



Press Release

Annual Report for FY2011 Released

August 16, 2011 – Mississauga, Ontario – The Canadian Supply Chain Sector Council (CSCSC) announces the release of its fiscal year 2011 annual report, covering the period of April 1, 2010 to March 31, 2011.

The report provides an overview of the Council's products and programs, examines key activities in several areas, highlights the organizations connected to the work of the Council and includes financial statements. It also offers a look at several new initiatives underway in the current fiscal year.

During the year, more than 200 industry volunteers participated in CSCSC activities, serving on committees, providing guidance on projects and contributing \$182,783 in in-kind support. With this assistance, the CSCSC was able to achieve several key objectives in FY2011, including:

- Expanding the National Accreditation Program to include providers of material-handling training, and increasing to 37 the number of accredited programs and courses.
- Establishing an online tool to enable education providers and trainers to update their own information in the CSCSC's Education and Training Compendium. The Compendium itself was relaunched as a searchable online resource.
- Reintroducing the Virtual HR Department as a free service.
- Launching the Recruitment and Retention Toolkit, a tool to help employers with succession planning.
- Nearing completion of 12 occupational standards for supply chain roles through the Occupational Standards Phase II Project, which finished after the end of the fiscal year. These standards are in addition to the 20 that were written through earlier projects, and signify the completion of standards for the 26 National Occupational Classification codes that comprise the supply chain according to the CSCSC's mandate.

The report is available on the Council's website, at www.supplychaincanada.org/assets/u/CSCSCAnnualReportFY20113.pdf.

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