

Media Advisory

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SPIRIT OF VANCOUVER ISLAND RETURNS TO SERVICE

VICTORIA – The Spirit of Vancouver Island returned to service on the Metro Vancouver – Victoria (Tsawwassen – Swartz Bay) route today following mechanical repairs.

The vessel was temporarily removed from service on March 22 due to a hydraulic issue with the port side controllable pitch propeller, which required drydocking the vessel to affect repairs.

BC Ferries appreciates customers' patience during the time the Spirit of Vancouver Island was out of service. Regular schedules are in effect with the return of the vessel. For details, visit beferries.com.

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