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'Five by Five' Aboriginal Jobs Strategy

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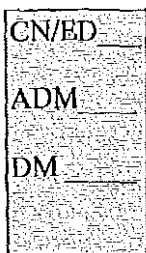
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- I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Honourable John Rustad, Minister
- II ISSUE: 'Five by Five' Aboriginal Jobs Strategy
- III BACKGROUND:

According to BC Stats, in 2011, 16.4 per cent of BC's Aboriginal population were unemployed compared to 7.4 per cent of the non-Aboriginal population. s.13

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Given this, as part of the solution, the BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres (BCA AFC) has developed a proposed 'Five by Five' Aboriginal Jobs Strategy, which focuses on positioning its network of 25 Friendship Centres across BC to develop and deliver an integrated employment strategy that will ultimately result in employing five thousand Aboriginal people over the next 5 years.

To accomplish the goal of employing 5,000 Aboriginal people over the next 5 years, the BCA AFC proposes to: engage with key stakeholders; undertake evidence-based research; work with a number of key provincial ministries and federal departments; and, develop a measurement and evaluation system to monitor success (see appendix for details).

The proposed 'Five by Five' jobs strategy is linked to BC's Off-Reserve Aboriginal Action Plan (ORAAP) given ORAAP's focus on jobs and skills training. Through

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- IV DISCUSSION:

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## V CONCLUSION:

The BCAAFC's Aboriginal Jobs Plan represents a culturally rooted vision of the future that creates economic self-sufficiency for Aboriginal people in BC. Over the coming months, the BCAAFC will meet with various provincial ministries to discuss the proposed strategy, identify opportunities to work together and discuss possible ways to collaboratively resource the proposed initiatives.

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II **ISSUE:** Canada Winter Games to be held in Prince George from February 13, 2015 to March 1, 2015

III **BACKGROUND:**

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The 2015 Canada Winter Games Host Society and Lheidli T'enneh are working in partnership in preparation for the February 2015 event.

Lheidli T'enneh has been named the First Nations official host of the 2015 Canada Winter Games. This is the first time in Canada Games history an Official Host First Nation designation has been granted to a First Nation.

Lheidli T'enneh are the first inhabitants of Prince George and the Games will be held on their traditional territory (see attached news release).

Lheidli T'enneh has been involved for the past few years beginning with the bid book presentation for Prince George to host the games.

The event marks the first time in Prince George's history that the Lheidli T'enneh flag has flown within city limits. The flag will be flown on the roof of Canada Games House between the Canadian and provincial flags. The Carrier language is also to be incorporated on the official website, various marketing, pre-event and Games-times signage and pageantry to honour Lheidli T'enneh Nation.

The event will bring together more than 2,300 young athletes and 900 coaches from across the country participating in 19 sports.

Prince George is the first British Columbia city to host the winter edition of the Canada Games.

Prince George is also celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary in 2015.

#### IV DISCUSSION:

The Canada Winter Games is forecasted to generate an economic impact of approximately \$70 - \$90M along with sport, social, cultural and economic legacies.

The event will also provide an opportunity for Lheidli T'enneh to showcase and share their culture, language and traditions with visitors, athletes and the broader Canadian public. Festivities and marketing will also showcase northern British Columbia.

The Province and Federal Government have each provided \$11.2M in funding for the event. The total budget is supplemented by private sponsorship.

The Canada Games Host Society indicated they are seeking grant funding for the festival and entertainment for the 18-day event.

#### V CONCLUSION:

This event provides a multitude of economic, job, athletic, health and fitness, and cultural public awareness opportunities for the Province and Prince George, as well as, an opportunity to present the culture and traditions of Lheidli T'enneh and northern British Columbia.

The Games Society has noted they are scheduled to do a presentation before the British Columbia Liberal caucus on January 21, 2014, in Prince George.

The Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, through Assistant Deputy Minister Peter Cunningham, will play a supportive role to the Games Society and Lheidli T'enneh in their work towards the cultural festivities and entertainment.

#### Attachment (1):

- December 2012 Media Release - Lheidli T'enneh Named Host First Nation for 2015 Canada Winter Games

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## MEDIA RELEASE

Tuesday, December 18, 2012  
For Immediate Release

### **"Lheidli T'enneh Named Official Host First Nation for 2015 Canada Winter Games"**

Prince George, BC- For the first time in Canada Games history, an Official Host First Nation designation has been granted to a First Nation. The 2015 Canada Winter Games Host Society is proud to announce the Lheidli T'enneh Nation as the "Official Host First Nation" for the 2015 Games.

"This is a significant day for both parties," said Anthony Everett, 2015 Canada Winter Games Board Chair. "We are proud to recognize the Lheidli T'enneh as our true partners in the 2015 Canada Winter Games. As the first inhabitants of Prince George, this is a foundational piece for sharing the northern story with the rest of Canada in 2015."

"Congratulations to the Lheidli T'enneh Nation on being designated as the first Official Host First Nation for the Canada Games," said the Honourable Bal Gosal, Minister of State (Sport). "Hosting the Canada Games will bring direct and significant economic benefits to the host community of Prince George and will leave lasting and sustainable sport, social, cultural, and economic legacies for all Canadians."

"In announcing a Host First Nation, the 2015 Canada Winter Games are breaking new ground," said Pat Bell, MLA for Prince George-Mackenzie. "One of the great things about sport is that it can bridge geographic and cultural gaps, bringing people together. Today's announcement adds another layer of meaning to the Canada Winter Games, allowing the local First Peoples, the Lheidli T'enneh, to showcase and share their culture and worldview with the broader Canadian public."

This event also marks the first time in Prince George's history that the Lheidli T'enneh flag has flown within the City's limits. The flag will be showcased on the roof of Canada Games House in downtown Prince George, and will fly in the center of the Canadian and provincial flags, symbolizing the gathering place for the country in 2015.

"Raising the flag in downtown Prince George is significant and demonstrates not only the important history of the Lheidli T'enneh, but the strong relationship we have moving forward together," says Mayor Shari Green.

"We welcome the opportunity to share our culture, language and traditions with the thousands of visitors, athletes and viewers from across Canada who will experience the 2015 Canada Winter Games," says Lheidli T'enneh Chief Dominic Frederick.

The Canada Games is communicated in both French and English: Canada's two official languages, but the 2015 Canada Winter Games will also incorporate Carrier syllabics and their translation into various marketing, pre-event and Games-time signage and pageantry to honour the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation, whose traditional territory the Games will be hosted on.

#### **About Lheidli T'enneh Nation:**

The traditional territory of the Lheidli T'enneh stretches 4.3 million hectares from the Rocky Mountains to the Interior Plains, and includes the City of Prince George. The word, Lheidli, means, "Where the two rivers flow together," referring to the Nechako and Fraser Rivers, and T'enneh means, "the people". Downtown Prince George and the surrounding neighborhoods now sit on the site that was originally the Fort George Indian reserve, established in 1892. The history of the Lheidli T'enneh is a big part of the history of the City of Prince George and the entire region.

