

SEDAR[®] SUBSCRIBER UPDATE

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COMPANIES LISTED ON THE ALBERTA STOCK EXCHANGE OR THE VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE

The Canadian Venture Exchange ("CDNX") previously communicated that issuers which have become reporting issuers in both British Columbia and Alberta as a result of the merger of the ASE and VSE would file continuous disclosure documents via SEDAR in a special fashion, under the category "Other". **This method of filing continuous disclosure documents via SEDAR is not correct.**

Please be advised that issuers should prepare and file continuous disclosure documents via SEDAR in the normal fashion as done prior to the commencement of CDNX, but should ensure that the new jurisdiction (either the BC Securities Commission or the Alberta Securities Commission) is added as a recipient agency on the SEDAR project.

Please refer to notices posted on the BC Securities Commission website at www.bcsc.bc.ca or the Alberta Securities Commission website at www.albertasecurities.com for additional details.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

- December 24: The office will be closed at 1:00p.m. There will be someone on the helpdesk for support until 3:00p.m. (Eastern Standard time). A helpdesk person will check voicemail once per hour from 3:00p.m. to 11:00p.m.
- December 27 & 28: CDS will be closed and the SEDAR Server will be down until the morning of December 29.
- December 31: The office will be closed at 1:00p.m. There will be someone on the helpdesk for support until 8:00p.m. (Eastern Standard time), then the SEDAR Server will be down until the morning of January 4.
- January 3: CDS will be closed and the SEDAR Server will be down until the morning of January 4.

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