From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MMHA:EX
Subject:	Confident Parents, Thriving Kids date proposal
Date:	August 24, 2018 2:18:37 PM

Hi team,

We are looking at the week of Sept 17 – 21 as a potential time for a Confident Parents, Thriving Kids announcement. In particular, after Cabinet (at VCO) on the 19th could be a good day for us. What's that day looking like for your Minister?

Thanks!

Alisma

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: Cowichan update
Date: August 2, 2018 2:53:11 PM

Hi Krista,
Hope you're well. I'm hoping to have a call today or tomorrow regarding a situation in cowichan involving MLA Furstenau that happened July 19. Not sure if Paula was briefed on this s.22 . Unfortunately s.22 since the 17th so I may have missed it.
s.22 Christine, Theresa, and/or Cory would be best?
Thank you,
Alisma

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Consultation request for MCFD
Date:	August 13, 2018 11:24:31 AM
Attachments:	OOP-2018-84691 - MCFD consult 2 pages.pdf

Hi! This came from the Premier's office for "consultation." Not sure how you usually handle these, but I thought you'd want to see it.

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 12:01 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Consultation request for MCFD

Hi Alisma

Carmen sent this consultation to Niki last week. As I am not sure if Niki is working this week, I am sending to you in the hopes that you might be able to take a look and/or find out if she has reviewed?

Thanks
Krista

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 1, 2018 11:09 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Consultation request for MCFD

Hi Niki,

Please see attached consultation for review of records from the Office of the Premier.
Let me know if you are okay with the document being released as is, or, if you would like to see any severing applied.

Any questions let me know.
Thank you,

Carmen

From: FOI Social Tech Team CITZ:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Cc: Sanderson, Kristen CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: Consultation request for MCFD

Morning!

See the attached records for consultation from OOP.
Further communication should be with the assigned analyst Kristen Sanderson

Warmly,

Lise Mino, CIAPP - C| Freedom of Information Specialist **|** Information Access Operations **|**
Ph: 250 356 0875 **|** ***e:*** **Lise.Mino@gov.bc.ca|**

From: IAO CentralTeam CITZ:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 9:14 AM
To: FOI Social Tech Team CITZ:EX
Subject: Consultation request for MCFD

Hello,

Could you please let me know if the attached documentation is approved to be sent off to MCFD for consultation.

This is in regards to OOP-2018-84691.

Thanks,

Kristen Sanderson| FOI Analyst **|** Information Access Operations **|** Shared Services BC
t: 250.387.5423 **|** ***e:*** **kristen.sanderson@gov.bc.ca** **|*m:*** PO Box 9569, Stn Prov Gov, Victoria BC V8V 1S2

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
Cc:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: DRAFT SN and QA for Aug 29 report
Date:	August 23, 2018 4:41:28 PM
Attachments:	SN-Breastfeeding report_Aug 29 2018_DRAFT.docx QA_Breastfeeding report_Aug 29 2018_DRAFT.docx

FYI on these, for your joint release with RCY next Wed.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:38 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: DRAFT SN and QA for Aug 29 report

Hi Paula,

We're still waiting on the latest iteration of the joint report. Alex suggests it will have more substance than the version we saw last.

In the meanwhile, and so that you have a flavour of where messaging is at, here are the draft Q&A and speaking notes, still in development:

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Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Children and Family Development
250 356-1639
Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Joint report with RCY RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29
Date: August 23, 2018 10:50:40 AM
Attachments: 10-08-2018 DRAFT Breastfeeding Report.docx

Hello! Just got this very early draft of the joint breastfeeding report. I believe it is currently being edited, but wanted to forward to you so that Edena can print it today for Kat to review over the next few days.
We're hoping to get more on this by end of day, which I will forward!
Alisma

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 10:42 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Joint report with RCY RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

Draft report attached, and here is the rough outline of the action plan:

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: August 23, 2018 10:40 AM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Joint report with RCY RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

Thanks Shawn. Could you email us the draft report? The Minister will want to read it over the weekend and will not have printer access after 2pm today.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 10:04 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Joint report with RCY RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

Q&As are running through approvals right now and I should be able to get a draft script for Minister to use during the teleconference over to you by end of day today.

Alex Scheiber is on point in program and is the one who would provide a briefing.

I have only seen the first draft of the report so far, as well as a rough sketch of what the action plan will look like.

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: August 23, 2018 10:00 AM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Joint report with RCY RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

The RCY has contacted us to see if MKC has any questions on this joint breastfeeding report – we got this info from you re: media advisories Shawn, but have yet to see the report itself, a briefing note from the DMO or any materials your shop may be working on.

Can I please get an update on timelines on those materials coming to the MO? Thanks, Paula

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From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 12:37 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

Here's the same again, but with an amended script for the Telus operator to reflect that this is a joint MCFD-RCY call, not just the RCY's:

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: August 22, 2018 10:24 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX
Subject: Media Advisory and call-in info for Aug 29

Hi Paula,

Attached is the dial-in info for the conference call on the joint MCFD-RCY Breastfeeding report next Wednesday. Minister should use the speakers passcode s.15;s.17 when she calls

The RCY will put out the attached media advisory on the morning of the 28th. We'll issue a second advisory by our own channels that afternoon, to catch any media that may have missed the first one.

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Métis Federation -s.22
Date: August 13, 2018 10:40:11 AM

Hi Kirsten, could you forward the attachment from this email chain with Karen and Sonia from Thursday? The attachment didn't come through for Paula and me.
Thanks!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 10:39 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Métis Federation -s.22

Was there an attachment?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 13, 2018, at 10:37 AM, Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> FYI
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> **From:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 11:54 AM
> **To:** Foote, Sonya A MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Métis Federation -s.22
>
> Yes – thanks! Alex and I discussed this am. Looping in Alisma so she can loop in Paula when she gets back. Also looping in Shawn - kj
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>
> **From:** Foote, Sonya A MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:48 AM
> **To:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** Métis Federation s.22
>
> Morning ladies,
>
> Just a heads up that s.22 has once again corresponded with us and written a letter re: s.22 which we are in the process of responding to.
> Once the letter is in its final form, we can share a copy with you. The letter is likely to provoke a response from s.22 including writing to MKC and posting all correspondence on their website.
>
> Kind regards,
> Sonya Foote
> Acting Manager
> Practice Support & Issue Management
> Cell: 250-413-7246
>
> Offering acknowledgment in honour of the traditional keepers of this land, the Ws'anec', Lkwungen & Wyomilth

peoples, known today as the Saanich, Esquimalt and Songhees Nations...

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: s.22 adoption
Date: August 24, 2018 4:39:03 PM

FYI

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:30 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: s.22 adoption

See from MLA Yaps CA.

Thoughts?

From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:29 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Leonhardt, Shelley LASS:EX; Reid.MLA, Linda LASS:EX
Subject: RE: s.22 adoption

Edena
s.22

Has the Minister reviewed this case, as requested?

Paige

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX [mailto:Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:11 PM
To: Robertson, Paige <Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: s.22 adoption

Hello Paige,

I have just received the MLA bullets on this file. Ministry staff have sent the following information.

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To discuss further, the constituents may contact the Intercountry Adoption Consultant, at (250) 387-1317.

Thanks Paige,
Edena

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From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 11:51 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Ng, PoWah LASS:EX; Yao, Angell LASS:EX; Merrell, Trevor LASS:EX
Subject: s.22 adoption

Based on all the documents sent to the ministry yesterday, Edena Is there an update?

Paige Robertson
Constituency Assistant to
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018
Date:	August 13, 2018 10:47:07 AM

FYI – this is Kaitlin's responsive records for AA messages from February. In case this is sitting in your inbox, don't want you to duplicate effort: I reviewed it and signed off as the deadline was last week.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 10, 2018 3:29 PM
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018

Ok, I've reviewed this and will sign off. Thanks!
Alisma

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 10, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018
Importance: High

Hi Niki

I need the sign off for this one asap please as I need to get DM approval and send to IAO.

Thanks
Krista

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 3, 2018 2:46 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018

Hi Niki,

Another file for sign off: CFD-2018-82530. I have cc'd Alisma s.22 . This file needs to be to Krista by **August 8** for A/DM approval.
Please contact Krista if you have any questions or concerns with the file.

