

Vehicle Inspections & Standards

INFORMATION BULLETIN

To Authorized Inspectors

Re: Authorized Inspectors Personal BCeID

Currently the Vehicle Inspection Program (VIP) requires all Designated Inspection Facilities (DIF) to have a business BCeID to submit and complete provincial vehicle inspection reports. In the fall of 2012, a new VIP online program will be implemented which will provide upgraded security enhancements for the submission of inspection reports. The benefit of these upgrades will offer more protection against misuse of Authorized Inspector (AI) certificates.

Prior to the implementation of the new VIP program, all AI's must have their own personal BCeID to verify provincial vehicle inspection reports. A personal BCeID is not affiliated with nor connected to the BCeID used by a DIF. Failure to obtain a personal BCeID will result in AI's inability to perform vehicle inspections.

To hold a valid Authorized Inspector Certificate all inspectors must have a personal email and personal BCeID to ensure all access is secure. The BCeID must be in your legal name as displayed on your driver's licence or government issued identification.

To create your BCeID please go to www.bceid.ca and follow the links below.

- Click on the 'Register' button at bottom right.
- Click 'Register for a Personal BCeID' button on the right.
- Follow the online instructions for registering for a Personal BCeID.

After online registration is complete, you must present your identity documents in person at a Point of Service location within 60 days to verify your identity and finish registration. You will need 2 pieces of ID. For example, a valid BC Driver's Licence with a photograph taken within the last 5 years and a Birth Certificate. To find the closest Point of Service location, click on the 'Point of Service Location' link on the left or at bottom of the BCeID web pages.

The use of the personal BCeID information is solely the Authorized Inspector's responsibility. If the BCeID information is misused, the AI will be subject to enforcement.

For more information click on 'What's New' at http://cvse.ca/vehicle_inspections.htm. Should you have any further questions or concerns regarding this change, please contact the Vehicle Inspection Program at vehicle.inspections@gov.bc.ca or by phone at 250-952-0577.

Regards,



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