

TECHNICAL SAFETY BC FEE SCHEDULE: ELEVATING				
DESCRIPTION	Effective January 1, 2026	Effective January 1, 2027	UNITS	GST
NEW INSTALLATION / ALTERATION				
Fees are based on a combination of the design review of the new/altered equipment together with on-site acceptance inspections as required for each new installation or alteration of an elevating device				
Design Registration				
Existing design in use in BC				
New installation, major alteration and minor alteration of equipment design that is existing in British Columbia	\$434	\$456	per unit	No
New design to BC				
New installation and major alteration of equipment design that is new to British Columbia	\$1,721	\$1,807	per unit	No
Expedited Service for Design Approval				
Standard service is within 15 to 20 working days 2x standard fee for turnaround in 7 working days 3x standard fee for turnaround in 3 working days	Applicable rates	Applicable rates	per unit	Yes
Acceptance Inspection				
Passenger, material or freight elevator/lift/platform (includes Manlift, Dumbwaiter, LULA, Special applications)				
2-15 Floors				
For Construction Use (Section 5.10) <i>Note:</i> Fee is applicable for each inspection required prior to the final acceptance	\$856	\$899	per permit	No
Final Acceptance	\$856	\$899	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed final inspection	\$1,279	\$1,343	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed final inspection	\$1,708	\$1,793	per permit	No
16-30 floors				
For Construction Use (Section 5.10) <i>Note:</i> Fee is applicable for each inspection required prior to the final acceptance	\$1,268	\$1,331	per permit	No
Final Acceptance	\$1,268	\$1,331	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed final inspection	\$1,904	\$1,999	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed final inspection	\$2,534	\$2,661	per permit	No
31+ floors				
For Construction Use (Section 5.10) <i>Note:</i> Fee is applicable for each inspection required prior to the final acceptance	\$1,696	\$1,781	per permit	No
Final Acceptance	\$1,696	\$1,781	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed final inspection	\$2,543	\$2,670	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed final inspection	\$3,388	\$3,557	per permit	No
Personnel Hoist				
Initial acceptance	\$856	\$899	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed initial inspection	\$1,279	\$1,343	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed initial inspection	\$1,708	\$1,793	per permit	No

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Extension (as applicable)	\$639	\$671	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed extension inspection	\$955	\$1,003	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed extension inspection	\$1,274	\$1,338	per permit	No
Final acceptance	\$856	\$899	per permit	No
1st Re-assessment as a result of failed final inspection	\$1,279	\$1,343	per permit	No
2nd and subsequent re-assessments as a result of failed final inspection	\$1,708	\$1,793	per permit	No
Escalator or moving walk	\$1,268	\$1,331	per permit	No
Lifts for persons with physical disabilities Stair chair, Platform or Vertical lift	\$577	\$606	per permit	No
OPERATING PERMITS				
Passenger, material or freight elevator/lift/platform (includes Manlift, Dumbwaiter, LULA, Special applications)				
2-15 floors	\$309	\$324	per permit	No
16-30 floors	\$474	\$498	per permit	No
31+ floors	\$660	\$693	per permit	No
Personnel Hoist	\$474	\$498	per permit	No
Escalator or moving walk	\$252	\$265	per permit	No
Lifts for persons with physical disabilities Stair chair, Platform or Vertical lift	\$198	\$208	per permit	No
Re-assessment fees for Operating Permits				
Re-assessment for Operating Permits This fee is applied in cases where a re-assessment is performed for a previous non-compliance found on periodic/regular inspections for an operating permit and the contractor has not provided evidence that the issue has been remedied. Re-assessments are charged at the equivalent of one hour at the standard Administration rate. If as a consequence of this re-assessment, the Safety Officer determines a re-inspection is required, the re-inspection fee is applied as below	\$86	\$90	per permit	Yes
Compliance verification for operating permits This fee is applied when an assessment of a previous non-compliance results in the Safety Officer requiring a further inspection to be performed for an operating permit. Compliance verifications are charged at the hourly Safety Services rate as outlined below (minimum one hour charge)	Safety Services Rate	Safety Services Rate	per hour	Yes
LICENSING				
(Fees for examination will be assessed based on the examination written date and not the application date.)				
Elevating Contractor Licence (Class A, C, H & RA) - New ¹	\$1,791	\$1,881	per license	No
Elevating Contractor Licence (Class A, C, H & RA) - Renewal ^{2 & 3}	\$521	\$547	per license	No
Elevating Contractor Licence (Class IC, M & MR)- New ¹	\$450	\$473	per license	No
Elevating Contractor Licence (Class IC, M & MR) - Renewal ^{2 & 3}	\$222	\$233	per license	No
Note: 1: Valid for 1 year 2: If more than one year has passed since expiry, renewal is not available. A new licence application and fee will be required. 3: Late renewal fee: 5% of renewal fee of applicable licence, starting one day after the expiry date, compounded at 1% every 30 days.				