Thank you!
Carmen

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: FW: SN-MKC at farewell for RCY Bernard Richard
Date: August 23, 2018 4:52:24 PM
Attachments: SN_MKC_RCY_farewell_Aug-28-2018-DR2.docx

SNs for Tuesday. Copying Edena in case you are still going by the office and can get them printed. Please let me know if you have any edits!

From: D'Souza, Pamela GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:51 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: SN-MKC at farewell for RCY Bernard Richard

Hello Paula,

Please see attached draft MKC speaking notes for RCY farewell event next Tuesday.

Thanks

Pam

On Aug 17, 2018, at 2:46 PM, Johnson, Lise RCY:EX <Lise.Johnson@rcybc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Paula and Emily – just wondering if Minister Conroy is able to attend the event, below?
> Thanks for letting me know,
> Lise.
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>
> **From:** Johnson, Lise RCY:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:14 AM
> **To:** Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Farewell for Bernard Richard - Invitation
>
> Hello Minister Conroy. This is an invitation to participate in a farewell event for Representative Bernard Richard on Tuesday, Aug. 28. Here are the details:
>
> **Event**: Farewell Bernard Richard; includes catering, a couple of speeches and a slideshow
> **Date:** Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2018
> **Time**: 3:00pm to 4:30pm
> **Location:** Legislature Library Rotunda
> **Invitees include**: RCY staff, members of the child and youth serving sector, SSCCY members, MCFD staff, independent officers of the Legislature, Indigenous

organizations, clerk of committees, Premier Horgan, Green and Liberal leaders.

We know Bernard would be very honoured if you could attend and say a few words.

Thank you for considering this invitation. Please RSVP directly to me.

Lise.

Lise Johnson | Manager, Communications
Office: 250-356-9350 | Cell: 250-812-2358

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Social: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2
Date: August 24, 2018 9:44:39 AM
Attachments: Childcare Cog.jpg
ChildcareBC_Logo_CMYK.EPS
ChildcareBC_Logo_CMYK.PDF
ChildcareBC_Logo_CMYK.WMF
NDFF_CHILDCAREBC.JPG
New Day Facility.jpg
Child at Daycare.jpg

Do you happen to have an image of just the "new day facility" decal? s.22
s.22

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 5:02 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject: Social: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

The Statement will be finalized in the AM (Editors have left the building) and will go out at 9:30. Clare will work with them to get the final version sorted in the morning and will send you the final PDF and permalink for tweeting. I've taken a look at the language and made some edits below.

These direct to the opt-in status page for parents, but we can also direct to the ST if that's preferred once we get the permalink in the morning.

MSKC Facebook:

Under Childcare BC, we introduced the first cost saving measure for BC families in April. The Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative helps parents save on licensed child care each month.

Today we hit an exciting milestone for this program – now more than 50,000 child care spaces are approved for savings! I am grateful to all the providers who embraced our new program, and look forward to continuing to work with you to bring even more savings to families in September through the new Affordable Child Care Benefit.

To find out if your provider is one of the 87% of providers who have opted in to the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, visit: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin

<insert image: Child at Daycare >

MSKC Twitter:

Today we reached the 50K mark for child care spaces approved to receive savings through the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. Is your provider part of the 87% who have opted in? Find

out & save on your monthly #childcare costs. www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin #ChildcareBC

<insert image: Child at Daycare>

MKC Facebook:

BC families are faced with tough choices when it comes to finding affordable child care. That's why the B.C. government is working to make life more affordable for families by lowering the cost of child care across the province. Today our first cost saving measure, the new Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, has reached 50,000 approved child care spaces. This means that tens of thousands of BC families have access to more affordable child care. In fact, parents have saved more than $35 million since April.

I am so happy that child care providers have embraced our child care plan – we couldn't change the system without you. By working together, families are benefiting.

Parents can find out if their provider is part of the 87% who chose to opt in to lower your child care costs at: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin

<insert image : New Day Facility>

MKC Twitter:

After just 4 months, 50K+ #childcare spaces have been approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, bringing even more #BCfamilies savings! Learn if your provider has opted-in here: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin #ChildcareBC

<insert image: New Day Facility>

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast
Date:	August 13, 2018 10:41:55 AM

FYI on the Wet'suwet'en signing – we are now looking at Oct as the feds have no availability in September.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 10:02 AM
To: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Tiffany,
Ok, good to know. In October there is a break week after Thanksgiving. We can't fully commit to any dates yet, but conceivably Oct. 9 or 10 could work. Also the Leg doesn't sit on Fridays, so a Friday like Oct. 5, 19, or 26 could work.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:36 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hello again Alisma

I've heard back from Canada and neither of their ministers is available for any day in September. I let our federal colleagues know that this puts us in a dilemma as my understanding is that Minister Conroy will not be available at all in October, due to the House being back in session. Please let me know if this is correct, or if there might be any days in October where Minister Conroy could be available.

T.

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, August 7, 2018 2:40 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX <Jamie.Zhu@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Alisma,

I'll continue coordinating on this end — thank you for the head's up on the 8th. I've reached out to Canada again to see where they are at, and will let you know when I hear back.

T.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Sunday, August 5, 2018 2:57 PM
To: Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX <Jamie.Zhu@gov.bc.ca>; Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX <Tiffany.Hamilton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Jamie and Tiffany,
Forwarding my below reply to Denise s.22 Not sure if one of you is taking over scheduling of the Wet'suwet'en signing.
Thanks!
Alisma

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Sunday, August 5, 2018 2:55 PM
To: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Denise,
Sept. 8 is the only one of those dates that would really work for Minister Conroy.
But let me know if another is being considered and I can dig deeper.
Thanks!
Alisma

Alisma Perry
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From: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 2, 2018 2:10 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Paula and Alisma. I know Allison had previously been in touch with you regarding potential dates the Minister could be available to attend a signing event for the Wet'suwet'en in Smithers. The dates that have been confirmed by the Office of Wet'suwet'en are below.

- Sept 4, 6, 8, 21, 22, 24

Can you let me know if the Minister is available for any of those dates? Canada is hoping to finalize their availability on Friday. Thank you for your assistance in finding a date.

Denise Devenny
Executive Lead
Indigenous Engagement Branch|Deputy Minister's Office|MCFD
Direct (778) 698-4956
Email: Denise.Devenny@gov.bc.ca

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	Fwd: Formal Notification of Closure of FSGV Adoptions Agency to Director
Date:	August 28, 2018 2:59:10 PM
Attachments:	image002.png ATT00001.htm Notification fo Director of Adoptions of Program Closure 8.28.18 FSGV.pdf ATT00002.htm

FYI since you'll be at the meeting with her.

Alisma Perry
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Children and Family Development
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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Minister, MCF MCF:EX" <MCF.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Date: August 28, 2018 at 2:09:08 PM PDT
To: "Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX" <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca>, "Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX" <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Formal Notification of Closure of FSGV Adoptions Agency to Director

Hi Rhea

Please cliff and fyi.

Since MKC is meeting with them this Thursday I have included you Alisma…. I Assumed needed for that meeting.

Thanks,
Edena

From: Conroy.MLA, Katrine [mailto:Katrine.Conroy.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, August 28, 2018 1:57 PM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Formal Notification of Closure of FSGV Adoptions Agency to Director

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From: Karin Kirkpatrick [mailto:kkirkpatrick@fsgv.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, August 28, 2018 1:40 PM
To: Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX <Renaa.Bacy@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Lyle Viereck <lyle@viereckconsulting.com>; Conroy.MLA, Katrine

<Katrine.Conroy.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Jessica Denholm <jdenholm@fsgv.ca>
Subject: Formal Notification of Closure of FSGV Adoptions Agency to Director

Dear Renaa,

As discussed, I am providing an official notification to your office of the upcoming closure of the FSGV Adoption Agency.

I have taken the liberty of copying Minister Conroy on this as I am already scheduled to meet with her to discuss several topics this Thursday.

Thank you for your assistance. We will do our best to make this transition as smooth as possible. It has been a terribly difficult decision but we simply have no viable alternative. We look forward to our meeting next week to discuss the best way forward.

There has been no external communication about this outside of our Adoption Agency staff and our Board of Directors. They understand the confidential nature of the matter. We will coordinate messaging with your office.

