

## Spill Policy Advisory Committee and Working Group

In November of 2012, the Ministry of Environment released its Intentions Paper on the development of its policy on Land Based Spill Preparedness and Response. The Ministry received approximately 90 responses to its Intentions Paper from the public, industry, government, First Nations, and stakeholders.

The ministry's strategy for gathering input into its policy development included establishing working groups to engage in further discussion, hosting webinars; informal one-on-one discussions with stakeholders from a variety of sectors; as well as hosting a symposium to discuss the elements of a world class spill preparedness and response regime.

The Ministry aimed to draw membership for the working group from:

- Government - local, provincial, federal;
- First Nations;
- Industry (specifically those sectors that would be subject to regulation);
- Environmental non-governmental organizations (ENGOS).

During the period of January to March, 2013, a series of meetings and teleconferences occurred between ministry staff and representatives from the industry sectors that would be most affected by BC's policy development, as well as representatives from ENGOS. During these meetings, next steps for BC's policy development were outlined, including seeking expressions of interest for participation in a working group.

In March 2013, ministry staff made direct contact with representatives from First Nations and ENGOS to encourage interest in the working group, as well as participation at the upcoming symposium. Uptake on participation in the working group was limited, with the lack of capacity being cited by many as the barrier to participation.

The working group met twice in March 2013. Representation from FN and ENGOS was limited at both meetings. Subsequent to the symposium and the second working group meeting (followed directly after the symposium), the ministry decided to re-organize the working group as follows:

- Establish an Advisory Committee comprised primarily of industry representatives. First Nations participating in the former working group were offered the opportunity to participate on the Advisory Committee, or alternatively be briefed on the progress of the policy development;

- Establish 3 technical working groups to address preparedness and prevention; spill response standards; environmental and natural resource recovery;
- Establish BC government and Federal government communication forums to keep government agencies informed of the progress on policy development and seek their input.

In April of 2013, the original working group members were advised of the changes to the process and asked to submit nominees for the advisory committee and the working groups. Terms of reference for the advisory committee and working groups were developed with input of the groups. In June 2013 the new structure was implemented and a number of meetings with all the groups noted above have subsequently taken place.

The ministry expects to finalize this stage of its policy development early in 2014. A second intentions paper will be prepared based on all information received to date from: consultation on the first intentions paper; input received at the symposium; feedback received post-symposium; working group and advisory committee discussions; and, one-on-one conversations with stakeholders and other government agencies. The second intentions paper will be publicly released for a full consultation process, which will provide stakeholders and the public with another opportunity to provide further input on BC's spill response policy development. This consultation period will include targeted outreach to First Nations, local governments and environmental non-governmental organizations to brief them on the intentions paper and solicit feedback.

Working Group Members: March 12th			March 27th alternates			April 26th	
Brent Olson, Keystone – Environmental Consultant	BCEIA	BC Environmental Industry Association	Not Responsive				
Shawn Barton, Tervita – 3rd Party TERSP Standard Spill Responder-	BCEIA	BC Environmental Industry Association					
Patrick Knight, Quantum Murray Emergency Response	BCEIA	BC Environmental Industry Association					
Mark Jasper, Quantum Murray Emergency Response	CERCA	Canadian Emergency Response Contractors' Alliance					
Ken Johnson, Ken Johnson Trucking Ltd.	BCTA	BC Trucking Association					
Sandy McDonald, Alchemist Specialty Carriers	BCTA	BC Trucking Association					
Louise Yako, President and CEO BC Trucking Association	BCTA	BC Trucking Association					
Shell Clarke, Husky Energy	CFA	Canadian Fuels Association					
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David Zajdlik, Parkland	CFA	Canadian Fuels Association					
Joe Fuoco, Chevron	CFA	Canadian Fuels Association					
Doug Kittle, Practical Preparedness Services	CIAC	Chemistry Industry Association of Canada					
Randal Sarrazin, Chemtrade Logistics	CIAC	Chemistry Industry Association of Canada					
Jim Bird, Univar	CACD	Canadian Association of Chemical Distributors					
Chris Bunce, CP	RAC	Railway Association of Canada		Kevin Houle, CP on behalf of Chris Bunce	Railway Association of Canada		
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Mike Lowenger, Railway Association of Canada	RAC	Railway Association of Canada		Michael Gullo on behalf of Jean Ouellette	Railway Association of Canada		
Jean Ouellette, CN	RAC	Railway Association of Canada					
Owen McHugh, Enbridge	CEPA	Canadian Energy Pipeline Association		Adrian Michielsen on behalf of Gary Beuk	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers	Not Responsive	
		Canadian Energy Pipeline Association					
Dan O'Rourke, Kinder Morgan	CEPA	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers					
Gary Beuk, Imperial Oil Resource	CAPP	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers					
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Bryan Donnelly	CAPP	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers					
Adrian Michielsen, Esso	CAPP	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers					

William Chung	TC	Transport Canada	
Kate Moir	EC	Environment Canada	
Lance Ollenberger	OGC	Oil and Gas Commission	Grant Hogg
Linda Harmon	MOTI	Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure	
	FN	Coastal First Nations Group	
	FN	Haisla First Nation	
S22	FN	Treaty 8 Tribal Council	Not Responsive
	FN	Tsawwassen First Nation	
TBD		T. Buck Suzuki Foundation	
			Not Responsive
Declined Participation			
Dr. Rob Powell		Word Wildlife Fund	Not Responsive
Brenda Belak		West Coast Environmetnal Law	
Karen Wristen		Living Oceans Society	
S22		Shuswap Nation Tribal Council	
Dr. Faisal Moola		D. Suzuki Foundation	
Brian Woznikoski, Assistant Chief Surrey Fire Service		Fire Chief's Association of B.C.	
			Phil Lamarch, Suncor, CFA
Withdrew			
Linda Manka, Shell Canada		Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers	
Pembina		CEPA will work with the two members for now.	

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Peter Devenis, Talisman Energy	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers		Michael Gadde on behalf of Peter Devenis	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers	Bryan Donnelly replacing Peter Devenis
Linda Manka, Shell Canada	Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers			Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers	
William Chung	Transport Canada		Bryan Donnelly		Not Responsive
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				Phil Lamarch, Suncor, CFA	
				Brain Donnelly	

## Environmental Non-Governmental Organizations invited to webinar

BC Environmental Network
BC Wildlife Federation
Canadian Wildlife Service
Friends of Clayquot Sound
Reach for Unbleached
Focus Wildlife
Focus Wildlife
BC Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA)
Steelehead Society of BC, Northern Branch
WRA Wildlife Rescue Association of BC
Global Compliance Research Project

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