

# Port Transportation Association

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To the Attention of Michael Crawford  
Office of the British Columbia Container Trucking Commissioner  
1085 Cambie St. Vancouver, BC V6B 5L7

July 9, 2020

Mr. Crawford,

Please accept this urgent letter in regard to the completion of section B.2.1 subsections 2, 3, and 4 of the 2020 CTS Application Package. While we understand that these statistics are important for your determination of the new licences, most companies do not have systems set up to quickly pull these numbers or pull them for that number of years with ease and complete accuracy.

It is with this in mind, that we are reaching out to you to have these figures released to us by VFPA and the off-dock terminals, who would be able to quickly pull this information through both the TLS GPS data, and records of reservations. We understand that this information may be considered confidential by VFPA and the off-dock terminals, and in this case, if the information could be provided directly to the Commissioner's office and a receipt of these reports be provided to companies so that they do not need to complete these sections of information.

Should this request not be granted, the PTA would like to request the application deadline be pushed until September 4, 2020. As we have advised our members, accuracy is of utmost importance; and accuracy takes time. In many cases this information must be calculated by hand by searching through paper documents; and in a time where offices still are not working at full capacity, and regular business operations must still continue, calculating these figures become an extraordinarily daunting task in such a short time frame.

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With our members' livelihoods on the line, we kindly ask that our concerns be considered and addressed as quickly as possible.

Sincerely,

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