Most sincerely,

Karin

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow
Date: August 31, 2018 9:24:58 AM

Could you please connect with Krista and Carmen about getting an updated BN for the Karin Kirkpatrick meeting that includes background info about the cancellation of adoption services. Thanks!!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Robinson, Sheila A MCF:EX" <Sheila.Robinson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** August 30, 2018 at 10:21:43 AM PDT
> **To:** "Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX" <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX" <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>, "Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX" <Carmen.Lapthorne@gov.bc.ca>, "Davies, Cheryl MCF:EX" <Cheryl.Davies@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Re: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow**
>
> Yes this is perfect thanks Kaitlin
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> On Aug 30, 2018, at 9:45 AM, Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Good morning Sheila,
> >
> > I spoke with Karin this morning—This meeting has been rescheduled for
> > **September 6th @10:00am**
> >
> > Location: VCO- details to come
> >
> > Please confirm if this date works for you Sheila and I will send you an invite☺
> >
> > Warm regards,
> >
> > **Kaitlin Morton**
> > **Administrative Assistant**
> > **Minister's Office- Children and Family Development**

Parliament Buildings, Victoria BC
250 387-1977

From: Robinson, Sheila A MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 3:49 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

Hi there,

Just to let you know I tried to reach Karin today but she out of the office until tomorrow. I will try to connect with her assistant

Sheila

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 1:29 PM
To: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Robinson, Sheila A MCF:EX
Cc: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

Hi Sheila,
Yes, if you could let Karin know that it is cancelled due to the reasons the Minister discussed with you yesterday, that would be great. Our office will follow up with Karin to reschedule.
Thanks!
Alisma
Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

From: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 1:27 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 12:38 PM
To: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

Hi Kaitlin,

Sheila Robinson has advised that MKC would like to reschedule the Family Services of Greater Vancouver meeting that is scheduled for tomorrow. Can you please reach out to Karin and reschedule??
Thanks,

Carmen

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Cc: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

Hi Carmen,

Over to you!

From: Robinson, Sheila A MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 12:28 PM
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Davies, Cheryl MCF:EX
Subject: MKC meeting with family services tomorrow

Hi there,

When I saw MKC yesterday she said she would like to cancel the meeting with Vancouver family services tomorrow and re-schedule for a date in Sept. This is no problem and I was going to send an email to Karin at family services to cancel but want to confirm 100% that it is being canceled before I send the email.

Thanks very much

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Mtg Request – Budget Discussion -- CFD
Date: August 30, 2018 3:11:59 PM

What kind of timeline do we need to get ready for this meeting?

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX" <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
Date: August 30, 2018 at 2:49:38 PM PDT
To: "Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX" <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Mtg Request – Budget Discussion -- CFD

Can you please advise on when this would be best to schedule

Thanks!

We can talk tomorrow about it too. ☺ Just wanted to flag

Kaitlin

From: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 2:05 PM
To: Miller, Sarah LASS:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX; Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Bhikha, Jaymini LASS:EX; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Mtg Request – Budget Discussion -- CFD

Hi Sarah and Kaitlin (for Emily),

This note is to initiate scheduling of an initial budget discussion with CFD, FIN and TB analyst staff. Topics and questions will be provided by the Green Caucus in advance of the meeting.

Timing:

- 30 minutes
- Between Sept 4 – 7 (preferred), or Sept 17 – 19

Attendees:

- CFD MA(s), CFD DM and/or lead executive (tbd per MAs)
- Rob Gillezeau or alternative Finance MA and TB Analyst(s), tbd per Rob Gillezeau

- Sarah Miller, Policy and Issues Manager, Green Caucus, and additional Green Caucus staff, tbd per Sarah Miller
- Donna Sanford and/or Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

Location:

- Room 28

If the Ministry could propose a few slots that work best, Sarah can confirm Green Caucus availability.

Please let me know if you have any questions or if I can help in any way.

Caitlin Copage
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Confidence and Supply Agreement Secretariat
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Panel request for UBCM
Date: August 13, 2018 8:55:54 AM

Hi Kirsten,
On our calendar call last week Karen mentioned a request that came to you guys for a UBCM panel. Just wondering if you have the panel subject and date/time that you could send me?
Thanks!
Alisma

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc:	White, Emily MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	Pre-Brief for Sept 5 and 6 events to be held Aug 30 9am (by phone)
Date:	August 13, 2018 11:35:56 AM

Hi ladies,
Could you please put a hold in MKC and MSKC's calendars for an Event Pre-Brief to be held on Aug. 30 at 9am by conference call? During the weekly calendar call on Thursday, we were noting that a time should be held to pre-brief the ministers for the Sept. 5 and 6 events.
More info to come.
Thanks!
Alisma

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gilmour, Michelle MCF:EX
Cc:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: **Urgent: Child Care Awards of Excellence Event
Date:	August 31, 2018 3:09:11 PM

Hi Michelle,

Minister Conroy already has a hotel booked for the 22nd as she'll be in Vancouver multiple nights. But thank you for the offer!

Alisma

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From: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 31, 2018 2:13 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: **Urgent: Child Care Awards of Excellence Event
Importance: High

Please advise!

-K

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 31, 2018 2:08 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: FW: **Urgent: Child Care Awards of Excellence Event
Importance: High

Hi Cherie and Kaitlin,

A bit of an urgent request.

Over to you!

Thanks

Rhea

From: Gilmour, Michelle MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 31, 2018 2:06 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Tran, Kim C (Victoria) MCF:EX; Butler, Teresa MCF:EX; Bull, Debbie MCF:EX

Subject: **Urgent: Child Care Awards of Excellence Event
Importance: High

Hi Rhea—in Krista's absence, would you mind forwarding the following to the Ministers Offices? Thanks!

Good afternoon,

As we finalize event and accommodation logistics with the Radisson Vancouver Airport Hotel in Richmond for the September 22 Child Care Awards of Excellence dinner and awards presentation, it has come to our attention that we will have approximately 9 extra rooms available in our contracted accommodation block. As such, we wanted to extend an offer to the Ministers and their staff to book accommodation through this block as needed.

The hotel is requiring that we confirm the number of rooms we will occupy by end of day today; if possible, please let us know by **4pm today** if you would like to book any of these available rooms.

Additionally, we also need to confirm how may attendees will be coming from the Ministers offices, so we can finalize catering numbers with the hotel.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you, and sincere apologies for the rush request.
Michelle

Michelle Gilmour ECE, BA (CYC)
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Child Care Policy Branch
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Phone: 778-698-7367 / Mobile: 778-587-4648

Offering acknowledgment in honour of the traditional keepers of this land, the Lekwungen people, known today as the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations…

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: BC Child Rights Symposium
Date:	August 24, 2018 9:39:56 AM

Yep! I see it already on the Core Calendar as a SN request, but I'll check in with them again when it gets closer.

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 9:31 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: BC Child Rights Symposium

Good morning Alisma

Thanks for letting me know. I presume either you or Emily will be requesting the speaking notes from GCPE as we get closer to the date of the symposium per usual?

Krista

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:27 PM
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: RE: BC Child Rights Symposium

Hi Krista,
I checked with Paula and yes, we have RSVPed to this event. I don't know when or for how long the speaking engagement is yet. I imagine GCPE will be connecting with the organizers when they prepare the speaking notes and might have more info, though it's a ways off.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 2:46 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: BC Child Rights Symposium

Hi Alisma

MKC has the day blocked in her calendar for Nov 16 for the BC Child Rights Symposium. Apparently, there is to be an opener by MKC at the event. Staff have asked me to check with the MO if MKC will indeed be speaking at this event? If that has not been determined yet, do they need to create a DBN for her regarding whether or not she will be speaking?

Please let me know as soon as you can.

Thanks

Krista

Krista Cain
Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds
Date: August 29, 2018 11:05:18 AM

Thanks. Will tweet that one in a couple hours as I just retweeted the RCY.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 11:05 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds

That works.

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: August 29, 2018 11:03 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds

Slight changes - does this work?

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 10:57 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds

How about this?

> Every infant benefits from bonding through access to breast milk and physical contact in their early development. Today I released a joint report and action plan with the #RCY to promote breastfeeding and bonding tor mums and babies involved in child protection matters. http://ow.ly/W9Au30lBApH #BCgovt #bcfamilies #bcpoli

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 10:38 AM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds

Thanks Shawn. Main question on the media call (only 2questions) was about mums who can't breastfeed and shaming them, so Alisma can we fine tune the second tweet sobre access to breastmilk. NW reporter said "Fed is best" not "breast is best" so MKC talked about her own experiences

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 29, 2018, at 9:55 AM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Suggested tweets:
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> s.13

> Is minister dialed in to the call?