#### **About 2015 Canada Winter Games:**

FUNDING PARTIES

Canada







The 2015 Canada Winter Games will be the largest multi-sport and cultural event to ever be held in Prince George and Northern British Columbia and is forecasted to generate an economic impact of \$70- \$90 million while building champions and inspiring dreams amongst Canadian youth. Athletes from 10 Provinces and 3 Territories will compete in 19 sports with the dream of becoming Canada's next champions. In 2015, choose your path, leave your tracks, and journey with the 2015 Canada Winter Games as we host the nation and share a northern story with all of Canada.

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 First Nations Leadership Council Report: Advancing and Indigenous framework for consultation and accommodation in BC  
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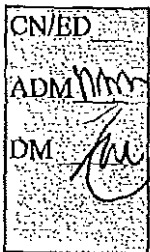
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I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Steve Munro, Deputy Minister

II **ISSUE:**

First Nations Leadership Council Report: Advancing an Indigenous Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC

III **BACKGROUND:**



The First Nation Leadership Council (FNLC) released a report entitled "Advancing an Indigenous Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC" (the Report) in the fall of 2013.

In March 2005, the Province and the FNLC agreed to jointly develop a new approach to consulting and accommodating First Nations as part of the New Relationship Vision. Despite best efforts, it has not been possible to engage the FNLC on co-developing a new approach to consulting. The FNLC gave priority to other issues including recognition, shared decision-making and revenue sharing policy (i.e. the revised approach to the BC-First Nation Forest & Range Opportunities agreements).

It is unclear that the FNLC have a mandate from First Nations to address Aboriginal rights and title issues, especially given First Nations' negative reaction to the 2009 "Discussion Paper for Implementing the New Relationship" regarding the proposed Recognition and Reconciliation Act.

In 2010, BC released the interim document, "Updated Procedures for Meeting Legal Obligations When Consulting First Nations" (the Procedures) with a commitment to review how the Procedures were functioning after being in operation for one year. BC advised each First Nation by individual letter of that intention and offered to discuss how First Nations could participate in that review. Less than a half dozen First Nations formally indicated their interest. The FNLC responded by forming the BC First Nations Consultation and Accommodation Working Group (WG) in 2011, led by Chief Douglas White III, to review the Procedures and produce findings. In response, MARR held off on the commitment to review procedures to allow the WG to complete their review.

IV **DISCUSSION:**

The Report provides a background and context for the work, highlighting five key findings and includes six of the seven analysis papers, as appendices, that were commissioned by the WG. Both the Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs and the British Columbia Assembly of First Nations passed resolutions earlier this year endorsing the findings of the Report and supporting further steps to continue the work of the WG, including seeking a separate source of funding.

The basic premise of the Report is:

- that the honourable reconciliation of Crown sovereignty with pre-existing sovereignty of Aboriginal peoples is an unmet promise; and,
- the Crown's current approach to consultation and accommodation will not achieve reconciliation as Crown practices are often dishonourable and the status quo is ineffective 'window-dressing'.

The report identifies specific obstacles to overcome and suggests remedies. s.13, s.16  
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The five key findings are a synthesis of observations and points made in the seven analysis papers. In short, they are:

- sovereignty and reconciliation are central to consultation and accommodation;
- indigenous views and governance traditions must be incorporated into current provincial processes;
- current consultation and accommodation policies and practices are dysfunctional and out-of-date;
- the economic component of Aboriginal title and rights is integral to the process; and
- First Nations' approaches must be part of improving the provincial status quo.

## V CONCLUSION:

Several papers propose practical steps First Nations should take to prepare for engagements with both Crown and proponents. s.13

s.13 The paper also proposes establishing a BC First Nation Economic Policy Working Group to develop some of the proposals.

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### Attachments:

1. Key Findings
2. List of Analysis Papers & Contributors

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4. Report: Advancing an Indigenous Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC

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**Overview of First Nations Leadership Council Report: Advancing an Indigenous**  
**Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC**

**Attachment 1: Key Findings**

1. The concepts of sovereignty and reconciliation are central to understanding the purpose of consultation and accommodation.
2. The indigenous perspective and indigenous legal orders must shape and inform the vision and model of reconciliation, and the meaning and content of the process and substance of consultation and accommodation.
3. The current status quo of how consultation and accommodation takes place between the Crown and First Nations is largely dysfunctional, does not reflect core legal principles including those of sovereignty and reconciliation, and does not properly incorporate the Indigenous perspective.
4. Treatment of the economic component of Aboriginal title and rights illustrates the deficiency of the status quo, and highlights what actual reconciliation might entail.
5. New directions, patterns and processes of consultation and accommodation will emerge through First Nations systematically and strategically developing approaches that reflect a purposive approach, incorporate indigenous perspectives, and advance reconciliation.

**Overview of First Nations Leadership Council Report: Advancing an Indigenous Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC**

**Attachment 2: List of Analysis Papers & Contributors**

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**Analysis Papers:**

Common Law Consultation;  
Indigenous Legal Orders;  
International Law;  
Economic Policy;  
Provincial Policy; and  
Federal Policy.

The seventh paper -- First Nations Policy- remains a work-in-progress, requiring First Nations' input to complete.

The International law paper deals with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (UNDRIP) -- international human rights. It includes a general discussion of the application of international human rights law to indigenous peoples and the challenges of implementing that law within the Canadian legal system. It also offers some options or strategies for First Nations for overcoming those challenges. A desired outcome of this ground-up strategy is for First Nations to move Canada and BC towards a more acceptable approach.

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# **FIRST NATIONS LEADERSHIP COUNCIL & DEPUTY MINISTERS MUNRO AND CARR LNG MEETING AGENDA**

**DRAFT 2**

**UBCIC Boardroom  
500 – 342 Water Street, Vancouver  
Thursday, January 30, 2014  
2:00 - 4:00 pm**

## **Working with First Nations to Develop an LNG Industry in BC**

### **1. Overview**

- Provincial approach and MARR structure
  - Upstream
  - Midstream
  - Downstream

### **2. Status of Negotiations**

- Upstream
- Midstream
- Downstream

### **3. Key Initiatives**

- LNG Ecosystem Stewardship
- Aboriginal Skills Training and Employment
- s.13, s.16, s.17

### **4. Upcoming Events**

- LNG Summit hosted by Treaty 8 Tribal Association, Fort St. John, Feb 17 – 19, 2014
- LNG in BC Conference, Vancouver, May 21-23, 2014

### **5. Closing Remarks/Next Steps**

#### **BC Attendees:**

Ministry of Natural Gas Development  
DM Steve Carr  
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Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation  
DM Steve Munro  
CN Laurel Nash

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# **FIRST NATIONS LEADERSHIP COUNCIL & DEPUTY PREMIER JOHN DYBLE MAIN TABLE MEETING AGENDA**

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**Vancouver? Victoria?, BC  
Tuesday, February 4, 2014  
Afternoon**

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- 1. Introductions and Introductory Statements**
- 2. Ongoing Engagement**
  - Outcomes
  - Ongoing meeting model
- 3. Overview/Recap of DM-FLNC meeting re LNG**
- 4. Skills Training**
- 5. Proposed Cabinet meeting**
- 6. Action Plan**
  - Ongoing engagement
  - LNG
  - Skills Training
  - Cabinet meeting
- 7. Confirmation of Action Items/ Record of Decision**
- 8. Closing Remarks/Next Steps**

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MINISTRY OF ABORIGINAL RELATIONS  
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BRIEFING NOTE

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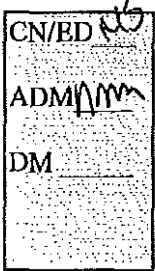
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I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Minister John Rustad

II **ISSUE:**

First Nations Leadership Council – BC engagement update

III **BACKGROUND:**



There have been seven engagements between BC and the FNLC to date in fiscal 2013-14, contributing to several commitments outlined in the mutually agreed engagement model.

