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### **Introduction of the OBCCTC Tag**

The Office of the British Columbia Container Trucking Commissioner (“OBCCTC”) has been actively working on ensuring Off-Dock compliance by carrying out enforcement initiatives jointly with other agencies. In an effort to improve tag administration and make it easier for investigators to identify tagged trucks, the OBCCTC is introducing a tag (“OBCCTC Tag”) which would significantly contribute to the objective of enhancing enforcement efficiency.

Historically, the OBCCTC has accepted the Vancouver Fraser Port Authority’s (“VFPA”) master decal (“TLS decal”) affixed to a truck, as meeting requirements of having a truck tag. The OBCCTC Tag will be affixed to every truck that performs the CTS work, in addition to the existing TLS decal. We are not giving out any additional tags at the moment and the OBCCTC Tag will only be affixed to an already tagged truck. The TLS decal is a requirement of the VFPA Access Agreement and will remain in place.

The benefits of the OBCCTC Tag include being more visible and having a specific serial number to identify if the tag is assigned for company or Independent Operator (“I/O”) approved truck.

Please note that obtaining the OBCCTC Tag will incur no additional costs to the licensees. For further information on the OBCCTC Tag, please visit this link: [The OBCCTC Tag](#)

It is the responsibility of every current licensee to ensure that all their trucks (both the company trucks and the trucks of I/Os sponsored by them) get the OBCCTC Tag affixed on them. It is mandatory, not optional.

Sincerely,

**OFFICE OF THE BC CONTAINER TRUCKING COMMISSIONER**

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