

#### **Ministry of Finance**

Corporate and Personal Property Registries

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#### MAINTAINING YOUR EXTRAPROVINCIAL COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

The *Cooperative Association Act* requires all extraprovincial cooperative associations to file information about the association with the Corporate Registry office. These filings are:

# ANNUAL REPORT (Form 4) - FILING FEE \$30.00

A cooperative association registered extraprovincially in British Columbia must file an annual report each year within two months after the association's anniversary date of registration in British Columbia.

# NOTICES OF CHANGE TO BE FILED - FILING FEE \$20.00 (EACH CHANGE)

An extraprovincial cooperative association must file with this office any change to:

- (a) the attorney for service in British Columbia (Form 14, in duplicate);
- (b) the address of its head office within British Columbia (in duplicate);
- (c) the address of its head office outside of British Columbia (in duplicate);
- (d) the address of any attorney of the association in British Columbia; and
- (e) the directors.

Failure to comply with the filing requirements of the *Cooperative Association Act* may result in the cancellation of your extraprovincial registration.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For information regarding completion of forms, contact the Society/Cooperative Unit at **250 356-8673** or fax **250 356-6977**. If calling from the Greater Vancouver area, direct dial 604 775-1046.

Corporate Registry office hours are from 8:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding statutory holidays.

Forms are available from this office or reproduced (Form 4 and Form 14 only) from the schedules of the *Company Act*. In addition, you may download most of the above mentioned forms from the Corporate Registry Web site at www.fin.gov.bc.ca/registries

Every director should have a copy of the *Cooperative Association Act* and *Company Act* and be aware of the contents. The Acts are a useful source of information and may be purchased from Crown Publications Inc. You may contact them at 250 386-4636, or fax 250 386-0221, or Web site www.crownpub.bc.ca or write to 521 Fort Street, Victoria BC V8W 1E7. You may also purchase from International Travel Maps and Books at 604 687-3320, or fax 604 687-5925 or write to 539 West Pender, Vancouver BC V6B 1V5.