These engagements include the annual meeting with the Premier (September 25), a quarterly meeting with the Minister, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation (MARR), also in September, individual speaking engagements and several topic-specific meetings between ADMs from MARR and Ministry of Environment with FNLC Executive Directors.

During these meetings, commitments were made for an LNG-focussed presentation to the FNLC political executive by Deputy Ministers Steve Munro and Steve Carr, and a broader DM Main Table meeting with Deputy Minister John Dyble, DM Munro and select DMs.

Each of the September meetings included a discussion of current fiscal year FNLC funding. MARR issued BC's contribution of \$100,000 to each of the FNLC organizations in October, 2013.

The concept of a large scale meeting between all First Nation leaders and BC Cabinet members was also discussed.

IV **DISCUSSION:**

The LNG meeting has been confirmed for January 30, 2014 in Vancouver. The Main Table meeting is currently scheduled for February 4, 2014 also in Vancouver.

Topics proposed for the draft Main Table meeting agenda include ongoing engagement topics (outcomes, issues, commitments, funding), issues (if any) arising from the LNG meeting, a broader discussion of skills training, and the Cabinet meeting proposal. Drafts of both meeting agendas are attached.

Under the current engagement model, the Minister's next quarterly meeting should occur prior to March 31, 2014. Depending on the results of the February 5, 2014

meeting, the next DM Main Table and Minister's Quarterly meetings could be combined.

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At their individual Assemblies and General meetings, the FNLC organizations have passed coordinated resolutions on such topics as:

- protection of First Nation interests in areas of overlapping claims;
- challenging the provincial policy on mining revenue sharing;
- water issues (including groundwater) and forestry tenures;
- crown land sales; and
- continuing the work of the First Nation Consultation and Accommodation Committee.

While some resolutions are being addressed by the organizations through other forums, MARR staff anticipate the above-noted issues in particular will continue to be raised at the Quarterly and DM Main Table meetings.

An overview BN of the Fall-2013 Report "*Advancing an Indigenous Framework for Consultation and Accommodation in BC*" is attached.

## V CONCLUSION:

There is an opportunity for the concept of a Cabinet-FN meeting to be discussed by Deputy Dyble at the February Main table. However, political confirmation of the desire to move the concept forward is required.

The Minister can anticipate the next quarterly meeting with the FNLC to occur prior to March 31, 2014, to be set up following the upcoming LNG and DM Main Table meetings.

### Appendices:

1. Draft FNLC meeting agenda re LNG
2. Draft FNLC-DM Main Table agenda
3. BN 32922 - Overview - FNLC C&A Report

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**Subject**

Please advise what staff will attend and have briefing materials prepared for a meeting with The First Nations Technology Council (Norm Leech - Executive Director)

Their initiatives focus on building technical capacity for Aboriginal people in BC.

1. Project Raven is HRSDC funded and is targeted at unemployed and underemployed aboriginal people throughout BC.
2. other project is funded through the All Nations Trust Company (ANTCO)

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- I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Honourable John Rustad, Minister
- II **ISSUE:** Meeting with First Nations Technology Council on January 27, 2014
- III **BACKGROUND:**



First Nations Technology Council (FNTC) was originally established by the First Nations Summit, but now is mandated by the First Nations Leadership Council. FNTC provides information and programming in the areas of connectivity, information technology, information management, technical capacity building and technical support.

FNTC is a partner in the delivery of the *Pathways to Technology* initiative, the goal of which is to ensure that all First Nations in the province have access to broadband technology. The Pathways initiative is jointly funded by Network British Columbia (Ministry of Technology, Innovation and Citizens' Services), Health Canada, and Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada. Total funding of approximately \$50M has been provided or committed. The project is managed by All Nations Trust Company (ANTCO) based in Kamloops. The funding was provided to ANTCO through a grant. The other key First Nations organizations involved are the First Nations Health Society and FNTC. The Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation (MARR) has ex-officio status on the initiative's steering committee. The majority of the funding will be used under contracts to telecommunications companies to deliver broadband technology to and within First Nations communities.

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In 2012, FNTC was advised by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (HRSDC) that they would be receiving up to \$4M over 3 years to develop and deliver technical training programs to Aboriginal clients, on or off- reserve. FNTC has named this initiative *Project Raven*. The funding is from HRSDC's Skills and Partnership Fund (SPF). The objective of the SPF program is to "enable Aboriginal organizations to experiment and to be innovative by using partnerships to create appropriate labour market products and services for Aboriginal people". There is an expectation within the SPF program that the funded agency will develop partnerships with industry/employers and other levels of government to create employment opportunities for the program participants. In the case of FNTC, their training is expected to result in employment for at least one-half of the participants.

FNTC has advised that their representatives in this meeting will be:

- Denise Williams, Operations and Capacity Director
- Lauren Kelly, Communications

#### IV DISCUSSION:

FNTC has indicated they wish to discuss their mandate and their work on technology initiatives including the *Pathways to Technology* initiative and provide an update on *Project Raven*, their web portal and their annual conference. They will be looking for support from MARR to engage with the Province to be able to provide training and technical capacity to First Nations.

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As the

funding for the *Pathways to Technology* initiative was provided through a grant, MARR does not have an ability to direct All Nations Trust Company on awarding of contracts.

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MARR does not have independent access to labour market funding. Provincial ministries with labour market development funding include Ministry of Jobs, Tourism and Skills Development, the Ministry of Social Development and Innovation and the Ministry of Advanced Education. At this time, the Labour Market Agreement is under negotiation so the availability of funding for most of the programming is uncertain.

The MARR contact for FNTC is Susan Kelly, Director, Community and Economic Development. Susan Kelly can be reached at 250-387-2536.

#### V CONCLUSION:

Ministry staff can work with First Nations Technology Council to identify potential funding programs that may support their technical capacity programming and the *Project Raven* initiative.

