



## Watercourse Alteration Certification Training – New Brunswick Exam Challenging Procedure

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## **INTRODUCTION**

In recent months many people, who are Certified Sizers and Installers of Nova Scotia Watercourse Alteration, have asked to be certified in New Brunswick as well.

## **PROBLEM**

There are significant differences in the legislation and policies between the two provinces that make having a fully transferable reciprocity process impossible.

## **SOLUTION**

To ensure knowledge of subject matter and to maintain the integrity of the certification process, MCFT has designed a challenge process.

**CHALLENGE PROCESS** – this process must be followed exactly.

For people wishing to challenge\* the New Brunswick Watercourse Alteration Certification exams they must meet the following criteria:

- 1) Be both a Certified Sizer and Certified Installer in good standing in the province of Nova Scotia
- 2) Pay a non-refundable fee of \$350 plus HST to the Maritime College of Forest Technology.
- 3) Obtain a copy of the New Brunswick Watercourse Alteration Certification Manual from MCFT and review on your own time prior to attending (included in fee above).
- 4) Review “Summary of Differences” document with course instructor until instructor is satisfied that the challenger is knowledgeable of differences between the two provinces.
- 5) Be in attendance for the New Brunswick Department of Environment’s presentation to all course participants (Typically on a Thursday).
- 6) Successfully complete all homework assignments provided by the course instructor.

\*After successfully completing Steps 1-6 you will be granted the privilege of writing the New Brunswick exams. The New Brunswick Department of Environment will notify you of whether you passed or failed.

