Real Estate Development – IRIS Submission Guide – No BCFSA File Number

How to submit a Disclosure Statement in IRIS if the Developer does not have an existing BCFSA file number for the development or has not previously created this development in IRIS.

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INTRODUCTION

This document provides a step-by-step guide on how to make a submission in IRIS for a development that does not have an existing BCFSA file number (known as a 'Development Number') in IRIS. You will not have a BCFSA file number if you have not made any submission regarding your development in the past. If you have previously submitted a filing to BCFSA for your development, you must use the "Disclosure Statement (Development Already in IRIS)" submission to file a new disclosure statement for that development.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

IRIS stands for Integrated Regulatory Information System and is the portal for regulated entities to provide regulatory information and submissions to BCFSA. IRIS lets you save your submissions as you go, make payments, and manage your submissions over time.

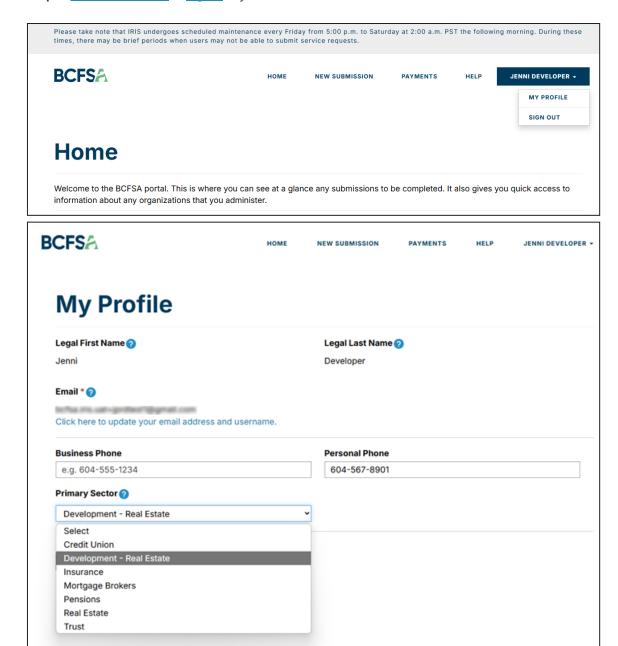
To learn how to create an account and navigate your IRIS submissions, review the following guides:

- How to create an account in IRIS
- How to navigate in IRIS
- How to make payments in IRIS
- How to manage your submissions in IRIS
- Frequently asked questions about IRIS

How to submit a disclosure statement in IRIS if the developer does <u>not</u> have an existing BCFSA file number for the development or has <u>not</u> previously created this development in IRIS.

Once you have created an account in IRIS and signed in, follow these steps to submit a Disclosure Statement in IRIS:

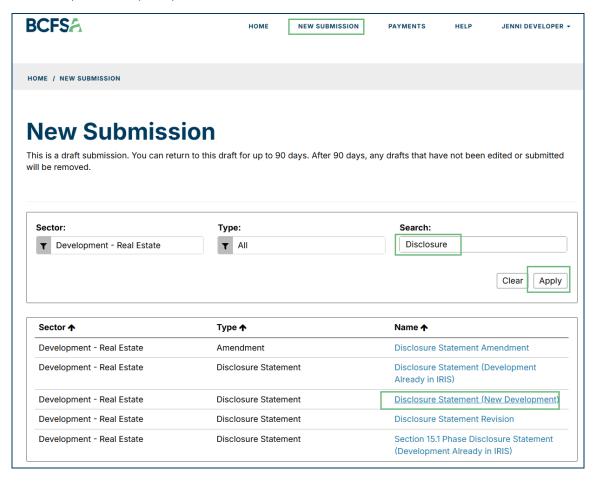
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- Step 2: Create an account or Sign in to your account



- Step 3: Go to My Profile, set your default sector to be 'Development Real Estate' and click 'Save'
- Step 4: Click 'New Submission'

Step 5: Choose 'Disclosure Statement (New Development)'

TIP: You can also type 'Disclosure' in the search field and click 'Apply' to quickly find the 'Disclosure Statement (New Development)' submission.



Step 6: Select 'Start' to begin your submission process to create a service request number

A draft submission will be kept in the system for up to 90 days. After 90 days, any drafts that have not been edited or submitted will be automatically removed.