Drafter: Susan Kelly, Director, Community Development Branch, 250-387-2536

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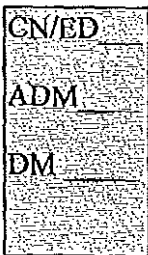
II **ISSUE:** Family Homes on Reserves and Matrimonial Interests or Rights Act (Federal)

III **BACKGROUND:**

- Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) developed legislation to address a long-standing legislative gap regarding matrimonial real property on reserves. The legislation called the *Family Homes on Reserves and Matrimonial Interests or Rights Act* (the *Act*) received Royal Assent on June 19, 2013.
- The Act is divided into two parts. The first part of the *Act* was brought into force on December 16, 2013, and provides for the enactment of First Nations laws respecting on-reserve matrimonial real property.
- First Nation communities choosing to create their own matrimonial real property laws can take the steps to ratify their own laws - ones that respect their communities' traditions and cultures. The provisional federal rules will not apply to a First Nation community that brings into effect their own laws before the provisional federal rules come into force.
- The second part of the *Act* will come into force on December 16, 2014, and provides for the Provisional Federal Rules to fill the legislative gap in the absence of a First Nation's own laws. First Nations can continue to develop their own laws after the 12-month transition period.
- The *Act*:
  - sets out rules for division of a couple's property in the case of a break-up, divorce or death on a reserve; and,
  - allows a judge to issue an "emergency protection order" in cases of domestic violence on reserve.
- The *Act* addresses these issues by:
  - giving individual First Nations the authority to enact their own property division laws and protection order laws that trump any similar provincial or federal law; and,
  - enacting a set of rules that will apply until, or unless, the First Nation enacts their own laws.

IV **DISCUSSION:**

- The Province agrees that the legislative gap needed to be addressed but has concerns about the costs to the Province in implementing the federal legislation, with how implementation may affect the justice system, and with the potential for widespread confusion among families, First Nation communities and the justice system when families are experiencing stress.



- Most of the consultation leading to the legislation was completed in 2007, during which the provinces and territories and most First Nations groups raised concerns with the approach. The consultation was undertaken in collaboration with the Native Women's Association of Canada and the Assembly of First Nations and facilitated by a Ministerial Representative, Wendy Grant John.

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- There are a number of challenges with Bill S-2, including the following:
  - there are approximately 200 individual First Nations in British Columbia (BC) that could enact unique laws, all of which must be administered by the Province's justice system, thereby placing a burden on the justice system (Judges, court staff, lawyers and other family justice professionals) to learn and administer a diversity of approaches;
  - notice by the First Nations to the Province of the creation of or amendments to these laws is required only after the fact and requires no consultation with BC;
  - the provisions in the federal Bill are not consistent with BC's *Family Law Act*.
- Examples of specific concerns include inconsistency between the federal rules respecting "emergency protection orders" and BC's current protection order regime; with implementation of the federal rules, there would be two applicable protection order regimes on reserve likely resulting in procedural and implementation difficulties; potential protection order enforcement challenges which could put people with protection orders at risk.
- There are no federal funds to offset costs to provinces. The Federal government supports a Centre of Excellence, hosted by the National Aboriginal Lands Managers Association, to support First Nations in developing/implementing their laws and in understanding the federal provisional rules.
- Anticipating the range of issues that would need to be addressed in responding to the legislation, the Ministry of Justice and Attorney General (JAG) contacted the Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation (MARR) for support to engage with First Nations on preparing for and responding to implementation of the legislation.
- Technical staff from the First Nations Summit, the Union of BC Indian Chiefs, and BC Assembly of First Nations agrees that there is value in working with JAG and MARR on a BC approach to implementation. A joint working group has been established to provide a forum for perspective and information-sharing, collaboration and coordination on initiatives and issues of common concern regarding the implementation of the *Act*.

## V CONCLUSION:

- MARR and JAG will continue to engage with First Nations Leadership Council organizations to undertake an effective and respectful process for implementation of the *Family Homes on Reserves and Matrimonial Interests or Rights Act* in BC.

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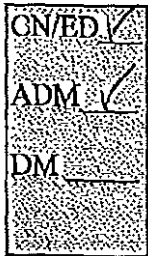
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MINISTRY OF ABORIGINAL RELATIONS  
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BRIEFING NOTE

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- I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Honourable John Rustad, Minister
- II **ISSUE:** District of Lillooet water intake construction project blockade
- III **BACKGROUND:**



The community of Lillooet is geographically centred in the territory of the St'at'imc Nation, consisting of 11 First Nations including Sekw'el'was (Cayoosh Creek Indian Band) and T'tit'q'et (Lillooet Indian Band). Lillooet's population is approximately 50 per cent Aboriginal.

**Blockade background** – The District of Lillooet (the District) began construction on new water intake on Cayoosh Creek (also known as the Seton River) on January 16, 2014. In response, on January 17, 2014, the Sekw'el'was and some non-Aboriginal residents erected a protest at the project site over concerns regarding fish habitat, provincial consultation and long-standing issues with the District. On January 27, 2014, the T'tit'q'et also announced its opposition to the project.

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In response to applications by the Sekw'el'was and T'tit'q'et, the Environmental Appeal Board (EAB) has granted an immediate stay on the related provincial decision related to the water intake project, and is expected to decide on an interim stay in mid-February. A formal EAB hearing will take several months.

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**Water intake project background/consultation** – The District has an existing licence and works in place on Cayoosh Creek (also known as the Seton River). Part of the water system upgrade is a new treatment plant on land owned by the District.

The project required a Change of Works (CoW) on the water license to move the water intake downstream to provide for a shorter connection to the treatment plant.

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In March 2013, Front Counter Kamloops initiated consultation for the CoW. On September 17, 2013, the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (FLNR) approved the CoW.



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The District has expressed considerable frustration regarding the delay in construction as in-stream work on the water intake must be completed during low-water volumes (January to early March window).

The project is funded by federal municipal infrastructure fund (Canada's Gas Tax Fund) contributions of ~\$10 million. Deadline to spend the funding is 2019. Canada works with the Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) on the distribution of this funding. The BC Ministry of Community, Sport and Cultural Development acts as technical advisors to the UBCM on this funding, and has been in contact with both Sekw'el'was and the District during this dispute.

**MARR's current activities** – Regional MARR staff have been in active discussions with Sekw'el'was with respect to their interest in signing a Forest Consultation and Revenue Sharing Agreement (FCRSA).

The St'at'imc are also interested in pursuing a Strategic Engagement Agreement (SEA) with the Province.

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#### IV DISCUSSION:

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The St'at'imc communities have been provided with a significant amount of capacity funding as a result of an agreement with BC Hydro in 2011. This funding has allowed St'at'imc communities to organize and develop business ventures. Conversely, in

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The District has maintained that this water project is important to complete due to turbidity issues and related Interior Health guidelines. It has suggested boil water advisories may be necessary if the project does not go ahead. An interim stay by EAB would delay the project for at least a year (due to the limited in-stream work opportunity) and past the municipal election window in the fall.

## V CONCLUSION:

Despite their different views regarding the impact of the water intake project, the incident has resulted in s.13, s.16 dialogue between the District and the Sekw'el'was. The Sekw'el'was Chief has stressed desire for communication during this dispute. This engagement could lead to better relations over time, and better management of future disagreements.

Should an interim stay, or another blockade result in additional delays, the future of this project itself may depend on the outcome of municipal elections in the fall. Continuing action s.13, s.16 by the Sekw'el'was and, perhaps, T'it'q'et is likely.