> **From:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Sent:** August 29, 2018 9:35 AM
> **To:** Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
> **Cc:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Fwd: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds
>
> Shawn, are social media posts being drafted?
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> Begin forwarded message:

From: <noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca>
Date: August 29, 2018 at 9:16:52 AM PDT
To: <paula.gunn@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: BC Gov News - Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds
Reply-To: <gcpe.news@gov.bc.ca>

Breastfeeding action plan promotes stronger bonds

Vulnerable women and their newborn infants will benefit from a five-point action plan to support family connections and mother-child bonds, while keeping children safe.

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc:	White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Cabinet locatiosn week of Sept. 17 - 21
Date:	August 23, 2018 1:23:27 PM

Ok, thanks for checking Cherie. Copying Paula as an FYI.

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 1:03 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Cabinet locatiosn week of Sept. 17 - 21

Hi Alisma,

I talked to Dawn from Cabinet and confirmed that SI on Sept 18th will be here in Victoria. Cabinet Sept19th is in VCO and P&A on Sept 20 is in Victoria. Videoconference and teleconference will not be an option for these meetings.

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Honourable Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 12:06 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Cabinet locatiosn week of Sept. 17 - 21

Hi Cherie! Could you double check where cabinet is that week? We have MKC here for a committee meeting on the Tuesday, then VCO for Cabinet on the Wed., then back here for committee on the Thurs. If Cabinet is definitely at VCO, could you check if she can do Social Initiatives Committee from VCO on the Tuesday rather than from Victoria?

Thanks!!

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Follow-up Media Request: MCFD-RCY report on breastfeeding
Date: August 29, 2018 1:37:59 PM

I like that. It's a clear answer.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 1:37 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Follow-up Media Request: MCFD-RCY report on breastfeeding

We can also just cut to the chase:

> We will allocate resources as needed. This is a priority that we will address as we build our budgets for 2019 and beyond.

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: August 29, 2018 1:36 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Follow-up Media Request: MCFD-RCY report on breastfeeding

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Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 29, 2018, at 1:23 PM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> s.13

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: August 29, 2018 1:18 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Follow-up Media Request: MCFD-RCY report on breastfeeding

How about this:

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 29, 2018, at 1:15 PM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Are you o.k. with the suggested response below?
Can this be attributed to Minister Conroy, or should this come from the Ministry?

Reporter

Hina Alam, Reporter
Canadian Press (BC Bureau)
hina.alam@thecanadianpress.com

Deadline ASAP

Request

Can you tell me how much this plan costs?

Background

Recommendation

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Media Request: Contracted Residential Agencies
Date: August 30, 2018 3:13:27 PM

Sounds good, thanks Shawn.

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 30, 2018, at 3:03 PM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Thanks for this, Alisma.
>
> s.13

> The other changes work just fine for me.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: August 30, 2018 1:23 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Contracted Residential Agencies

Hi all,
Sorry for delay on this. I've re-organized Wendy's text and the suggested response into question and answer format to simplify it. I've removed some text and made some edits, which are in red text.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 2:20 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CFD Media Request: Contracted Residential Agencies

Please see the below suggested response from the ministry:

Reporter

Wendy Stueck, Reporter
Globe and Mail - BC Bureau
wstueck@globeandmail.com
604-631-6618 c: 604-340-2895

Deadline Wednesday, August 29, 2018 5:00 PM

Request

I'm following up on some issues raised by the RCY on June 12.
Q: In a release on that date, Mr. Richard said 46 of 96 residential agencies, or nearly half, had not yet screened their staff through a Centralized Screening hub. What is the current number of residential agencies and how many of them have screened staff through the centralized hub?

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Q: If the screening is not complete, is there a target completion date and what is that date?

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Q: On June 18, the RCY released update #31 on Critical Injuries and Deaths. It covered a reporting period from June 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018 and reported 669 injuries and 98 deaths. The rep said the vast majority of reports covered in the update came from MCFD. Is MCFD able to provide a breakdown of how many of those injuries and deaths occurred in residential care settings? If so, I get such information for the previous year as well? Can I also get a breakdown of those injuries and deaths by incident classifications – such as damage to property, assault on staff, assault on another resident, drug use, etc?

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Fostering
Date: August 24, 2018 10:24:00 AM

Sounds good, thanks.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 9:42 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX
Subject: CFD Media Request: Fostering

Hi Alisma and Paula,
Any concerns with Debbie Samija, North Fraser EDS, doing this interview?
She has the knowledge base and experience to address the reporter's specific questions, break down the factual criteria for fostering and the assessments we do, acknowledge the new PRIDE training and pre-screening interviews, and talk about the realities of fostering now in terms of the diversity in foster parents' lives.

Reporter

Micki Cowan, Reporter
CBC - Vancouver
micki.cowan@cbc.ca
306-540-4602

Deadline ASAP

Request

I was at a concert last night and heard that the young performer on stage was also a foster parent to a child about to turn one. Then today, I had the pleasure of speaking to a two-spirited man who was a foster parent to four kids.

It struck me that both cases are not the stereotypical foster parent scenarios I grew up assuming -- that you must own a house and have two household incomes to be a foster parent.

I'm interested in speaking to the ministry about this. What are the criteria on which a foster parent's suitability is based today, and has that changed at all over the years? Especially with the changing nature of family structure in today's society... as people get married later in life and many single people simply choose not to.

This is for a feature story, so I'm wondering if I might be able to set aside some time with someone in the Ministry who could speak to this in person in Vancouver as early as later this week ? Let me know what you think.

Background

Recommendation

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Child Drug Use
Date: August 29, 2018 2:18:30 PM

Sorry, I don't know off the top of my head. Wouldn't the medical providers who assisted the s.22 have referred s.22 to support?
Probably best to hear from Rhea on what is available.

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 11:13 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Child Drug Use

Hi Alisma,

Quick question from MLA Ralston's office below. I can and will also ask Rhea for more info but she is busy right now. Do you know off hand of any services we can direct this family?

Thanks,
Edena

From: Kindlein, Ward [mailto:Ward.Kindlein@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 11:09 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: Child Drug Use

Hi Edena,

I have a constituent here that is asking about s.22
s.22
s.22 The parents are seeking assistance but are not sure what services are available nor what services they can use because of s.22 age. Could you please give me an idea of what I can tell this gentleman so he can relate back to the parents what their options are. I am unsure what services are available for s.22

Thank you,

Ward Kindlein

Ward Kindlein, Constituency Assistant to the
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Cooling, Pamela LASS:EX
Subject:	RE: CLBC
Date:	August 21, 2018 2:36:35 PM
Attachments:	image001.png image002.png

Hey! It's SDPR.

From: Cooling, Pamela [mailto:Pamela.Cooling@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 2:35 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: CLBC

Hey Lady, is CLBC (Community Living BC) you guys or SDPR?

Hope you're doing awesome!
Pam

Pam Cooling | Constituency Assistant
Leonard Krog, MLA for Nanaimo
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Contact with the Minister
Date:	August 24, 2018 4:19:00 PM

Wondering if you should reply to her on Monday, Edena, and just reinforce that you are in touch with MLA Yap's office (despite his absence) about this case?

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:04 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Contact with the Minister
Importance: High

Hi Rhea,

Please add to the file.

Alisma… FYI. I will not provide MLA Reid with an update as she is not the MLA of the constituents. We did send that information to MLA Reid and so I am unsure why she is asking for an update.

I have now received the MLA bullets which I will send to MLA Yap's office.

Thanks,
Edena

From: Reid.MLA, Linda [mailto:Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 3:54 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Leonhardt, Shelley LASS:EX; XT:Yap, John GCPE:IN; Robertson, Paige LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Contact with the Minister
Importance: High

Edena,
s.22

Yours with kindest regards,
Linda Reid

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From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX [mailto:Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 3:57 PM
To: Robertson, Paige <Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: Leonhardt, Shelley <Shelley.Leonhardt@leg.bc.ca>; Yap, John <J.Yap@leg.bc.ca>; Reid.MLA, Linda <Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Contact with the Minister

Hello All,

I will make sure that this is email is sent to Ministry staff right away for their review.

