



# Update Notice: To All Employees/Contractors

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Siemens Transportation Group Inc. continues to closely monitor the COVID-19 outbreak and is taking all necessary precautions to ensure the health and safety of our Employees/Contractors while continuing to provide essential services to our communities.

## New COVID-19 Tip Sheets

The Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS) has developed a series of tip sheets for essential service workers. The CCOHS tip sheets offered a variety of important takeaways to protect the health and safety of workers in the transportation industry. A few additional important points presented in the document are the following.

- Have credit or debit cards readily available for electronic toll roads.
- Check that licenses and passports are up to date. Contact the appropriate agency to inquire about extensions if necessary.
- Drivers should ensure they take required breaks for their physical and mental health.
- Some organizations may have changed their site entry docking and delivery procedures. Follow their recommendations while maintaining your distance.

## CBSA Enhances Border Crossing Guidelines

The Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) has issued enhanced guidance in regards to the primary inspection line (PIL) booth interaction and other opportunities to limit physical interaction at the border. Keep the following in mind when approaching border crossing stations:

- Ensure COVID-19 preventative practices are continually followed including but not limited to maintaining social distancing, proper sanitization of equipment and operator, and proper cough/sneeze etiquette.
- The Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC) has stated that all individuals seeking entrance into Canada must wear a non-medical mask or face covering. This requirement is currently being phased into regular border crossing procedures.
- Screening Officers have been advised to visually inspect and ask specific enhanced screening questions to monitor COVID-19 symptoms in drivers.
- Enhanced screening for COVID-19 has increased processing times when attempting to cross the border. It is advised that drivers prepare identification and paperwork in advance.
- Plexiglass installations have been initiated in higher-risk CBSA facilities to reduce the risk of transmission. Plexiglass installations will take place in commercial longrooms and offices where other enclosures or barriers do not currently exist.

## for more information about the virus

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