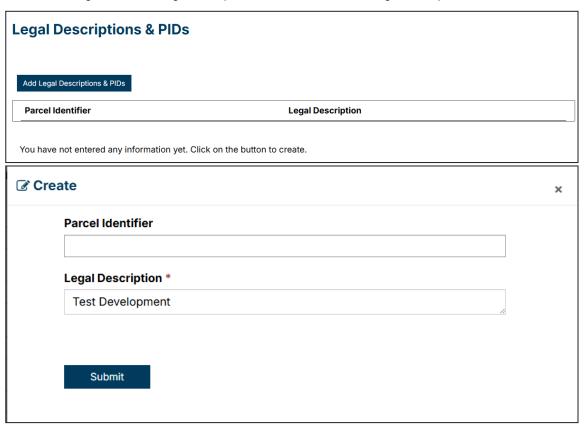
Step 7: Enter the 'Development' information then select 'Next'

TIP: If the development does not yet have a name, check 'Development is Unnamed'. If you leave the 'Development Name' field blank, you will get an error message.

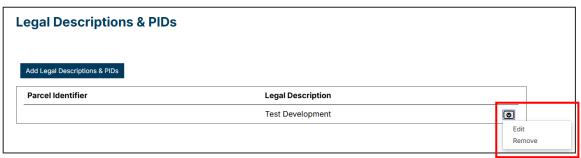
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TIP: You must enter a 'Legal Description'. If you don't and click 'Next' to move to the next page, you will get an error message. To enter a legal description and/or PID, click 'Add Legal Descriptions & PIDs'.

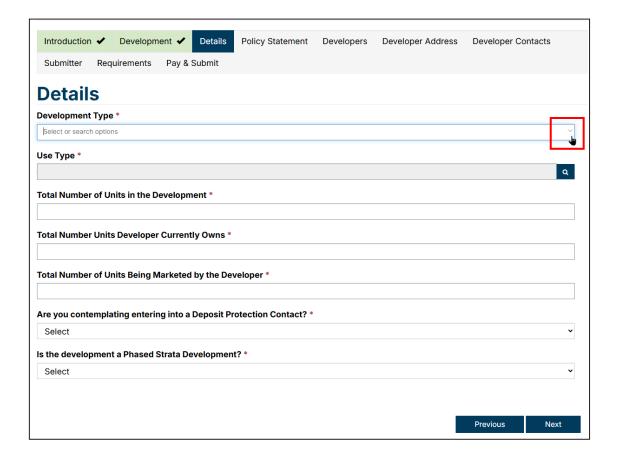


TIP: When you have created an entry, it displays in the table in the section. You can edit or remove it by clicking the down arrow on the far-right side and selecting one of the options. Once you're done, click 'Next' to move to the next page.



Step 8: Enter the 'Details' section then select 'Next'

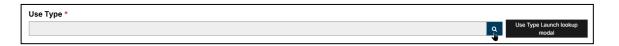
TIP: 'Total Number of Units in the Development' and 'Total Number Units Developer Currently Owns' should generally be the same, unless the Developer does not own all units in the Development.



TIP: In the 'Development Type' field, click on the down arrow to see the available options. You can choose more than one option.



TIP: To see the list of options, click the magnifying glass on the right side. Only one option can be selected.

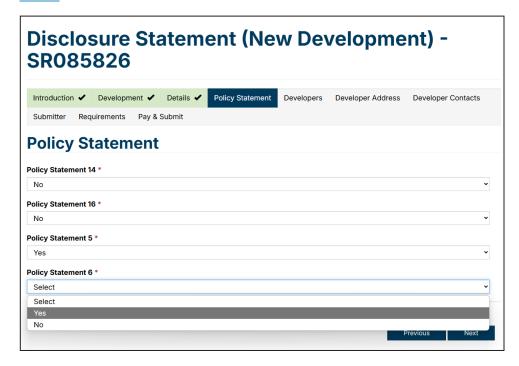


TIP: If the development is phased, select 'Yes'. When you've selected an option, the next field displays. Enter the number of phases and click 'Next' to go to the next page. If you select 'No', you can move directly to the next page.