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QUALIFIED WORKER CERTIFICATION AND EXAMINATION				
Operator Examination and Certificate of Qualification Fee (New or Renewal) - personnel hoist, car switch or construction elevator operators ⁷ Note: 1: Renewal applicable for personnel hoist operators only 2: New application fee includes a non refundable evaluation fee equivalent to one hour of administrative rate	\$171	\$180	per license	Yes
Evaluation of Qualification prior to Examination (Non-refundable)	\$260	\$273	per application	Yes
Certificate of Qualification exam (Digital, In-person): Elevator Mechanic ^{1, 2, 3 & 4}	\$193	\$203	Per exam	Yes
Certificate of Qualification exam (Digital, Remote): Elevator Mechanic ^{1, 2, 3, & 4}	\$183	\$192	Per exam	Yes
Certificate of Qualification – renewal: Elevator Mechanic ^{3, 4, 5, 6, & 7}	\$239	\$251	Per unit	Yes
Mechanic in training application/evaluation and renewal fee (Non-refundable) ⁷ Annual fee payable as part of the evaluation program Note: 1: This fee applies to new examinations and re-examinations 2: Fee for examination will be assessed based on the examination written date and not the application date 3: Certificate of Qualification exam for all classes 4: Includes new wall certificate as applicable 5: Renewal due every 3 years and administered only within 1 year of expiry. 6: The reinstatement process is used when a mechanic has left the program, but wishes to rejoin to complete qualifications between 1 and 3 years from expiry. If the mechanic has left the program for more than 3 years, the new elevating mechanic certificate of qualification fee will be applicable 7: Late renewal fee: 5% of renewal fee of applicable certification, starting one day after the expiry date, compounded at 1% every 30 days. 8: If more than three years have passed since expiry, renewal is not available. A new certification application and fee will be required.	\$110	\$116	Per unit	Yes
Skills passport replacement	\$147	\$154	Per replacement	Yes
Examination re-marking fee	\$84	\$88	per exam	Yes
MISCELLANEOUS				
Administration fees				
All other administration tasks not listed above, including:				
Custom reports and searches (could be assessed at Admin Hourly rate, depending on complexity)	\$86	\$90	per unit	Yes
Application for a duplicate installation identification				
Application for each copy of the certificate of inspection				
Certificate of qualification wallet card (replacement/duplicate)	\$86	\$90	per card	Yes
Wall certificate of qualification (initial/replacement/duplicate)	\$86	\$90	per certificate	Yes
Fee for required paper communications for certification (1-year certification: \$5; 3-year certification: \$15). Note: 1: Fee covers the duration of the active certification. 2: Fee is not applicable when an email address is provided.	\$5	\$5	per year	Yes

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Technical fees				
Special inspection (minimum 2 hour charge)	Safety Services Rate	Safety Services Rate	per hour	Yes
Application for variance from code (min. 2hr charge)	Safety Services Rate	Safety Services Rate	per hour	Yes
Application for private access elevator (Statutory right of way)	\$1,966	\$2,064	per site	Yes
All other technical tasks not listed above, including (minimum one hour charge): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey inspections Miscellaneous inspections 	Safety Services Rate	Safety Services Rate	per hour	Yes
HOURLY RATES				
Administrative Rate (Normal working hours, Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 8:00am to 4:30pm)	\$86	\$90	per hour	Yes
Overtime working hours Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 4:30pm to 8:00am, per hour, charged at 1.5x Administration rate	\$129	\$135	per hour	Yes
Saturdays, Sundays and Holiday working hours, per hour, charged at 2x Administration rate	\$172	\$180	per hour	Yes
Safety Services Rate Normal working hours, Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 8:00am to 4:30pm. Expenses incurred will be charged additionally where applicable	\$212	\$223	per hour	Yes
Overtime working hours Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 4:30pm to 8:00am, per hour, charged at 1.5x Safety Services rate	\$318	\$335	per hour	Yes
Saturdays, Sundays and Holiday working hours, per hour, charged at 2x Safety Services rate	\$424	\$446	per hour	Yes
Professional Services Rate Normal working hours, Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 8:00am to 4:30pm. Expenses incurred will be charged additionally where applicable	\$319	\$335	per hour	Yes
Overtime working hours Monday to Friday inclusive (except holidays), 4:30pm to 8:00am, per hour, charged at 1.5x Professional Services rate	\$479	\$503	per hour	Yes
Saturdays, Sundays and Holiday working hours, per hour, charged at 2x Professional Services rate	\$638	\$670	per hour	Yes
Late fee on overdue accounts	\$84	\$88	per unit	No
Late renewal fee (for each late certification or licence renewal) <i>Note: 5% of renewal fee of applicable certification or licence starting one day after the expiry date, compounded at 1% every 30 days.</i>				No
NSF Cheques A charge will be levied when cheques are returned "NSF"	\$52	\$55	per unit	Yes