

Paper Excellence

Coastal Fibre Supply
BC Operations

Log Buyer

Overview:

Reporting to the Manager of Log Supply BC Coast, you will bring a strong knowledge of the fibre basket of Coastal and the Interior of BC. The Log Buyer will work with log brokers, trucking companies, barging companies to supply pulp logs to our coastal chipping facilities in support of our Pulp and Paper Mills in Port Mellon, Crofton, Port Alberni and Powell River. The Log Buyer will have a solid understanding of logistics and inventory management. Strong communication skills are required, and an understanding of the Pulp and Paper Industry. You will be familiar with the major log brokers and tenure holders on the BC Coast.

Core Deliverables include:

- Working with the Team to develop the annual procurement plan for Pulp Logs.
- Coordinating deliveries of whole log chips by species to as Mills required so they meet their product specifications. You will be familiar with the major log brokers and tenure holders on the BC Coast.

As a safety leader, you will follow all safety rules and policies of Paper Excellence Mills and Supplier sites during mill visits and ensure completion of any safety indoctrination required for site visits. You will ensure all safety requirements are met for log boom inspections.

Accountabilities:

The Log Buyer will be responsible for log supply and whole chip production to support the Pulp and Paper Mills. The Log Buyer will coordinate barges and trucks as needed to maintain target inventories at the chipping sites. You will work with the Fibre Flow Manager and Transportation Manager to ensure all the mills have the right fibre at the right time. You will monitor chip quality and conduct audits of chipping facilities. The Log Buyer will conduct inspections of pulp logs delivered to Paper Excellence when requested. The Log Buyer will work with contractors to access log from the Fibre Recovery Zones.

Additionally, the Log Buyer will help plan, develop models to support planning and new initiatives.

Skills:

Skill required: You will be skilled in Planning and logistics. You will possess excellent communication skills and negotiation skills. You will have a solid understanding on Pulp and Paper Mill requirements for fibre. Knowledge of sawmilling and chipping with regards to chip quality and hog quality acceptable to Pulp and Paper Mills. You must have, the ability to make decisions as priorities at Paper Excellence mills and Supplier mills change.

To apply, send resume and cover letter to: resume@paperexcellence.com