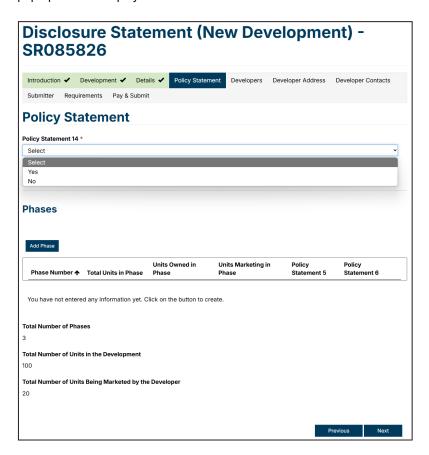


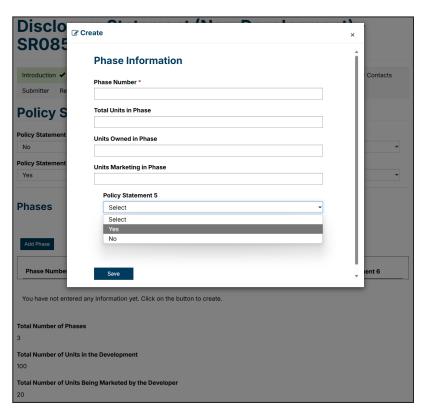
Step 9: Complete the 'Policy Statement' step then select 'Next'

TIP: For a non-phased development, complete the Policy Statement page before moving onto the next page. All fields are mandatory. For details on Policy Statements, please refer to Policy Statements | BCFSA.



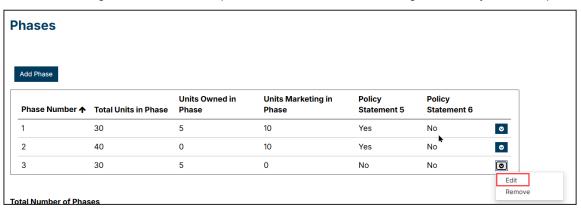
TIP: If the development is phased (i.e. you selected 'Yes' on the previous page), the 'Phases' section displays. You will need to enter information about each phase separately. Click 'Add Phase' button and a pop-up window displays.





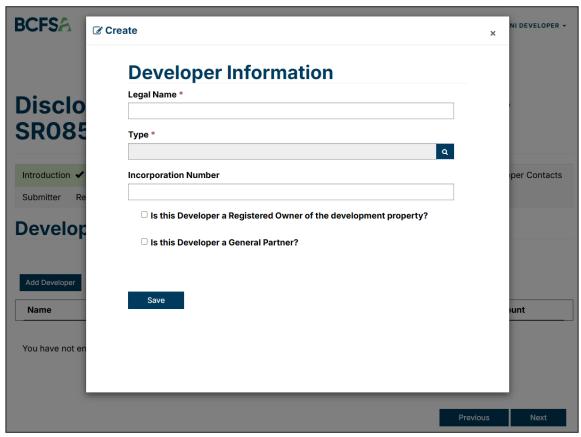
TIP: Information about each phase displays in the table. To edit or remove an entry, click the down arrow on the far right and select the appropriate option. You'll see an error message when:

- 1. 'Total Number of Phases' does not match the number of entries in the table;
- 2. 'Total Number of Units in Phase' does not match the 'Total Number of Units in the Development'; and/or
- 3. 'Units Marketing in Phase' does not equal the 'Total Number of Units Being Marketed by the Developer'.

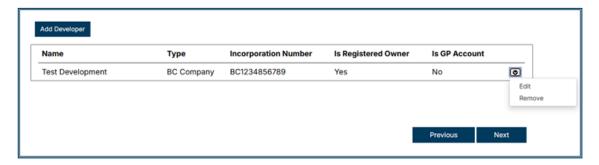


Step 10: Fill in the 'Developers' information then select 'Next'

TIP: Click 'Add Developer' to add a developer. Select the type of organization. Only one option can be selected. Note that only 'Legal Name' and 'Type' are mandatory fields. More than one developer can be added on this page.

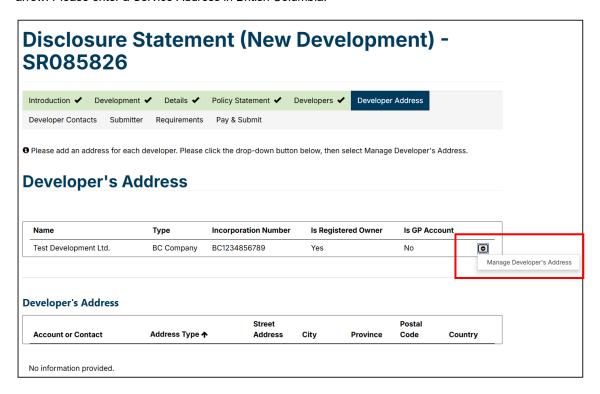


TIP: The information displays in the table once entered. Click on the down arrow on the far right to either edit or remove the entry.