Any questions please let me know.

Cheers,
Edena

Edena Brown
Executive Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development and Minister Responsible for CBT, CPC and CRT
Cell: 250-480-8627 Email: Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca

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From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 3:02 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Cc: Leonhardt, Shelley LASS:EX; XT:Yap, John GCPE:IN; Reid.MLA, Linda LASS:EX
Subject: FW: Contact with the Minister

Edena

I thought I would share this recent email from s.22 with you to share and discuss with Minister Conroy and appropriate staff. s.22

s.22

Paige

From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 2:41 PM

To: Leonhardt, Shelley <Shelley.Leonhardt@leg.bc.ca>; Reid.MLA, Linda <Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: s.22 Robertson, Paige <Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca>; s.22

s.22

Subject: Contact with the Minister

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Withheld pursuant to/removed as

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On Aug 22, 2018, at 2:52 PM, Leonhardt, Shelley <Shelley.Leonhardt@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hello all,
> I just wanted you to let you all know that our office is keeping Paige Robertson, the Constituency Assistant with John Yap's office in the communication loop about your situation.
> We are all trying to work the best we can to get the desired result for you and your family and therefore are working together closely.
> Nothing needs to be done, however, I felt it important to let you know.
> Thanks, Shelley
> <image001.png>

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Thouli, Sabreena GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: Core Calendar - For 11:15am Call
Date:	August 23, 2018 10:51:03 AM

Welcome, Sabreena! Thanks.

From: Thouli, Sabreena GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 10:11 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Core Calendar - For 11:15am Call

Hi everyone,

Please find attached the Core Calendar for today's call at 11:15am.

My apologies for the delay – I am brand new to this position, and am still learning my new responsibilities!

Thank you,
Sabreena

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Sabreena Thouli

Communications Coordinator
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Children and Family Development
Phone | (778) 698-1680
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: draft release
Date:	August 24, 2018 1:28:58 PM
Attachments:	NR_MCFD-RCY breastfeeding report_Aug 29 2018_MCFD DRAFT-ap.docx

With my edits!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 1:04 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: draft release

Paula Gunn
Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development
British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
250-387-1977

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: Re: draft?
Date: August 28, 2018 3:54:56 PM

This looks fine!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 28, 2018, at 1:46 PM, Brown, Edena MCF:EX <Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Draft to send MLA Yap's CA:
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> s.13;s.22
>
> Thoughts?
>
> ***Edena Brown***
> ***Executive Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy***
> *Minister of Children and Family Development and Minister Responsible for CBT, CPC and CRT*
> *Cell: 250-480-8627 Email: Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca*
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Edenas travel forms
Date:	August 9, 2018 8:50:26 AM

No I didn't get a notification. ☹ Not sure if she can send it to me… happy to help if the system will let me!

From: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 4:06 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Edenas travel forms

Hi Love!

Edena is sending her eforms for initiation ---next to act being Paula----did you get access to act on behalf of Paula?

Just curious, if not itll have to wait until Monday☺

Thanks!

Kaitlin Morton
Administrative Assistant
Minister's Office- Children and Family Development
Parliament Buildings, Victoria BC
250 387-1977

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Poldrugovac, Saija FIN:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc:	Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Eform
Date:	August 9, 2018 2:52:52 PM

Thanks Saija! I've approved both.

From: Poldrugovac, Saija FIN:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:16 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Eform

Next to act should be FIN FSA MIN OFF
Please let me know if you can't find it.
~S

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:15 PM
To: Poldrugovac, Saija FIN:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Eform

Let's ask the very nice Saija!

What is Alisma's next step Saija? ☺

Edena

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:09 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: Eform

Ok, I got Edena's travel voucher and I can approve it but I have to pick who is "next to act" after I approve it. Do you know what I'm supposed to put there?
Thanks!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: EMPR Media Request: Interview Request w/ Minister Conroy
Date: August 7, 2018 2:16:26 PM

Thanks Brendan, copying Edena for the CBT question.

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 7, 2018, at 1:31 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi both,
>
> We've received a request from Jayne Garry to speak to Minister Conroy about the Columbia River Treaty and the child care benefit. I'll speak with Jayne about the benefit to provide some background but wondering if the Minister has any time for an interview on CBT?
>
> Looks like Jayne is not available this afternoon so if there's anything from tomorrow onwards, please let me know.
>
> Thank you,
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> Brendan
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> Begin forwarded message:
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> > **From:** Kent Karemaker <Kent.Karemaker@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Date:** August 7, 2018 at 11:29:00 AM PDT
> > **To:** Kent Karemaker <Kent.Karemaker@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Cc:** Karen Johnston <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>, Shawn Larabee <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject: EMPR Media Request: Interview Request w/ Minister Conroy**
> >
> > **Reporter**
> > Jayne Garry, Host
> > EZ Rock (Kootenays)
> > jgarry@ezrock.com
> > 250-368-5510 x 112 c: 250-512-1006
> >
> > **Deadline** ASAP
> >
> > **Request**

I was just trying to get in touch with Katrine, regarding parents being able to apply for the new BC Childcare benefit taking effect in September, as well as to talk about the Columbia River Treaty if she has a minute, I think they meet in Nelson next week, after some meetings in July. I've been away for a couple of weeks so I'm a bit out of the loop. I'm here until noon today and the best number to reach me at is (250) 368-5510 ext 112.

Background

Recommendation

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: End of Day Media Request Report
Date:	August 9, 2018 9:22:09 AM

No worries! I'm working this week and s.22 .

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:04 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: End of Day Media Request Report

Hi Alisma, of course. I'd sent this through to Niki as I wasn't sure you were back in the office, apologies for the confusion.

Brendan

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:03 AM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: End of Day Media Request Report

Hi Brendan,
The media request from VICE – I don't see it in my inbox. Could you please re-send?
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 4:13 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Dobmeier, Teresa MCF:EX; Foote, Sonya A MCF:EX; Fulton, Barry J MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX; Horton, Emily MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Kamper, Carolyn J MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; GCPE MCFD Media Requests GCPE:EX; Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX; Hold - 180509 - Shields, Trish MCF:EX; Stevanovic, Aleksandra MCF:EX; Stewart, Melanie FIN:EX; Talbott, Catherine MCF:EX; Wright, Martin P MCF:EX; D'Souza, Pamela GCPE:EX; May, Cheryl MCF:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wetherill, Anne MCF:EX; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject: End of Day Media Request Report

Rachel Browne - VICE
ISSUE: children removed due to parental drug use
STATUS: With Minister's Office

Liza Yuzda - CKNW AM 980
ISSUE: CCFRI Rate Increase at Kids & Co Victoria
STATUS: Provided Background

- While we cannot talk to case specifics, every facility that has been approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative (CCFRI) was asked at the time of their application

to provide their historical, current and planned monthly fees in order to ensure the intended benefit for parents is not unreasonably diluted through fee increases. If the provider had planned fee increases that were higher than expected norms, they were asked to provide supporting evidence to explain why such an increase was necessary before they were approved for CCFRI.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Final copy - FW: Ministers' statement on child care fee-reduction initiative
Date: August 24, 2018 10:29:45 AM

Yep I tweeted and can FB also.

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 24, 2018, at 10:16 AM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Had to run to my planning session (latest person to it, yikes!) so didn't get a chance to ask if you could tweet and FB or ask Edena to FB...
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> Begin forwarded message:
>
> **From:** "Walton, Clare GCPE:EX" <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** August 24, 2018 at 8:43:44 AM PDT
> **To:** "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>, "Sharma, Niki MCF:EX" <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX" <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>, "Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX" <Tiffany.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Final copy - FW: Ministers' statement on child care fee-reduction initiative**
>
> Good Morning all,
>
> Attached please find the final version of the Statement that will be live at 9:30 am as a PDF. The permalink is: https://news.gov.bc.ca/17861
>
> Best,
>
> Clare
>
> Clare Walton, MSc
> Public Affairs Officer
> Government Communications and Public Engagement
> Ministry of Children and Family Development
> Phone: 778 533-1116
> Email: clare.walton@gov.bc.ca

<2018CFD0053-001623.pdf>

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Childcare Update (Katie DeRosa, Times Colonist)
Date:	August 9, 2018 3:08:45 PM

Thank you! I think this is ok to go ahead. But let's give Niki a bit longer in case she sees it before the deadline.