Karen Jhsson Williams, Senior Analyst, Critical Incidents, 250 356-9332

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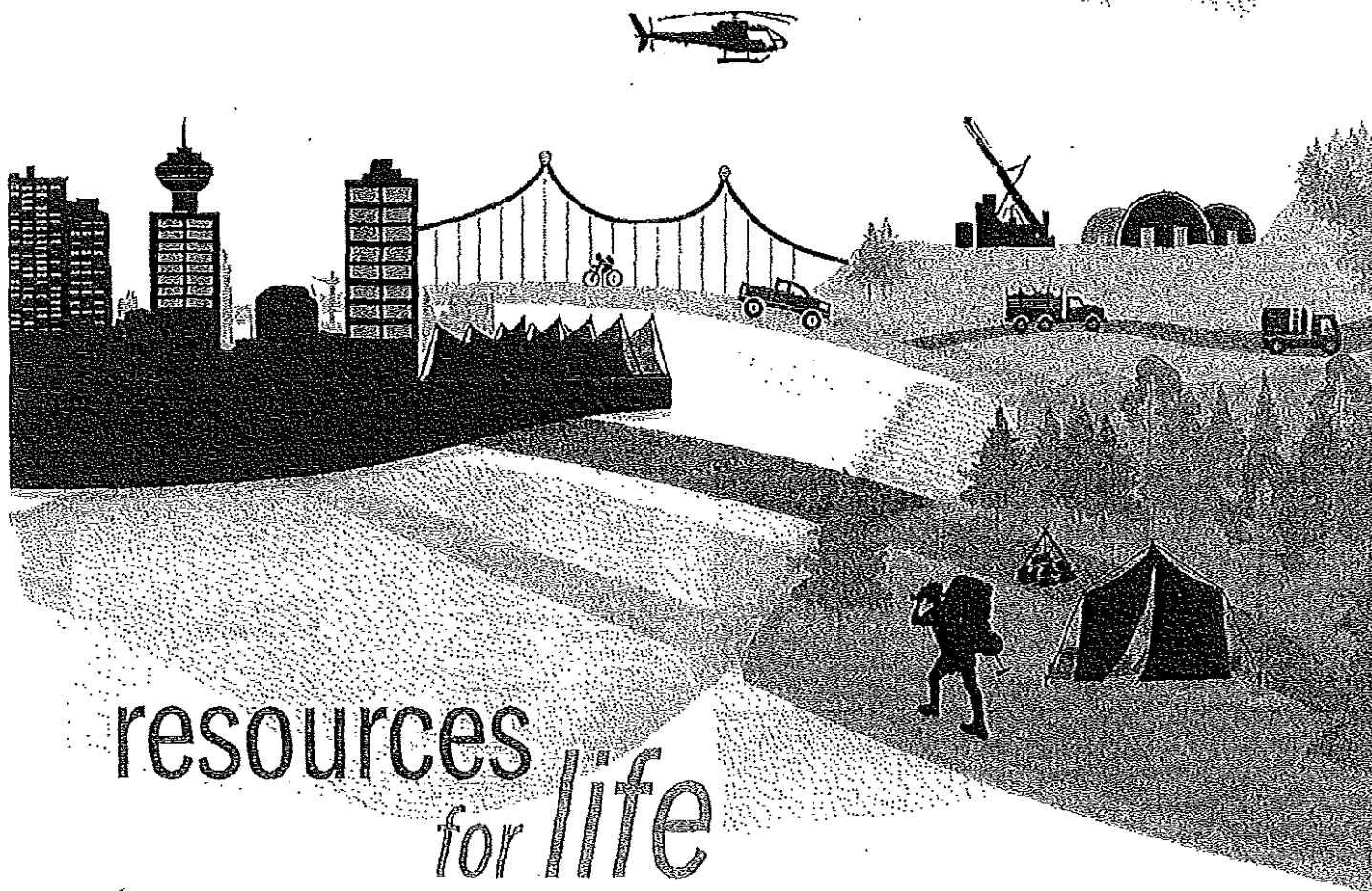
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## SHORT COURSES

### SHORT COURSE 1 | FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 EXPLORATION TARGETING: A RETURN TO THE FUNDAMENTALS

Presented by: ANE BC and W&A Doggett, Principal, Michael Doggett & Associates

This course will address the issues that exploration geologists face in an ever-changing and challenging global environment for the mineral industry. These issues include fluctuating commodity prices, the escalation in costs associated with constructing and operating new mining projects, the capital risks facing many junior explorers and the effects of senior companies on quality rather than size of assets. The course will examine how these factors impact on the minimum leverage grade conditions required to justify the cost and time of discovering new economic deposits. The characteristics of exploration targets will be considered in the context of the set of known undeveloped deposits. Course materials will draw on a broad range of international case studies with emphasis placed on copper and gold examples.

### SHORT COURSE 2 | FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 SURFICIAL GEOLOGY AND EXPLORATION GEOCHEMISTRY - KNOW WHAT YOU ARE SAMPLING & WHY

Presented by: ANE BC, Van Loon and Oria Hebertson

This one-day short course will focus on successful geochemical strategies for exploring in covered terrain. It will first look at the major common types of surficial sediments, how they are recognized and how they control mineral content. Sediments particularly useful for locating buried mineral deposits will be emphasized. The second part of the course will focus on geochemical survey design, data validation and interpretation, and techniques for seeing through cover. Topics will include different types of sample media, field geochemistry, understanding surficial materials, elemental mobility, various methods of analysis, endogenic and exogenic effects and use of soil pH. The course will emphasize techniques that have been successful but we will also review the circumstances under which methods have failed and why. The course will be interactive, and participants will have an opportunity to submit specific examples or questions from active exploration projects for discussion and review. Emphasis will be placed on practical applications, solving the complex relationship of different types of cover, selecting the best exploration tools and designing successful strategies.



### SHORT COURSE 3 | FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 GEOPHYSICS FOR GEOLOGISTS

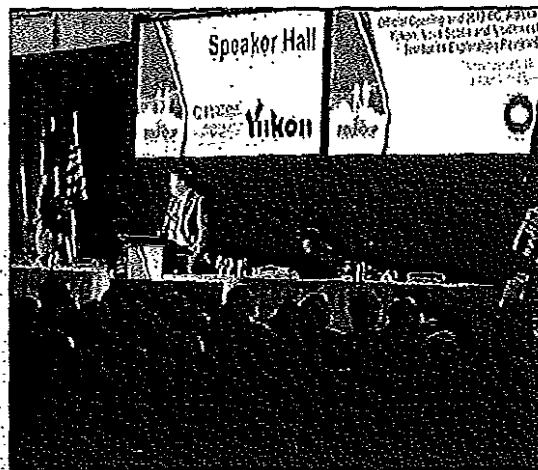
Presented by: ANE BC and Greg Hodges, Fugro Alberta Sonar

This one-day course will teach geologists the basic principles of applying geophysics to exploration. The focus will be on understanding the relationship between geological processes and the physical properties of the rocks, and how these are measured from surface survey systems. The examples are primarily airborne geophysics, but the principles apply to all methods of surveying. Practical considerations of choosing a method and project based on target and host geology and environment will be covered, as well as a basic understanding of the methods. Major topics areas will include magnetotellurics and geology, magnetic, electromagnetic and gravity geophysics, gravity and gravity geophysics, seismicity, seismic geophysics, seismicity and data evaluation and ore deposit geophysics.

