

Road Closure – Restriction Notice

Under Section 6 of the Forest Service Road Use Regulation, I am closing the Fort St. James - Mackenzie Connector, (Philip Forest Service Road) to all heavy traffic (>5000 kg) and restricting light traffic (≤5000 kg) to Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays before 10:00 a.m. and after 5:00 p.m.. Light traffic will also be permitted before 10:00 a.m. Saturday and after 5:00 p.m. Sunday. Traffic supporting the Connector construction project is exempt.

The closure – restriction takes effect at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, October 16, 2010.

These actions are required to prevent damage to the road and associated forest and environmental resources while the road is under construction. The closure – restriction will remain in place until it is rescinded. The estimated date for this is late November.

The closure – restriction applies to the entire Connector construction area, between the junction of the Finlay and Philip Forest Service Roads and the junction of the Connector with the Rainbow Forest Service Road near Mount Milligan Mine.

The implementation of the closure – restriction will be by placement of signs and barricades on the road. These may be placed at different locations to provide access to parts of the road system, as conditions and construction activities permit.

Please be aware that even during times when light traffic is permitted, construction delays must be expected and closures may occur due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.

Please contact the Mackenzie Forest District at (250) 997-2200 or dave.francis@gov.bc.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

Original Signed by

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