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 3:04 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Childcare Update (Katie DeRosa, Times Colonist)

We've had many of these questions in some form before.

For context, the first two responses were sent to media in the last week. The updated fee reduction numbers are new (our last numbers that we provided publicly were as of July 26), but this maintains the format that we have previously used for releasing the numbers. The messaging around closures is slightly edited from a response that went out on June 29.

I've highlighted the new messaging (though the second highlighted paragraph is very similar to other public messaging we've used).

Hope that helps!

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Childcare Update (Katie DeRosa, Times Colonist)

Thanks! Hoping Niki will see this on time as I'm not as familiar with child care messaging. Are these questions ones we've had from media in the past? Are any of the answers new messaging?

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:48 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Childcare Update (Katie DeRosa, Times Colonist)

Hi Alisma (Niki cc'd)

We've had a request from Katie DeRosa at Times Colonist asking some general questions about our

child care initiatives. The below response has been reviewed by program – please let me know if you have any concerns/edits.

Note that Katie's deadline is 4pm, apologies for the short turnaround.

Thank you,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 12:30 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Childcare Update

Reporter

Katie DeRosa, Reporter
Times Colonist
kderosa@timescolonist.com
250-380-5343 c: 250-812-1132

Deadline Thursday, August 9, 2018 4:00 PM

Request

I'm wondering if you can look into updated numbers on how many child care facilities have applied for the province's funding and how many have been approved? Are there any limitations on how much a child care provider can increase their fees after they've been approved for funding? I spoke with one parent who said his child care provider received the rebate for parents but then immediately raised their fees by $125, thus offsetting the savings for parents. If childcare providers do increase their fees, are they required to give a pay increase to the ECEs or are there any requirements around what they do with this money?

How many new child care spaces have been created since the funding was announced?

I've been noticing that many licensed child care providers have been shutting down, despite the very high demand for licensed child care spaces. Is Minister Chen concerned about child care spaces shutting down, and is the ministry aware of any particular reason for this? Some licensed child care providers cited a shortage of ECEs, particularly in communities with a high cost of living. What can be done to address this issue?

Background

Recommendation

I spoke with one parent who said his child care provider received the rebate for parents but then immediately raised their fees by $125, thus offsetting the savings for parents. If childcare providers do increase their fees, are they required to give a pay increase to the ECEs or are there any requirements around what they do with this money?

Prior to the fee reduction initiative, there was no fee relief for parents and providers could increase fees at will. Parents would have to bear the full cost of these increases. If their provider has opted in, the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative will buffer any increases for parents. In our estimates, in less than 3% of cases, fees increases are proportionate to the fee reduction amount parents were spared from bearing the cost of these fee increases, but did not see their fees go down. We are monitoring all cases and learning from our first months of implementation.

Are there any limitations on how much a child care provider can increase their fees after they've been approved for funding?

Every facility that has been approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative (CCFRI) was asked at the time of their application to provide their historical, current and planned monthly fees in order to ensure the intended benefit for parents is not unreasonably diluted through fee increases. If the provider had planned fee increases that were higher than expected norms, they were asked to provide supporting evidence to explain why such an increase was necessary before they were approved for CCFRI, for example, if it was due to increased rent or other circumstances beyond their control.

I'm wondering if you can look into updated numbers on how many child care facilities have applied for the province's funding and how many have been approved?

As of August 2, out of approximately 2,850 eligible licensed child care providers, 2,523 have applied to opt in to the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative – roughly 88% of eligible providers. This represents 51,774 licensed child care spaces.

Of these, 2,382 have so far been approved for fee reductions (94% of the 2,523 who have applied), representing 49,478 spaces.

How many new child care spaces have been created since the funding was announced?

We are receiving applications for the Childcare BC New Spaces Fund from providers who are interested in creating new licensed child care spaces. We are currently adjudicating the applications that we have received, and we will be announcing the first successful projects in the coming months.

Is the ministry aware of any particular reason for closures? Some licensed child care providers cited a shortage of ECEs, particularly in communities with a high cost of living. What can be done to address this issue?

Independent operators who use commercial spaces are subject to market forces and closures of child care facilities happen on a regular basis. In communities where real estate and rental prices are an obstacle, providers may be faced with tough decisions.

The ministry does not currently collect data on the numbers or reasons for closures. We're working with our partners across government to find ways to support child care providers to continue operating their business and providing the vital services that families in their community depend on.

To help address situations like this, we recently enhanced our Childcare BC Maintenance Fund. Through this fund, a facility at risk of closure due to circumstances outside their control – such as a rent increase or eviction – may be eligible for up to $25,000 to help with the cost of relocation. For information, see: www.gov.bc.ca/ccmaintenancefund

We're hopeful that increased capital funding, the fee reduction for parents, and extra money through programs such as the Childcare BC Maintenance Fund will ensure that providers can find a resolution that enables them to remain open and serving families in their communities.

We know too that providers are struggling to find and retain qualified staff for their facilities. Under Childcare BC, *we are investing $136m to boost the quality of B.C.'s child care system. As part of this, we are also looking at ways to address key issues for the sector such as wages, recruitment and retention. We will have more details on how we will be supporting the child care workforce next month.*

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use (Rachel Browne, VICE)
Date: August 9, 2018 2:47:48 PM

Ok, can a line be added explaining that so she knows. With that, it's approved.
Thanks!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 9, 2018, at 2:36 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Alisma,
>
> Our numbers folks have confirmed that Jan 2016 is the earliest that we can pull data and still maintain quality. It sounds like they have only started tracking these stats fully in the last two years. Hope that helps for context.
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> Brendan
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> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 1:20 PM
> **To:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use (Rachel Browne, VICE)
>
> Hi Alisma, apologies for the slow response. I have picked up this request for Shawn s.22 but only have the suggested response without the background context… I'm checking in with our numbers people to see if they can offer some clarity.
>
> Brendan
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> ---
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> **From:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:30 AM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use (Rachel Browne, VICE)
>
> Thanks Brendan!
> Is it just 2016 to 2018 because stats going back to 2013 aren't readily available?
> Alisma
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> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:05 AM
> **To:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use (Rachel Browne, VICE)
>
> Hi Alisma,
>
> Here's the request for VICE.

Brendan

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 4:04 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use (Rachel Browne, VICE)

Hi Niki,

We've had a request from VICE asking for data on the number of children who were removed from their parents/caregivers due to drug-related concerns, broken down by year from 2013 to present. Our stats team have provided the data below – this was the most relevant data they were able to provide and it hasn't been broken down by year.

Do you have any concerns/edits with sending the information below?

Thanks,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 3:55 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: children removed due to parental drug use

Reporter

Rachel Browne, Reporter
VICE
rachel.browne@vice.com
905-464-1822

Deadline Friday, July 27, 2018 5:00 PM

Request

I'm wondering if the department maintains data on the reasons why children in BC are apprehended from their parents, specifically as it relates to concerns over drug use (even if that is combined with other concerns).

If so, I'd like to request data on the number of children who were removed from their parents/caregivers in the province due to drug-related concerns, broken down by year from 2013 to present.

Please let me know how we can proceed with this request. My deadline is Friday at 2pm. However, if you would need more time, just let me know and we can discuss.

I'm also available anytime at 905-464-1822.

Background

Recommendation

Of the removals between Jan 2016 and June 2018 the following were identified in at least one parent:

- 47% of removals had parental mental health issues identified

- In 74% of removals there were previous child protection involvement
- 80% of removals identified parental drug or alcohol use
    - 52% alcohol
    - 60% drugs

Previous Child Protection Involvement	Mental Health	Either Parent (Alcohol or Drugs)	Alcohol Identified	Drugs Identified
73.6%	46.8%	80.4%	52.1%	60.4%

Note that a parent, or parents, may appear in more than one category – if, for example, they were identified as having drug- or alcohol-related challenges.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Japanese adoption.
Date: August 2, 2018 2:57:41 PM

Got the call in info.

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

> On Aug 2, 2018, at 1:39 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hi Alisma. I'm told you are s.22 We will call you about the above with an update at 315. Is cell best? Niki may have informed you that we have a growing number of requests from MLAs for info. Kj
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Japanese adoption.
Date: August 2, 2018 1:54:44 PM

Thanks Karen! Yes, my cell is best (number below).

