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Situational Awareness:

Coastal GasLink (CGL)		
Recent Updates	RCMP Response	Source
<p>March 11, 2023 - RCMP received a report of mischief (object thrown and broke a window) to a CGL vehicle near KM 44 and the Lamprey Creek Recreational site protest occupation. Police attended and investigated. Police arrested a person for mischief and in the process this accused apparently resisted, obstructed and assaulted police. Minor injuries resulted. The accused also summoned others to the area. Police advised that a group of up to 13 persons opposing the CGL project are now in the area.</p> <p>RCMP and the LNG Secretariat advised that CBC News is presently in the KM 44, Lamprey Creek and Martin FSR area doing a follow up story on the attack against CGL workers and infrastructure that occurred at the drill platform one year ago.</p> <p>The LNG Secretariat advised that drill work</p>	s.15	BCOGC, RCMP and LNG Secretariat

s.16	of critical infrastructure.
s.15	RCMP investigating to determine the source and validity of the anonymous Twitter feed.

Recent Updates
<p>s.15</p> <p>s.15 .There is a history of direct action against the CGL project by several project opponents, which some of these matters are before the courts as criminal proceedings.</p>

Save Old Growth (SOG) - Teal Jones Cedar Products		
Recent Updates	RCMP Response	Source
RCMP and media report that the CRCC has is undertaking a review of RCMP actions in regard to the Community Industry Response Group (CIRG) actions on enforcement of the TJCP, CGL and TMEP injunction orders. Media released	s.15	

from the CRCC refers as attached.		
s.15		
Background in Relation to Recent Updates		
SOG protesters under various banners (mainly the Rainforest Flying Squad) have taken direct action against TJCP operations which triggered police enforcement and has resulted hundreds of accused now before the SCBC on contempt of court and other charges. .		
Trans Mountain Expansion Project (TMEP)		
Recent Updates	RCMP Response	Source
RCMP advise that TMEP protest activity has slowed and no direct action has occurred for several weeks.	s.15	
Background in Relation to Recent Updates		
The TMEP has been the site of protest activity and subject to direct action by project opponents in the Blue River and Lower Mainland areas. In the recent past, TMEP was highly opposed in the Blue River area by the Tiny House Warrior (THW) occupation which is located beside a major TMEP employee work camp. .		

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As update and with regards. If any questions or concerns, please call.

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Trans Mountain Expansion Project (TMEP)		
Recent Updates	RCMP Response	Source
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Coastal GasLink reports 2 spills while tunnelling under Morice River in northern B.C.

B.C.'s Energy Regulator investigates reports of clay lubricant release during pipeline construction

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Good Afternoon Norm,

Sometimes a meeting of one is the most effective use of our time, I hope it was enjoyable.

The only update that I would have had for the team today is that the s.21

s.21 . There are no other changes.

Of course I can let the group know this on the meeting next week.

Take care.



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Situational Awareness:

Coastal GasLink (CGL)		
Recent Updates	RCMP Response	Source
June 7, 2023 - RCMP advised that Chief Namoks in the	s.15; s.16	RCMP, BCER, EAO and LNG Secretariat

<p>company of 2 representatives of Amnesty International (AI) attended to the Marten FSR Drill site area unannounced seeking access to the construction site. RCMP attended and spoke to the attendees. AI produced as letter - copy attached. After discussions with police, Chief Namoks (John Risdale) and AI delegates were given access by CGL Security to the Marten Drill site area. There the group walked about to work area for a few minutes then left the site without incident. RCMP advised that AI delegates are residing at the Lamprey Creek occupation site with a small number of protesters that reside on this site.</p> <p>June 5, 2023 - BCER and EAO provided further clarity around "stop work orders" - work stops, remediation is done by CGL, it is inspected by EAO/BCER and if to permit expectations is allowed to resume.</p>	<p>s.15; s.16</p> <p>RCMP aware of the work resuming in the Clore River area and liaised with Amnesty International delegates and Chief Namoks at the Marten FSR CGL Drill site.</p>	
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EAO has advised that some CGL work will resume in Clore River and nearby waterways. Stop work orders rescinded.

EAO and BCER have inspectors in the field on an ongoing basis - to follow up on complaints, for CGL self-reporting and to conduct routine inspections to ensure work is in compliance to permits authorizations.

June 5, 2023 - The Unistot'en and Gidimt'en social media continues to call opponent to action by requesting reports be made to government agencies and elected officials - see attached. EAO and MOF report having to respond to numerous complaints as a result of this.

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<p>No new information for this week.</p> <p>On May 15, 2023 - RCMP advised that the Rainforest Flying Squad reunion plans have not come to fruition according to social media sources.</p> <p>On May 8, 2023 -s.15; s.16 s.15; s.16</p> <p>On May 8, 2023 - MOF confirmed that a review is underway as to a complaint that Cooper Creek clear cut operations have created a negative visual image contrary to the BC Forest Practices Act.</p>	<p>No police action required on these matters for this week.</p>	

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