

# BC Sawmill Rate Determination Program Rate Revision Application Form

**Instructions for Completing This Request for Rate Revision**

Management and/or the Union must complete both this Application Form and the accompanying Benchmark Comparison Study Sheet at the plant level. When completed, forward copies of the document set to the USW D3 office in Burnaby and FIR office in Vancouver for processing.

These two (2) documents are represent a document set and applications submitted with single documents will be deemed incomplete and rejected. Be sure there are a Rate Revision Application Form and a Benchmark Comparison Study Sheet for each application for rate revision.

All applications must be based on a comparable benchmark category. Be sure the comparable benchmark category on this form and the Benchmark Comparison Study Sheet are the same.

Applicable Benchmark Category:

**Cant Breakdown "D" - Circular Gang Saw (More than 1-line)**

<b>Job Information</b>	Application Date:		
Company and Division:			
Job Title:			
Job Rate: \$	per/hour	Group:	Is this a New Job? <i>(circle one)</i> Yes    No

<b>Reason for this Application</b>

<b>Application Authorization</b>	
For the Local Union:	For Local Management:
_____	_____
Name: _____	Name: _____

*Next... complete the Benchmark Comparison Study Sheet*

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BENCHMARK NAME: **Cant Breakdown "D" - Circular Gang Saw (More than 1-line)**

GRADE: **10**

Examine the benchmark description on the left to determine how the job being submitted is different. Cross off any benchmark duties on the left hand side that are no longer performed. Add any duties that are missing from the benchmark description on the right hand side in the corresponding areas provided below.

<p><b>1. Make And Model Of Any Equipment Operated As Part Of This Job Function</b> Multi-Saw Gang (Fixed Saw), with related chains and conveyors.</p>	<p><b>1. Make And Model Of Any Additional Equipment Operated</b></p>
<p><b>2. Responsibility For This Equipment As Part Of The Job Function</b> Changes saws as required. Must be alert to detect hot saws and use water deluge. Must be alert to detect dull or rocked saws.</p>	<p><b>2. Responsibility For This Additional Equipment As Part Of The Job Function</b></p>
<p><b>3. Summary Of Duties Which Are Part Of The Job Function</b> Working from oral or written instructions, operates a multi-saw gangsaw (fixed saws) to rip a flow of cants originating from log breakdown units or other areas. Saws are spaced at intervals of from 1-3/4" up to 6" at beginning of shift, or as required. Prime requisite is to maintain a continuous flow of cants from more than one line. Ensures proper alignment of cants to saws, by use of spotting chains or movable straight edge. Ensures proper functioning of kickback fingers and press rolls to prevent kickbacks. Activates turning device to turn cants, if required. Controls feed speed to prevent jamming cants in saws.</p>	<p><b>3. Summary Of Additional Duties Which Are Part Of The Job Function</b></p>
<p><b>4. Other Pertinent Information To The Job Function</b> Contacts maintenance in case of actual or potential equipment malfunction. May blow down equipment with air hose.</p>	<p><b>4. Other Additional Pertinent Information To The Job Function</b></p>