



INTERNATIONAL CREDENTIAL EVALUATION SERVICE

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Vancouver Police Department Evaluation Requirements

The **Vancouver Police Department** requires the following for all evaluations completed by the International Credential Evaluation Service (ICES).

1. Evaluation Report Required

The **Vancouver Police Department** requires a **Basic Evaluation Report** for all evaluations conducted by ICES. This can be ordered by completing the Credential Order Form section of the ICES Application Form. The cost of a Basic Report is **\$125.00** per credential. Detailed information about ICES fees, reports, and documents required as well as a copy of the ICES Application Package can be found at <http://www.bcit.ca/ices>.

2. Documents Required by ICES

a) **Original Documents:** ICES will need a complete set of *Original* documents for each credential that you are paying to be evaluated. A complete set of documents normally contains at least two parts:

- (1) The document awarded upon completion of the credential (may be called a diploma, diplom, degree certificate, certificate, or other names depending on the country from which it is issued). In many countries, people hang this document on their wall.
- (2) The academic record, showing the courses or subjects studied, the grades earned, and the hours of study or number of credits for each course (may be called a transcript, detailed marks card, relevé de notes, examination report, extract, student's book, index, or other names depending on the country from which it is issued).

If you do not have these documents, you will need to request them from the institutions you attended.

b) **Translations:** All required documents written in a language other than French or English must be accompanied by an English translation completed by a certified translator. All translated documents must also be submitted with the original in the original language.

Affiliated Colleges: ICES only accepts educational documents from the institution that awards the credential. For that reason, ICES does not accept documents from affiliated colleges or institutes. ICES must see documents issued from the awarding institution.

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3. Additional Copy of Report:

All clients receive two copies of the completed report. The first copy is always sent to you; the second copy of your report will be sent directly to the **Vancouver Police Department** as long as this is indicated in **Section D** of the ICES Application Form. If you do not indicate where you want your second copy sent, it will be automatically sent to you. If you require more than two copies of your report, the fee is **\$10.00** per copy.

4. Contact Information

If you have not already done so, please contact the **Vancouver Police Department** to see if they require any additional information from you. They can be reached at:

Vancouver Police Department

312 Main Street
Vancouver, BC
V6A 2T2

2120 Cambie Street
Vancouver, BC
V5Z 4N6

Telephone: 604-717-2706 / 604-717-2709

Website: <http://vancouver.ca/police/recruiting/home.htm>

Email: recruiting@vpd.ca

***NOTE: As indicated on the VPD website, their basic requirements state:**

Grade 12 diploma or equivalent, plus one year of academic post secondary education from a recognized university or college. Private college or school coursework will NOT be accepted unless the credits are directly transferable to an approved post secondary institution. Applicant must have a minimum of 30 credits relating to studies that are liberal or classical, rather than technical or vocational. For more information please visit this site:

<http://vancouver.ca/police/recruiting/academic.htm>.

Please contact ICES directly at icesinfo@bcit.ca if you have any questions about your ICES evaluation.