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

> On Aug 2, 2018, at 1:39 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> Hi Alisma. I'm told you are s.22 . We will call you about the above with an update at 315. Is cell best? Niki may have informed you that we have a growing number of requests from MLAs for info. Kj
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Japanese Adoptions
Date:	August 8, 2018 10:27:58 AM

Yes please!

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 9:44 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Japanese Adoptions

Hi Rhea,

I would say yes to reply direct… Alisma do you agree?

Thanks,
Edena

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 7:55 AM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Japanese Adoptions

Good morning,

Please let me know if I should route for reply direct.

Thanks!

Rhea

From: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, August 7, 2018 4:22 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Japanese Adoptions

Fwding Correspondence re: **Japanese Adoption For review/action**

Thanks!

Kaitlin

From: s.22
Sent: Tuesday, August 7, 2018 4:10 PM

To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Subject: Japanese Adoptions

Dear Katrine Conroy,

s.22

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robins, Shala" <Shala.Robins@leg.bc.ca>
Date: July 27, 2018 at 3:12:40 PM PDT
To: s.22
Subject: Letter to Minister Conroy

Please see attached.

Cheers,
Shala

Shala Robins
SENIOR LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT
BC Liberal Caucus OFFICIAL OPPOSITION
Phone: **250-952-7256** ¦ Email: shala.robins@leg.bc.ca

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Subject:	RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine
Date:	August 13, 2018 11:32:43 AM

Would be great to see them, thank you!

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 11:29 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MMHA:EX; Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject: RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

I just finished up our responses for Judy to review.
Hopefully we'll have them in for the end of today.
I'm happy to share them if they could be of help.
-Alex

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 11:22 AM
To: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MMHA:EX; Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject: FW: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi all,
Have your Minister's responded to the request from Michael Crawford of BC Assoc. of Social Workers? I know there was talk in July of perhaps coordinating a response? MKC is going to respond by the end of this week.
Please let me know if you have or will respond as well.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 11:16 AM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi Kirsten, I am just getting caught up on stuff s.22 Edena, Alisma and I discussed this request this morning!

I understand this request went to 4 ministries (MoH, SDPR, MMHA) - Alisma was going to follow that aspect up but maybe you know - was it determined that we would be the lead or are we coordinating with the other ministries on this?

For our responses, I think #1 should be something that your shop could pull bullets from existing materials for (the accomplishments list you put together in about May maybe?) and then MKC and I

can personalize it.

If that is doable then I can work with MKC on #s 2,3&4 and think we can tell Michael we could get it to him by end of the week. How does that sound?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 13, 2018, at 10:55 AM, Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Edena,
>
> I got a call today from Michael Crawford at the BC Association of Social Workers to check on the status of this request. s.22
> I'll need to give Michael an ETA on responses to his questions as his magazine deadline is looming.
>
> Can you please let me know if we will be able to get back to him in the next few days?
>
> Thanks,
> Kirsten
>
> ---
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> **From:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 27, 2018 10:00 PM
> **To:** Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
> **Cc:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine
>
> Hi Shawn,
>
> I discussed this with MKC today. She was wondering if she listed in bullet point some responses to these questions would some from GCPE be able to make them full-fledged paragraph responses?
>
> She should be able to do that by next Friday if you can help.
>
> Cheers,
> Edena
>
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> **From:** Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 27, 2018 1:55 PM
> **To:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine
>
> Hello

The BC Association of Social Workers president is asking whether they can expect a response (and a photo) from MKC.
Is this something she'll be able to do next week (by Friday, latest)?

Again, they're just looking for her personal take on the following:

1. What have you accomplished to this point? What have been the most significant changes you have made to improve services to British Columbians?

2. What has made the job of serving British Columbians difficult? What have been the most challenging parts of the job?

3. What are you hoping to accomplish? Assuming a full four-year term to complete them, what are your policy and program priorities?

4. Anything you would like to write to BC social workers?

GCPE staff can help with any editing and will liaise with the BCASW.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: July 26, 2018 9:25 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi Edena,
Submissions aren't due until Aug. 3, so no need for her to develop her response today. But it would be great if we could let the reporter (and our colleagues in other ministries) know whether or not Minister Conroy would be providing responses by next Friday.

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: July 26, 2018 9:22 AM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi Shawn,

Can this wait. Today is crazy. Possible for her to look at this tomorrow afternoon?

Thanks,
Edena

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 9:20 AM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Niki and Edena,

Just checking in to see if Minister will be responding to this request from Perspective Newsmagazine (BC Social Workers). The other ministries are trying to get a sense of who has committed so far.

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 9:36 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi Paula and Alisma,

Please see the below request from the BC Association of Social Workers. The questions are specifically for Minister Conroy, and reflect her experiences, wishes, etc.
The Association has sent the same types of questions to HLTH, SDPR and MHA. They'd like to hear back by Aug. 3.

Let us know if Minister is keen to respond and if she'd like us to review her answers or support with any general messaging.

Cheers,

Shawn

From: Michael Crawford [mailto:Mcrawford@tru.ca]
Sent: July 10, 2018 2:11 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Dear Shawn;

The BC Association of Social Workers publishes a newsletter for our members four times a year. This fall we would like to review and highlight changes made in four ministries (MCFD, Health, Social Development, and MH & Addictions) during your government's first year in office.

I have a few short questions for the Ministers to answer and we are only looking for 500-750 words. It will be a good opportunity for the Ministers to highlight progress made and challenges they faced to social workers

across the province.

Length - 500 to 750 words
Style - Q&A, we will edit for length and offer you final approval
Due - text & photo by August 3, 2018
Contact - Michael Crawford, BCASW President, mcrawford@tru.ca, 250.682.1132
Questions - below

You have now been in the role of Minister of Children and Family Development for just more than one year. Looking back over that year ...

1. What have you accomplished to this point? What have been the most significant changes you have made to improve services to British Columbians?

2. What has made the job of serving British Columbians difficult? What have been the most challenging parts of the job?

3. What are you hoping to accomplish? Assuming a full four-year term to complete them, what are your policy and program priorities?

4. Anything you would like to write to BC social workers?

Please let me know if you are able to produce the text and photo, and if you will meet the due date of August 3rd.

I'm happy to discuss this with you further.

Regards,
Michael

<image001.jpg>

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine
Date:	August 13, 2018 11:23:17 AM

I've just reached out to the other MAs and will let you know if anything changes. But sounds like we should go ahead and respond.

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 11:22 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

Hi Paula,

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I think we can tackle #1. Assuming the biggest one would be child care and Indigenous child welfare. . . . but I'll have a look at the list of all ministry accomplishments and pick a few more.

Thanks,
Kirsten

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 11:16 AM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: MCFD - Questions to Four Ministers from BC Social Workers for Perspectives Newsmagazine

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing
Date: August 9, 2018 8:52:38 AM

I expect Paula will do this one.

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 1:12 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Great thank you Alisma.

I will check in with Emily when she is back to confirm Minister Conroy. This briefing will be a conference call for both ministers. Would you or Paula like to sit in on the briefing in person with MOH staff? I believe Christine Massey, and Teresa Dobmeier will be attending as well from Ministry staff I am awaiting confirmation from Carmen (who is away till next week as well).

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 12:46 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Thanks Cherie! Kaitlin could you please put a hold in MKC's calendar for this on the 20th. She will likely participate by phone.
Alisma

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 12:17 PM

To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Good Afternoon Kassandra,

This week both Minister Chen and Minister Conroy s.13 . I see that there may be an opportunity August 20th at 9:00 am for both ministers. Emily White is AC for Minister Conroy and is currently away till next week. Would we be able to put a HOLD in attendees calendars for that date and I will connect with Minister Conroy's staff?

Thank you kindly,

Sincerely,

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From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 11:41 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi all – still looking for direction on this. ☺

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Office 250-953-3584 | Cell 778-678-3776
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From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 2:48 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX

Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Niki,

Jasleen was working with me to schedule a meeting requested by Ministers Chen and Conroy with our Ministry of Health Program Staff re childcare licensing.

Our program staff are prepared to meet on the topics requested by and have suggested the week of August 7th. Is this something you could follow-up and arrange?

