

Researcher: Don Banister

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Interviewed: February 16, 1976

(CREW MEMBER OF A FISHERIES DEPT. BOAT)

Mr. Charles Muscolow,  
Address Unknown

- Has been with the Fisheries Dept. for about 20 years.
- Has spent most of that time working on the Fraser River.
- Has worked on various boats and has worked as a part of a relief crew.
- Fisheries boats are changing from wooden to fibreglass.
- The Fisheries used about 30 boats when he started; that is the same number they have now.
- Fishing regulations are changing all the time.
- Although there are no great changes.
- Since he has been with the Fisheries Dept. they have gotten radar, UHF, Citizen Band Radio.
- He has never encountered violence in his job but he has heard of such incidents happening up around Mission; i.e. fisheries officers being shot at.
- He does not find that there is much risk involved in his job.
- Spent sometime working around Nanaimo.
- Was about 22 years old when he started working for the Fisheries.