### SHORT COURSE 4 | SATURDAY, JANUARY 25 A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO THE ANALYSIS OF VEIN AND BRECCIA HOSTED HYDROTHERMAL SYSTEMS

Presented by: ANE BC and Rick Oliver, Vancouver Geophysics Group

This course will emphasize the combination of rock observation, geochemistry and structural analysis to better informed exploration and mining decisions for geologists working in both and/or drill's environments. The special focus of the course will be the combination of aspects of geochemistry and structural geology to help core or mine. The intended outcomes for participants will be in the area of better project appraisal skills, approaches to handle complex data sets and improved capacity for pattern recognition in rocks and both data sets.



## SHORT COURSES

### SHORT COURSE 6 | SATURDAY, JANUARY 26 AND SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 REGIONAL METALLOGENY AND CONTROLS ON THE LOCATION OF ORE SYSTEMS (MDRU)

Presented by: AME BC and Craig Hart, Mineral Deposit Research Unit (MDRU)

Project generation and exploration targeting require quick identification of the most prospective ground so exploration budgets can focus efforts on areas of greatest potential. The identification of these most prospective locations requires recognition of the key geological features that control and host ore-bearing systems. These features operate across a range of scales and, despite the range of metals and deposit types that they form, are surprisingly similar. Understanding the controls of metals and volcanics, for example, is a critical factor in most well-endowed provinces, and crustal-scale structural trends control many well-mineralized districts. Structural cross-analyses or unroofed cross-sections can control locations of porphyry and VMS deposits in an evolving arc, and changes in deformation style can transform a region of one-forming magmas into a region of the formation of orogenic gold systems.

This two-day short course will investigate the geological features that control the locations of ore-forming and ore-hosting processes across a range of scales from the lithosphere to the crust. The course would be appropriate for all geologists making exploration decisions, from junior geologists to exploration managers, as well as consultants who are asked to help in understanding ore about the hosting processes.

### SHORT COURSE 8 | SATURDAY, JANUARY 26 AND SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 MINERAL EXPLORATION AND MINING ESSENTIALS

Presented by: AME BC and Robert Stevens, BCII

Mineral Exploration and Mining Essentials is a two-day course that provides a complete overview of the mineral exploration and mining industry for those working or involved in the mining industry but who do not have a technical background in geology or mining. It is suitable for investment bankers, community leaders, analysts, investors, business personnel, accountants, lawyers, directors and a wide range of business professionals. Mineral Exploration and Mining Essentials is effective at tying together and explaining the relevance and importance of the various parts of the industry. The course has been developed and refined over 10 years and is widely recognized in Vancouver and elsewhere in western Canada as an engaging and highly informative course on the mining industry.

Each participant in the course will receive a copy of the book Mineral Exploration and Mining Essentials. This book, written by Dr. Robert Stevens, is an indispensable primer for anyone involved in the mineral exploration and mining industry. This well-illustrated book provides a thorough overview of the industry from the exploration phase to mine closure. The course will follow this book, and participants will find it to be a valuable reference resource for years to come.

### SHORT COURSE 7 | SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 ABORIGINAL AWARENESS AND AME BC'S ABORIGINAL ENGAGEMENT GUIDEBOOK FOR MINERAL EXPLORERS

Presented by: AME BC Aboriginal Relations Committee

The core of the mining industry is mineral exploration and development. In British Columbia and Canada, access to the land. Companies involved in mineral exploration are encouraged to engage with local and Aboriginal communities with their exploration and development plans at an early stage in order to achieve understanding and provide time to work together for shared success.

A common hurdle for both explorers and for Aboriginal communities is the ability to engage, share information and reach an understanding. This Short Course aims to help in this regard. It will consist of three parts:

1. An introductory overview of Aboriginal peoples.
2. The AME BC Aboriginal Engagement Guidebook for Mineral Explorers. A privileged approach will be presented and related to practical situations and experiences relevant to exploration and Aboriginal communities in the early stages of exploration.
3. Aboriginal participants will share their respective views and concerns related to real-life situations in their communities in BC and will speak about how they see engagement and consultation from their particular points of view.

All participants will be as interactive as time allows.

### SHORT COURSE 8 | SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 EMBARKING ON YOUR NEW CAREER IN MINERAL EXPLORATION (FOR STUDENTS AND RECENT GRADUATES)

Presented by: AME BC and Sandra Johnston, Independence Gold Corp.

This course will provide a basic introduction to the mineral exploration industry for students and professionals new to the industry. Participants will learn about the various types of organizations ranging from junior and major companies to government agencies involved in the industry and their roles in relation to each other. The course will also cover various career paths available to geoscientists and what these roles generally entail. A basic background in the business of the industry will include a summary of the capital markets, metal prices and their effects on industry, the roles of regulators and the way in which the industry is governed. Finally, the course will cover a few suggestions on how to prepare for becoming part of the mineral exploration industry and some of the qualities that employers are looking for. Guidelines for resumes, salaries and interview skills will all be touched on. The course will end with a panel discussion and question and answer period.







## SPECIAL EVENTS

Times and dates for special events are subject to change.

### T1 - STUDENT-INDUSTRY NETWORKING EVENT | SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

The Student-Industry Networking Event is a one-of-a-kind event that provides an opportunity for students and industry representatives to network and discuss career opportunities and explore the mutual exploration sector, as well as other related topics. Students - what a great opportunity to get the career advice you may need! This event is not a job fair, so don't bring a resume! However, we do encourage students to bring business cards that provide a lot of information about their education, experience and current status. All members of industry are encouraged to attend. Students and industry are advised to arrive early to the conference registration to ensure admission.

### T2 - CEO BREAKFAST | MONDAY, JANUARY 27

Topic: Speaker: Don McNeil, President & CEO, NAPA

### T3 - AME BO FINANCE LUNCH | MONDAY, JANUARY 27

Topic: Speaker: Martin Muehlebach, Chief Financial Officer, Dunsmuir & Co.

### T4 - AME BO LUNCH | TUESDAY, JANUARY 28

Topic: Speaker: Robert Quinlan, President & CEO, Fortem Resources Inc.

### T5 - AME BO HEALTH AND SAFETY AWARDS BREAKFAST | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

Topic: Speaker: John Hargrave, Vice President, Safety & Quality, Canadian National Railway and Dunsmuir. Vice President, Safety & Quality, CN Rail.

### T6 - BARON OF BEEF LUNCH | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

Topic: Speaker: Don McNeil, President & CEO, NAPA

### T7 - AME BO AWARDS DINNER | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

See front page for awards information and special programs.

### T8 - INTERNATIONAL LUNCH | THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

Topic: Speaker: Dr. Anthony Noddy, President, NAPA (International Council on Aging & Health)



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T2 - CEO Breakfast Topic



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T6 - Baron of Beef Lunch Topic



Dr. Anthony Noddy, President  
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T8 - International Lunch Topic

Only members of the association are eligible to attend.

### ICE BREAKER RECEPTION | SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 | 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

### YUKON NIGHT | MONDAY, JANUARY 27 | 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Free)

Organized by the Yukon Chapter of NAPA.