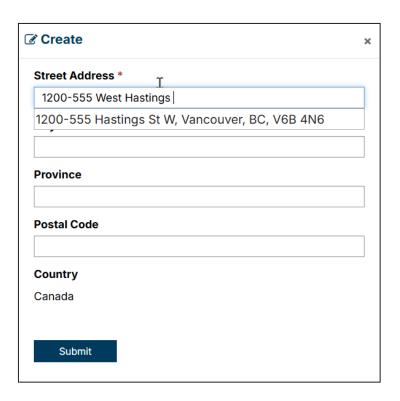
Step 11: Complete the 'Developer's Address' section then select 'Next'

TIP: The 'Developer's Address' is inserted by opening "Manage Developer's Address" under the drop-down arrow. Please enter a Service Address in British Columbia.

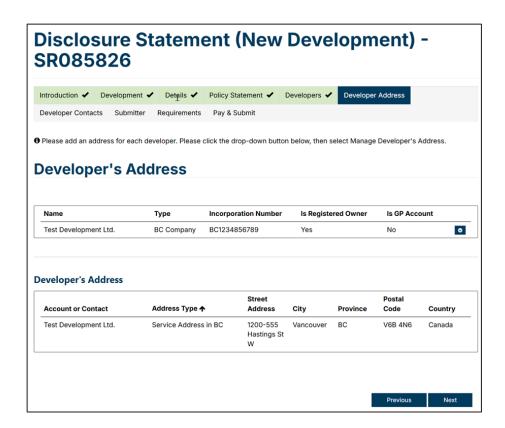




TIP: We use the Canada Post Postal Code look-up to auto-complete the address.

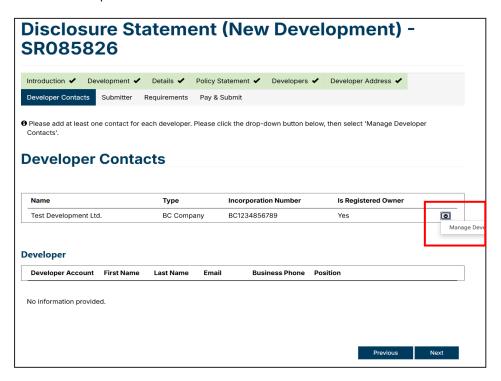


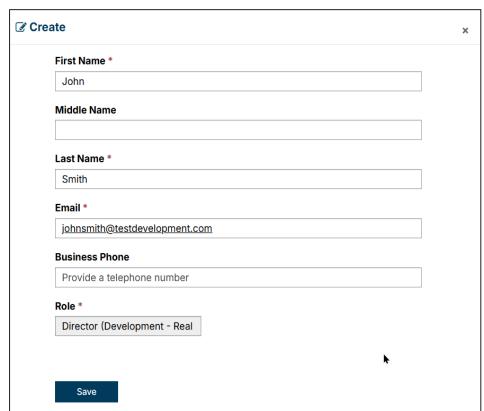
TIP: To edit or remove your address, click the down arrow again.



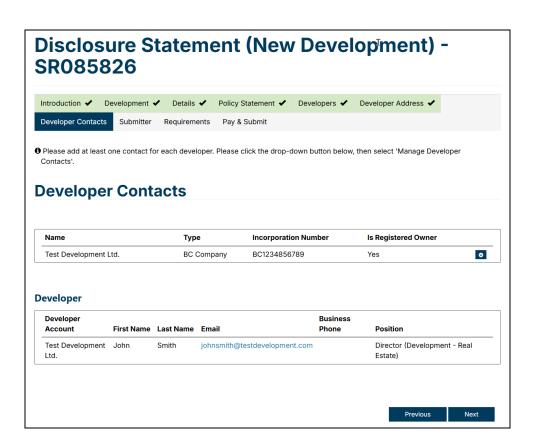
Step 12: Enter the 'Developer Contacts' information then select 'Next'

TIP: Each director of a company is considered a separate 'Developer Contact'. Click the drop-down arrow to add a 'Developer Contact'.



