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**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
**CHANGES TO SALES TAX IN NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR**  
**EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016**

**Dear Member Contractor:**

As you may be aware, there has been a change to the sales tax rate in Newfoundland and Labrador. The 13% harmonized sales tax (HST) has been increased to 15% effective July 1, 2016. If you have not already done so, please update your accounting systems to incorporate this change for the BCA Administration and Workforce Planning Funds.

Please refer to the CRA website for further information the new HST rates across Canada.

If you have not already done so, please download the latest remittance form from the Boilermakers' National Benefit Plans Website:

[www.boilermakersbenefits.ca](http://www.boilermakersbenefits.ca)

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