### BC NIGHT | TUESDAY, JANUARY 28 | 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

### ALASKA NIGHT | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29 | 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Organized by the Alaska Chapter of NAPA.

### AME BO OLD-TIMER'S LUNCH | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

This event is invitation only.

### EXHIBIT HALL RECEPTIONS | MONDAY, JANUARY 27 - WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

### BEER AND SANDWICH LUNCH | THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

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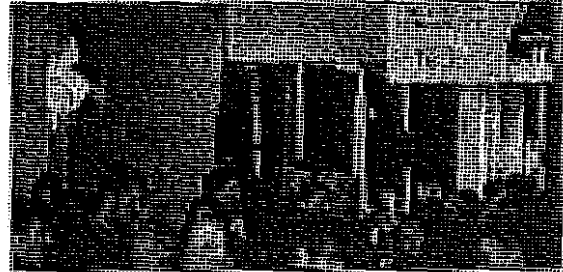
### HOCKEY CHALLENGE | MONDAY, JANUARY 27

The annual Roundup Hockey Challenge will be held at 8:30 p.m. on Monday, January 27, at the NAPA arena. The challenge is open to all NAPA members and is a great opportunity to test your skills on the ice. The challenge is a friendly competition between the NAPA teams and the NAPA members. The challenge is a great opportunity to test your skills on the ice. The challenge is a friendly competition between the NAPA teams and the NAPA members. The challenge is a great opportunity to test your skills on the ice. The challenge is a friendly competition between the NAPA teams and the NAPA members.

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Further information on these special events, including topics, speakers, topics, can be found at the AME BO website at [www.amebo.ca](http://www.amebo.ca).



## **PRE-CONFERENCE**

	THURSDAY January 21	FRIDAY January 22	SATURDAY January 23
REGISTRATION	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM
TECHNICAL SESSIONS	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM: <b>Workshop 1: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: <b>Workshop 2: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM: <b>Workshop 3: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: <b>Workshop 4: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b>	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM: <b>Workshop 5: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: <b>Workshop 6: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM: <b>Workshop 7: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: <b>Workshop 8: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b>	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM: <b>Workshop 9: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: <b>Workshop 10: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM: <b>Workshop 11: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: <b>Workshop 12: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b>
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## **POST-CONFERENCE**

	THURSDAY January 23	FRIDAY January 24
REGISTRATION	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	8:00 AM - 10:00 AM
TECHNICAL SESSIONS	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM: <b>Workshop 13: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: <b>Workshop 14: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM: <b>Workshop 15: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: <b>Workshop 16: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b>	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM: <b>Workshop 17: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: <b>Workshop 18: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM: <b>Workshop 19: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b> 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: <b>Workshop 20: The Role of the Engineer in the Design of a Bridge</b>
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## **CONFERENCE**

	THURSDAY January 21	FRIDAY January 22	SATURDAY January 23	SUNDAY January 24
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## VOLUNTEERS

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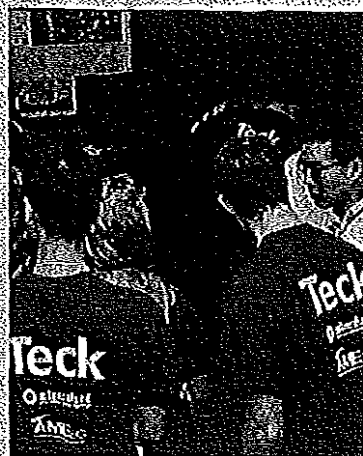
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## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

### MINERALS PROGRAMS AT ROUNDUP

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**SPECIAL FORUMS**

*Attendance is complimentary*

**AME BC POLICY FORUM  
MONDAY, JANUARY 27**

AME BC Policy Forum will explore the challenges and opportunities facing the AME BC community. The forum will focus on the following topics: AME BC Policy, AME BC Community, AME BC Future, and AME BC Impact.

**AME BC ABORIGINAL  
ENGAGEMENT FORUM  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 28**

AME BC Aboriginal Engagement Forum will explore the challenges and opportunities facing the AME BC Aboriginal community. The forum will focus on the following topics: AME BC Aboriginal Policy, AME BC Aboriginal Community, AME BC Aboriginal Future, and AME BC Aboriginal Impact.

**BC GOVERNMENT/MINERAL  
EXPLORATION  
AND MINING INDUSTRY FORUM  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29**

BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry Forum will explore the challenges and opportunities facing the BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry. The forum will focus on the following topics: BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry Policy, BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry Community, BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry Future, and BC Government/Mineral Exploration and Mining Industry Impact.

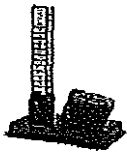
**BC MINERAL EXPLORATION AND  
DEVELOPMENT IIR FORUM:  
PEOPLE MAKING THE DIFFERENCE  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 30**

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## AME BC ANNUAL AWARDS

AME BC presents an annual awards ceremony to recognize the outstanding achievements and contributions of its members in a variety of areas, including technical, professional, and community service. The awards are presented to individuals who have made significant contributions to the industry and the community.



**H.M. "SPUD" HUGHES AWARD**  
For Excellence in Project & Field  
Engineering/Construction



**E.A. SCHULZ AWARD**  
For Excellence in the Development  
of BC Infrastructure



**MURRAY PEZIM AWARD**  
For Professional & Technical  
Achievement in the Industry



**HUGO DUMMETT  
DIAMOND AWARD**  
For Excellence in Diamond  
Exploration and Development



**COLIN SPENCE AWARD**  
For Excellence in Civil/Structural Engineering  
(Presented to BC and/or BCIA)



**ROBERT H. NEEDLEY AWARD**  
For Excellence in Civil and  
Structural Engineering



**DAVID GARR AWARD**  
For Excellence in Health and Safety  
in the Construction Industry



**FRANK WOODSIDE PAST  
PRESIDENTS DISTINGUISHED  
SERVICE AWARD**  
In Recognition of Outstanding Service to  
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**GOJO PANAWARD**  
For Excellence in the Construction  
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## THE ROUNDUP

### AME BC OUTREACH EDUCATION FUND

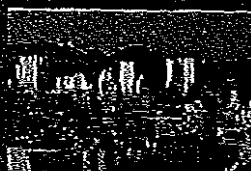
The AME BC Outreach Education Fund was established to provide financial support for educational programs and projects that promote the construction industry and the role of AME BC in the community.

The fund is managed by the AME BC Outreach Education Fund Committee, which is composed of representatives from the industry and the community.



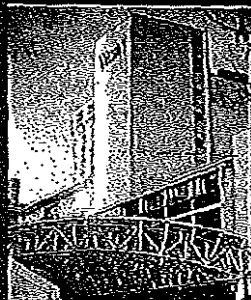
# THE ROUNDUP

LOCATION, ACCOMMODATION, AND CONTACTS



## LOCATION

Conferences are held at the Marriott Hotel, which is located in the heart of the city. The hotel is a large, modern building with many rooms and facilities. It is a convenient location for attendees, with easy access to public transportation and parking. The hotel is also a popular destination for tourists, offering a wide range of services and amenities.



