

BC Environment

River Forecast Centre

High Streamflow Advisory Update: 26Oct2007 1:00PM

- **Bella Coola River**

Following the ending of rain associated with the Pacific frontal system, and the drop in the freezing elevation on Wednesday (which caused snowmelt to reduce), the water level on the Bella Coola River has been receding steadily over the past 24 hours. The High Streamflow Advisory has been ended.

A **High Streamflow Advisory** means that river levels are rising or expected to rise rapidly, but that no major flooding is expected. Minor flooding in low-lying areas is possible.

A **Flood Watch** means that river levels are rising and will approach or may exceed bankfull. Flooding of areas adjacent to affected rivers may occur.

A **Flood Warning** means that river levels have exceeded bankfull or will exceed bankfull imminently, and that flooding of areas adjacent to the rivers affected will result.