



## Building Inspections

# WORKSAFE REQUIREMENTS FOR DEMOLITION PERMITS

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WorkSafe BC requires a qualified person inspect the building to identify any hazardous materials that may be on site and that these materials are properly removed and disposed of by trained and qualified professionals before demolition begins and after a Notice of Project has been submitted to WorkSafeBC. Buildings constructed prior to 1990 are of particular concern for asbestos-containing materials (ACM) and must be dealt with accordingly.

The following is a list of **Health and Safety Consultants** who specialize in **Industrial Hygiene**, or **Service Providers**, operating in the Vancouver Island area, compiled purely for convenience. WorkSafeBC does not endorse any particular commercial service provider. The decision to engage the services of one of the listed service providers remains a responsibility of the employer who does so.

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This handout does not list all of the possible concerns regarding demolition permits. Properties that have potential contamination (i.e. gas stations) will require a **Site Profile** which is then forwarded to the Ministry of Environment. Archaeological sites may also have an impact on demolition permit applications.

Please note that the completed **Hazard Assessment Report** is required to be available on the site.