



## Safety Standards Amendment Act Resulting Regulatory Authority and Process Changes

The [Safety Standards Amendment Act](#) came into force on Nov. 7, 2016 and has resulted in changes to the administration of regulatory authority and processes by the BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) and the [BC Safety Authority \(BCSA\)](#).

The BCSA continues to regulate pressure vessels, boilers, and boiler external piping.

Commission and BCSA authorities over the following have changed:

- Pressure piping within an oil and gas facility.
- Refrigeration systems and equipment.
- Elevating devices and passenger conveyors.
- Passenger ropeways.

[Appendix A](#) to the Commission and BCSA Memorandum of Understanding provides particulars regarding the above-mentioned authorities, and clarifies the regulatory responsibilities of the Commission and the BCSA.

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