

This handout directs you to helpful info on resolving traffic, ticket, and bylaw cases in BC **Provincial Court**.

The Provincial Court of British Columbia deals with three types of tickets:

- *Provincial Violation Tickets* — for offences under BC laws, including traffic offences under the Motor Vehicle Act and regulations, and offences under the Liquor Control and Licensing Act.
- *Federal Contravention Tickets* — for offences under Canadian laws, such as fishing without a licence or possessing undersize crabs under the Fisheries Act.
- *Municipal Tickets* — for offences under municipal bylaws.



tickets.gov.bc.ca | *understand your ticket*

A “one-stop source” of ticket information from the Government of BC that will help you explore information about your ticket anonymously, using step-by-step guided pathways. It deals with all three types of tickets in BC Provincial Court.



[Traffic, Ticket, and Bylaw Cases](#) | *info and guides from the Provincial Court*

- [Traffic Court Guide to Disputing a Ticket](#) — how to prepare for and conduct a trial of a provincial violation ticket, including a traffic ticket. (English and French.)
- [How Do I Dispute a Ticket and Prepare for a Traffic Court Hearing?](#) — a shorter article.
- [What Can I expect at a Traffic Court Hearing?](#) — a shorter article.
- [Attending Court Remotely](#) — information and guides on attending court using Microsoft Teams video-conferencing or by telephone.

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