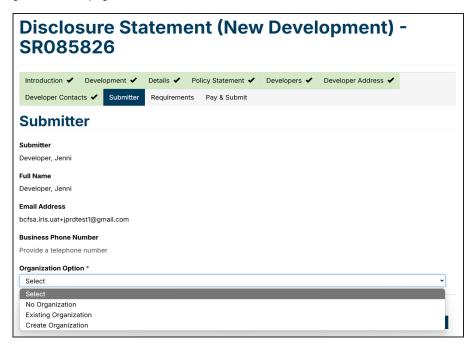




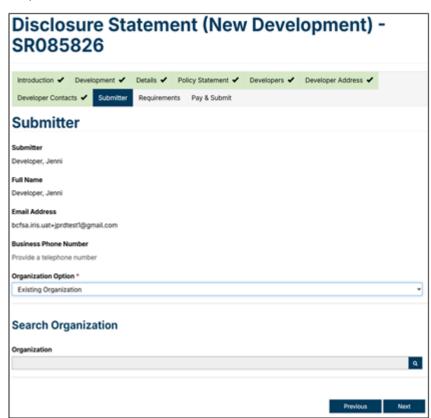


Step 13: Enter the 'Submitter' details

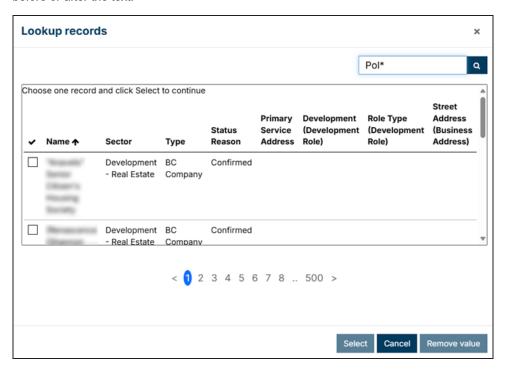
TIP: Your information should automatically populate. If you select 'No Organization', you can click 'Next' to go to the next page.



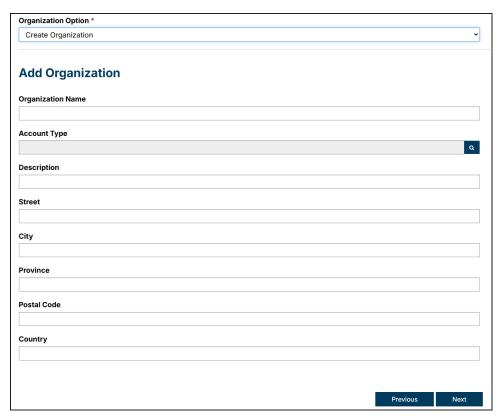
TIP: If you select 'Existing Organization', click the magnifying glass to search for an existing organization (in IRIS).



TIP: You can scroll down to find the organization name. Or you can search by name, either full or partial. Note that if you want to search by partial name, you must use '*' as a wildcard character. It can be either before or after the text.

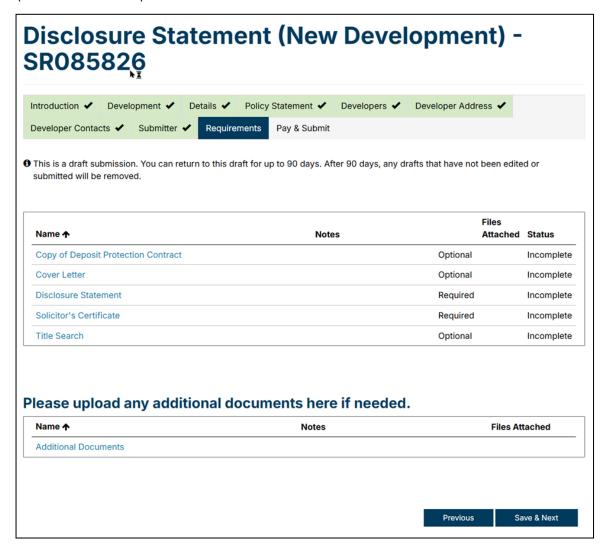


TIP: If you select 'Create Organization', enter the information in the 'Add Organization' fields that display below

