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Limousine Minimum Rates Pilot Project

The Board is proposing a Limousine Minimum Rates Pilot Project for the Lower Mainland (Pemberton to Hope) and the CRD (Greater Victoria).

The proposal responds to requests from some limousine operators for rate flexibility. The Board supports a more flexible and streamlined approach. The proposal includes:

- minimum and maximum rates
- standard rules
- standard trip rates in the Lower Mainland for some YVR and Cruise Ship transfers

An overview of the Pilot Project is posted on the Board 'Rates webpage' at <http://www.th.gov.bc.ca/ptb/rates.htm>. The Board is mailing a copy to limousine companies in the Lower Mainland and CRD.

Before changing the way limousine rates are regulated, we are asking for comments. We are inviting limousine licensees to talk about the proposal with Board members at one of two discussion sessions:

- Richmond on March 8 (1 – 3 pm)
- Victoria on March 22 (1:30 – 3:30 pm)

We are also seeking written comments. The deadline is **March 31, 2011**. The Pilot Project overview explains how to register for a discussion session. It also has contact information for sending written comments.