## ACCOMMODATION

Single and double rooms are available at the Marriott Hotel. The hotel offers a variety of room types and rates to accommodate different budgets. The rooms are clean, comfortable, and well-furnished. The hotel also provides excellent service and amenities, including a restaurant, bar, and conference facilities.

## CONTACTS

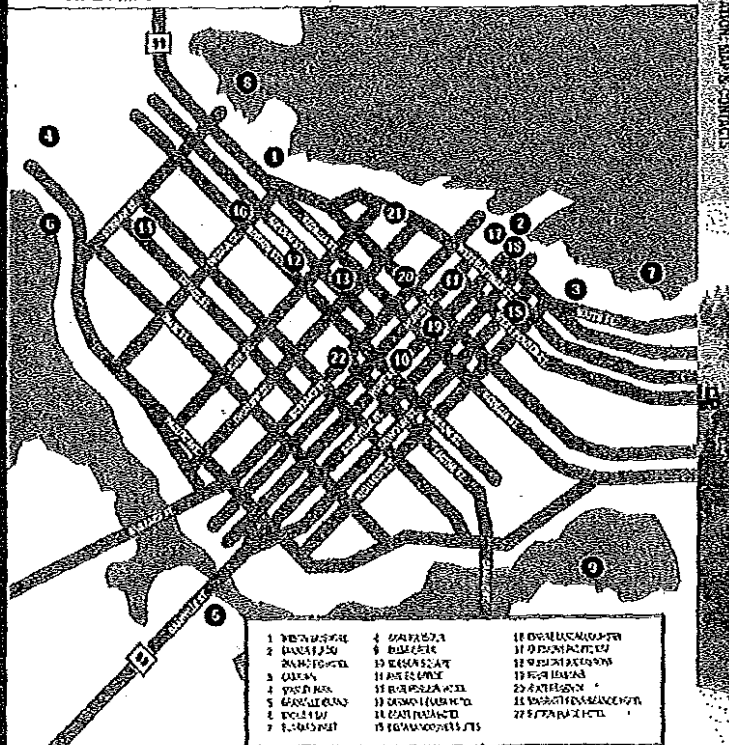
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The Roundup is a series of conferences and events held in the heart of the city. It is a great opportunity for professionals to network, learn, and grow. The Roundup is a well-organized and successful event, with a long history of excellence.



## AREA MAP



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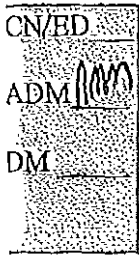


MINISTRY OF ABORIGINAL RELATIONS  
AND RECONCILIATION  
BRIEFING NOTE

Date: January 6, 2014  
Ref. No. 33430

File: 280-20

- I Prepared for the **INFORMATION** of Minister John Rustad, Minister of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation
- II **ISSUE:** Background on the Mineral Exploration Roundup Conference
- III **BACKGROUND:**



The Mineral Exploration Roundup Conference (Roundup) is held annually in late January in Vancouver to promote mineral exploration and development. It is hosted by the Association for Mineral Exploration British Columbia (AMEBC) and attracts between five and ten thousand people. Roundup is the second largest event of its kind in North America, the largest being the Toronto-based conference hosted by the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada.

Roundup is primarily a technical conference, but in recent years AMEBC has worked to incorporate an increasing level of Aboriginal awareness and engagement into the agenda (see attached Conference Agenda). Roundup now has an Aboriginal Engagement session designed to establish a venue for dialogue between industry, Aboriginal, and government leaders in British Columbia. In addition AMEBC has established "The Gathering Place: Where Aboriginal and Industry Leaders Meet" within the conference.

The Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation's (MARR) role in Roundup has been to support the Ministry of Energy and Mines (MEM), and Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (FLNRO). In addition, MARR actively promotes its role in resource development, including programs such as the Economic and Community Development Agreements (ECDA) and Strategic Engagement Agreements (SEA).

MARR projects have provided several high profile announcements over the last several years related to ECDAs and SBAs, including the Tahltan Land Use Plan and SEA, the Taku River Tlingit Land Use Plan, and most recently the Ktunaxa Nation ECDA, which was formally signed at the conference last year.

In 2013, the first-ever annual payments were made on a number of ECDAs, with over \$12 million in mineral tax revenue shared to date.

IV. **DISCUSSION:**

Industry sees ECDAs as a critical tool and vital component to moving mine projects forward, both with First Nations and for securing financing and building investor

confidence. MARR has signed ten ECDAs covering six mines or expansions across British Columbia s.16, s.17 In addition, MARR recently received a province-wide ECDA mandate for all new major mine and expansion projects, which will allow staff to fulfill MARR's previous commitment at Roundup 2013 to develop processes to reduce timelines for engaging First Nations on revenue sharing agreements.

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In addition, many proponents use Roundup to meet with Government regarding ECDAs and other First Nation-related concerns or opportunities. MARR will have three staff members in attendance at Roundup 2014 to assist if required:

- Fred Oliemans – Regional Negotiator, Smithers – cell Number s.22
- Shane Berg – Regional Director, Kamloops – cell Number s.22
- Peter Robb – Executive Director, ECDA Program – cell Number: s.22

#### V CONCLUSION:

MARR's role at Roundup has grown over the last three years and is now a critical component of the messages the Province provides at the conference.

- The certainty that ECDAs and SEAs are beginning to provide are key components to a healthy mineral exploration development industry in British Columbia.
- s.16, s.17
- MARR staff will be present at the conference and can assist if needed.

Attachments: 1. Roundup 2014 Conference Agenda  
2. ECDA Summary Table

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## Attachment 1: Economic and Community Development Agreement (ECDA) Overview Table

SIGNED AGREEMENTS				
PROJECT	MINE	COMPANY	FIRST NATION(S) <small>Subject to revision on future negotiations.</small>	STATUS
New Afton	Gold	New Gold	Tk'emlúps and Skeetchestn (Stk'emlúpsenc of Secwepemc Nation)	ECDA signed 2010; First payment made 2013.
Mt. Milligan	Copper-Gold	Thompson Creek Metals	McLeod Lake Nak'azdli	McLeod Lake ECDA signed 2010; Nak'azdli ECDA signed 2012: <span style="float: right;">s.16, s.17</span>
Elk Valley Coal	Coal	Teck	Ktunaxa Nation (representing four communities)	ECDA signed 2013 – comprehensive ECDA covering expansion of existing coal mines by Teck or any new coal mines. <span style="float: right;">s.16, s.17</span>
Copper Mountain	Copper	Copper Mtn Mining Corp	Upper and Lower Similkameen Indian Bands	Signed 2013; First payment made 2013.
Highland Valley Copper Expansion	Copper Moly	Teck HVC Teck Resources	Nlaka'pamux Nation (includes 15 communities, currently have 3 signed agreement covering 14 of the 15)	NLX ECDA signed 2013 (8 communities); NNTC ECDA signed 2013 (5 communities); Kanaka Bar signed 2013 (1 community); First payments made 2013. <span style="float: right;">s.16, s.17</span>
Mt. Polley Expansion	Copper Gold	Imperial Metals	Xat'súll (Soda Creek) Williams Lake	Xat'súll ECDA signed 2013; Williams Lake ECDA signed 2013: <span style="float: right;">s.16, s.17</span>

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