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TO: Depot Network

RE: **New Depot Portal and Log-in for Container Verification – Fall 2023**

As outlined in a Depot Notice issued January 12, 2023, the BCMB has been working on a significant modernization of its IT systems. Our new system, known as the Stakeholder Information Management System (SIMS), will make it easier for depots to both provide and access the information needed to efficiently and effectively operate your depot.

New Depot Portal

A new portal has been developed for depots that will allow you to log in to view information related to your depot, including compliance framework and permit application information. All applications will be completed online in the new portal. There will also be a link to the Quality Monitoring System (QMS). Your assigned depot industry email will be used to access SIMS, QMS and the Depot App.

The BCMB expects to launch the new portal this fall.

Container Registration Verification

Later this year (date to be determined), the BCMB Registration Portal will no longer be accessible to the public. Depots will need to log in to the Depot App to validate the registration of beverage containers. The BCMB will provide depot owners with additional login information for staff so they can also verify containers through the app.

Any depots that use a Point of Return system other than RePOR should contact Travis Wizniuk (contact info below) to receive instructions on how your system can also access container registration information.

As this project moves forward, the BCMB will continue to provide updates. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Travis Wizniuk, Manager of Information Technology, at twizniuk@bcmb.ab.ca.

