

**WESTERN STEVEDORING COMPANY LIMITED**  
**HEALTH, SAFETY, QUALITY AND ENVIRONMENT POLICY**

Western Stevedoring is a full service Terminal Operator and Stevedore headquartered in North Vancouver, British Columbia. We operate three (3) terminals in British Columbia (Lynn term, North Vancouver; Ogden Point, Victoria; and, Cowichan Bay, Duncan), and provide shipboard stevedoring services throughout the Province.

Western Stevedoring is committed to the Health and Safety of its Employees, Customers and other stakeholders, to protecting the environment in which we operate, through pollution prevention, protection of biodiversity and ecosystems, waste reduction, and minimization of our consumption of resources, while providing our Customers with the highest level of service satisfying their Health, Safety, Quality and Environment (HSQE) requirements.

Western Stevedoring's Pulp operation is certified to ISO 9001, its Health and Safety System conforms to WorkSafeBC's Certificate of Recognition (COR) Program, and the Company's Environmental Management System will conform to ISO 14001.

Management of Western Stevedoring will establish strategic direction for the Company's HSQE program and ensure that adequate resources are provided to meet the Company's HSQE obligations, including complying with applicable legal, and other requirements to which the Company subscribes, establishing appropriate and suitable HSQE objectives and targets, and establishing and overseeing a regular audit and monitoring program to ensure continual improvement of the Company's HSQE performance.

Western Stevedoring's Management Team is responsible for establishing, directing and supporting the Company's corporate strategy to ensure effectiveness, compliance, and full implementation of its HSQE program.

Supervisory personnel are provided with training to enable them to meet their obligations and responsibilities under the Company's HSQE program, consistent with applicable regulations and Company policy.

Workers are empowered to carry out their duties safely and efficiently while following applicable regulations and the Company's site specific rules and procedures, through appropriate support, supervision, training, and (two-way) communication.

This HSQE Policy is communicated to all Staff within the Company as well as to our Customers, Contractors and Suppliers, and will be available to the Public and other interested parties through selected media.



Brad Eshleman  
President

