink

The Coastal GasLink project is being built to transport natural gas from northeast British Columbia to the LNG Canada export facility in Kitimat.

Once natural gas reaches LNG Canada, it will be cooled to -162 degrees Celsius, securely stored, and shipped to Asia and other markets.

Construction activities are underway, and the pipeline is scheduled to go into service in 2023.

Things you should know:

- ▶ The Government of British Columbia develops legislation and sets standards for the natural gas industry to operate within provincial borders.
- ▶ Pipeline development is tightly regulated. Construction activities are closely monitored, with inspections conducted regularly. Public safety is a top priority.
- ▶ Provincial oversight is already applied to over 47,000 kilometres of pipeline infrastructure in British Columbia. Once completed, the Coastal GasLink pipeline will stretch 670 kilometres in length.
- ▶ The Coastal GasLink project was subject to a comprehensive environmental assessment resulting in the development of 33 legally binding conditions.
- ▶ Consultation has been extensive. British Columbia has signed benefits agreements with the vast majority of First Nations communities neighbouring LNG Canada and along the pipeline route.
- ▶ Environmental Assessment Certificate conditions and ongoing project oversight ensure the environment is protected, the public is safe, and potential socio-economic effects are mitigated or avoided altogether.



BC Oil and Gas Commission

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The BC Oil and Gas Commission is the province's primary regulator for the natural gas sector. Permitting and oversight is provided to this agency through provincial legislation.

The BC Oil and Gas Commission has over 200 skilled professionals - geologists, hydrologists, engineers and environmental specialists – overseeing the construction activities underway.

General inquires toll free: 1-800-663-7867

24-hour incident reporting: 1-800-663-3456

BC Environmental Assessment Office

www.gov.bc.ca/eao

British Columbia's Environmental Assessment Office leads the assessment of major resource development projects in B.C. These assessments evaluate a project's environmental, economic, health, cultural and social effects.

Engagement with Indigenous groups, local governments and the public is an essential element of the environmental assessment process.

The Environmental Assessment Office is also responsible for ensuring projects remain in compliance with the conditions of their environmental assessment certificate.

General inquires and incident reporting:

eaoinfo@gov.bc.ca

Did you also know?

The Government of British Columbia has a dedicated website for updates and information related to permitting and the regulatory oversight applied to the LNG Canada project. Visit lng.gov.bc.ca for more information.