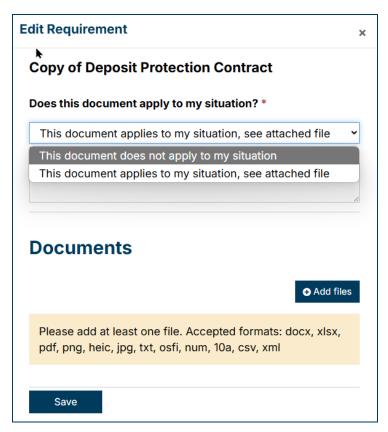


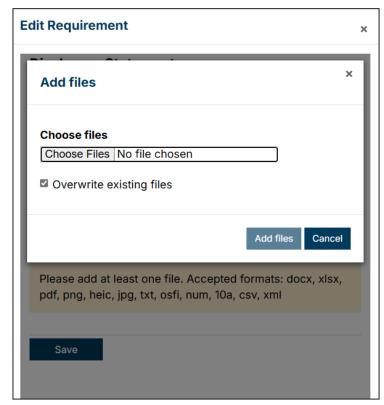
Step 14: Fill in the 'Requirements' section

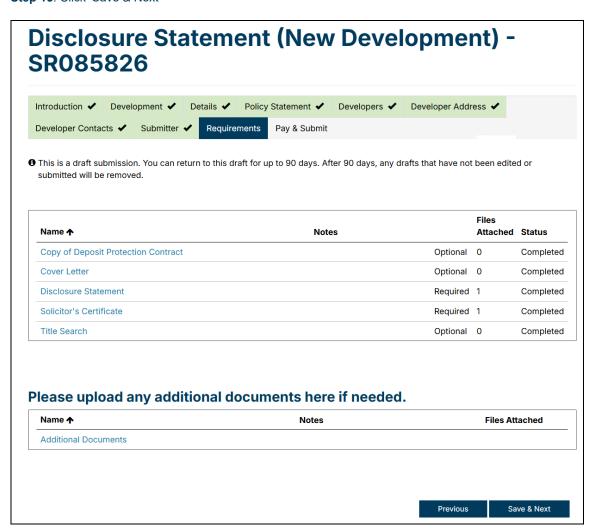
TIP: All requirements need to be actioned on, whether they are optional or required. Click on each requirement name to complete each one.



TIP: When a requirement is marked as 'Optional' and it does not pertain to you, select 'This document does not apply to my situation' and click 'Save'. However, if the requirement does apply to your submission, select 'This document applies to my situation, see attached file' and click 'Add files' to add your file and then click 'Save'.

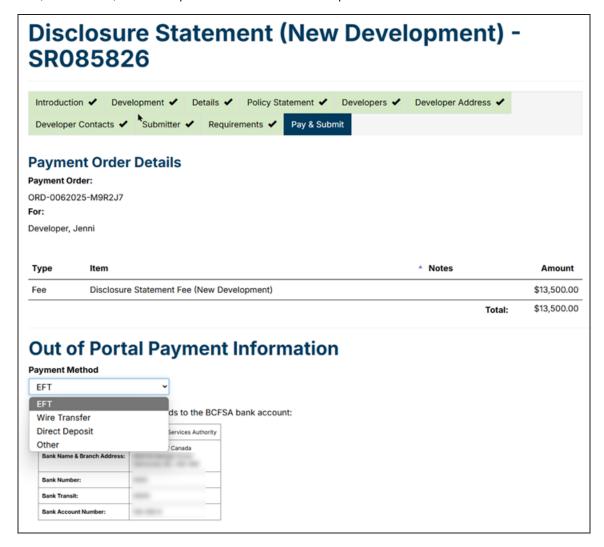






Step 16: Select your 'Payment Method' then 'Pay & Submit'

TIP: IRIS currently accepts payments up to \$20,000 submitted in the portal using a credit card. For "out of portal" payments (i.e. any payment method other than credit card), we are currently accepting payments by EFT, wire transfer, or direct deposit. We are not able to accept Interac e-transfers.



If you selected an "out of portal" payment method, then you will also need to submit the payment particulars by email to accounting@bcfsa.ca. In your email, please include the submission reference number, the developer's name, your organization's name and a copy of payment confirmation (e.g. a deposit slip or EFT/wire transfer confirmation).

Send payment to BCFSA. If paying by EFT or wire then send an email to accounting@bcfsa.ca with details of your payment and reference SR087153 and your organization name. If paying by cheque then reference SR087153 and your organization name. Once we receive full payment, a payment receipt will be sent to your email address.

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