

**February 21, 22 and 23, 2007, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm**  
**The University of British Columbia, Dept. of Civil Engineering, Vancouver, BC**  
**Room CEME 1202, Civil/Mechanical Engineering Building, 2324 Main Mall**

**February 22, 2007:      Draft Revisions and Other Planned Changes to the Contaminated Site Regulatory Regime in BC**

*Seminar Synopsis*

This is one of three seminar/workshop days taking place in February 2007. The three days have been organized so that they can be taken as a group (for those who are relatively new to the practice in BC), or individually (for those who are already familiar with some of the topics). Those who are less experienced in contaminated sites practice in BC may wish to take Day 1 as a primer for Day 2.

Day 2 focuses on the imminent planned changes to the regulatory regime, as well as some longer-term anticipated revisions. Presentations on specific changes will be illustrated through examples to highlight implications for site owners, practitioners and approved professionals.

*Learning Objective*

To develop a detailed understanding of CSR updates and revisions presented in draft documents released by BCMOE, as well as familiarity with anticipated future changes.

*Schedule*

The seminar will run from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm; lunch (included) is from noon until 1:00 pm.

*The Proposed Agenda*

8:00-8:30      Refreshments and Introductions

**MORNING SESSION: Update and discussion of regulations, policies and selected topics**

8:30-10:00    Part 1 - Introduction and Overview: “Big Picture” linkage between proposed changes and how they may affect contaminated site practice

Part 2 - Update on the Contaminated Sites Program: MOE reorganization, planned amendments, new CSAP system

Part 3 – Priority Protocol, Procedure, Guidance and Policy Developments:

- Protocol 6, Contaminated Site Fees, Site Profiles
- Establishing site boundaries, off-site contamination

10:00-10:15   Refreshment Break

10:15-12:00   Part 3 – Continued:

- Protocol 12, Classifying Site Risk Levels
- Interim Air Concentration Criteria and Soil Vapour Investigation Guidance

**AFTERNOON SESSION: New tools and protocols**

1:00-2:15      Part 3 – Continued:

- Supplemental Guidance for Risk Assessments
- Protocol 13, Screening Level Risk Assessment

2:15-2:30      Refreshment Break

- 2:30-4:00 Part 4 – Other policy or guidance development
- Oil and Gas Commission
  - CSST Protocol for setting new standards
  - Detailed ecological risk assessment guidance
- 4:00-4:30 Part 5 - Discussion - How to use contaminated site investigation and remediation under the proposed changes, and efficiently obtain regulatory instruments