Cheers,
Kassandra

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 2:38 PM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Thank you!

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 10:14 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Thanks, Jasleen. I will forward this advice on tour Ministry staff and let you know when they are feeling prepared to meet so that we can schedule the briefing.

Cheers,
kass

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 9:27 AM

To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Kassandra,

Hope you're well.

We're hoping to set up a meeting regarding licensing regarding the following pieces:

1. High level understanding
2. Share feedback we've received regarding licensing from our site visits, tours, discussions - Learning more about occasional licensing and how F/T or P/T is defined and Licensing officers discretion around exemptions
3. Jurisdiction regarding licensing and where that my land down the road

Let me know if you need anything else from me.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 11:51 AM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX <Kassandra.Dycke@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi all,

Cherie, let's chat as I was waiting on some information from ministry staff before getting back to Kassandra!

Thanks for following up everyone.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 11:48 AM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Cherie,

I am happy to reach out and coordinate a meeting. However, I still require direction regarding the focus of the meeting – a list of topics to be covered. Jasleen and I had spoken about this in some detail, and she followed up with additional verbal direction. We had finished with an agreement that she would provide a written list of topics that the Ministers wish to have addressed. This was requested by our staff to assist them in preparing a briefing that will be appropriate.

MoH and MCFD staff have been working on a list of topics they are guessing might be of interest, but are not adequately prepared to brief at this time. In order to accommodate absences of key staff and have adequate time to prepare, I would suggest we look at the week of 7 August. Jasleen had stressed that the briefing was not urgent – hopefully this timing will be satisfactory.

Please let me know how you'd like to proceed.

Cheers,
Kassandra

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From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 10:42 AM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Kassandra,

Following up with your office on scheduling a meeting regarding Child Care Licensing. Minister Conroy and Minister Chen's offices are hoping we could schedule this meeting via call July 11th from 2:15pm 2:45pm? We are aware that MOH staff and MCFD staff had a meeting about material.

Please let us know if this works on your end. ☺

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Métis Federation s.22
Date: August 13, 2018 10:39:22 AM

I didn't get one. Will ask Kirsten to forward to us.

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2018 10:39 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Métis Federation s.22

Was there an attachment?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 13, 2018, at 10:37 AM, Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> FYI
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> **From:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 11:54 AM
> **To:** Foote, Sonya A MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Métis Federation s.22
>
> Yes – thanks! Alex and I discussed this am. Looping in Alisma so she can loop in Paula when she gets back. Also looping in Shawn - kj
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> ---
>
> **From:** Foote, Sonya A MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:48 AM
> **To:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** Métis Federation s.22
>
> Morning ladies,
>
> Just a heads up that s.22 has once again corresponded with us and written a letter re: s.22 which we are in the process of responding to.
> Once the letter is in its final form, we can share a copy with you. The letter is likely to provoke a response from s.22 including writing to MKC and posting all correspondence on their website.
>
> Kind regards,
> Sonya Foote
> Acting Manager
> Practice Support & Issue Management
> Cell: 250-413-7246
>
> Offering acknowledgment in honour of the traditional keepers of this land, the Ws'anec', Lkwungen & Wyomilth peoples, known today as the Saanich, Esquimalt and Songhees Nations...
>
> This communication and any accompanying document, and any response to this communication and any accompanying document, is confidential and is intended solely for the intended recipient(s). You may not disclose,

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: s.22 adoption
Date:	August 24, 2018 4:42:58 PM

And regarding her question about whether the Minister has reviewed the case, I would say s.13
s.13

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:42 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: s.22 adoption

Adding Paula.
The CA should not be copying other MLAs on this private email. She does not have formal consent to share this family's private information with anyone other than MCFD.
I think the program area will have to respond to her specific question.

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:30 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: s.22 adoption

See from MLA Yaps CA.

Thoughts?

From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:29 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Leonhardt, Shelley LASS:EX; Reid.MLA, Linda LASS:EX
Subject: RE: s.22 adoption

Edena
s.22

Has the Minister reviewed this case, as requested?

Paige

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX [mailto:Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 4:11 PM

To: Robertson, Paige <Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: s.22 adoption

Hello Paige,

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To discuss further, the constituents may contact the Intercountry Adoption Consultant, at (250) 387-1317.

Thanks Paige,
Edena

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From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 11:51 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Ng, PoWah LASS:EX; Yao, Angell LASS:EX; Merrell, Trevor LASS:EX
Subject: s.22 adoption

Based on all the documents sent to the ministry yesterday, Edena Is there an update?

Paige Robertson
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Richmond-Steveston
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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Verwoord, Cindy TRAN:EX
Subject:	RE: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Aug 15 | TRA-2018-85717 | Sr. MA"s [specified records] excluding attachments for Sep 9-15, 2017
Date:	August 9, 2018 8:59:40 AM

I wasn't a Senior then either. ☺

From: Verwoord, Cindy TRAN:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:59 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Harder, Derrick AG:EX
Cc: Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX; Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Aug 15 | TRA-2018-85717 | Sr. MA's [specified records] excluding attachments for Sep 9-15, 2017

It would have been when you were with TRAN.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Verwoord, Cindy TRAN:EX; Harder, Derrick AG:EX
Cc: Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX; Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Aug 15 | TRA-2018-85717 | Sr. MA's [specified records] excluding attachments for Sep 9-15, 2017

Hi Cindy! Hope you're well.
I am not a Senior MA so I don't think this applies to me.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Verwoord, Cindy TRAN:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:56 AM
To: Harder, Derrick AG:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX; Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Aug 15 | TRA-2018-85717 | Sr. MA's [specified records] excluding attachments for Sep 9-15, 2017

Good Morning Derrick and Alisma,

Please provide records for the below request is applicable.

Thanks,
Cindy

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 8:49 AM
To: Verwoord, Cindy TRAN:EX
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX; Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX; Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Aug 15 | TRA-2018-85717 | Sr. MA's [specified records] excluding attachments for Sep 9-15, 2017

Good morning Cindy,

We've received a new FOI request from a *Political Party* as an applicant seeking the following

records:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments - sent from the Minister's Senior Ministerial Assistant(s), where the position exists and was staffed (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/09/2017 To 09/15/2017)

Note: Similar to TRA-2018-83570 and TRA-2018-84216

Please complete the fee estimate below:

1. Will you have responsive records? Y/N _____
2. If yes? How much time in hours? (best guess**) _____
   ** **Note:** if more than 3 hours, please provide rationale below:
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The fee estimate is due by **August 14.** If advised 'no fee', records are due by **August 20.**

The LDD is September 20.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know if I can be of assistance.

Thank you,

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: New member of the team
Date:	August 31, 2018 12:20:43 PM

Congrats on the new job, Carmen! Best of luck with it and thanks for all your help.
Alisma

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 31, 2018 11:57 AM
To: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX
Subject: New member of the team

Hi all,

As some of you know I have accepted a TA position in the Early Years and Inclusion division (Christine's div.) starting on Tuesday, September 4th. ☺
Moving forward Jamie Zhu will be in my position so please email her with any questions/requests that would normally have gone to me. Krista is here for support during the transition.

It has been great working with you all over the past year (or so) – and what a busy exciting year it has been!!
Thanks everyone ☺

Carmen Lapthorne
Information and Privacy Coordinator
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
250-893-0231

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject:	RE: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital
Date:	August 23, 2018 1:53:01 PM
Attachments:	image001.png image002.png image003.png image004.png

Thanks!

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 1:53 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital

This NR did not go through me, but I will find out for you.

Kassandra Dycke
Office 250-953-3584 | Cell 778-678-3776
kassandra.dycke@gov.bc.ca

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 1:52 PM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject: FW: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital

Hi Kassandra,
Could you let me know who in our office approved the Minister Conroy quote in this? None of us can find a record of it!
Thanks!
Alisma

From: IH Communications [mailto:ihcommunications@interiorhealth.ca]
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 10:45 AM
To: __Media Kootenay Boundary (Restricted) <MediaKootenayBoundary@interiorhealth.ca>
Subject: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Yano, Brady LASS:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Re: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital
Date: August 23, 2018 2:46:43 PM
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Hi all,
The new MA in Health was handling this and didn't know she had to get the MKC quote signed off. She knows for the future!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 23, 2018, at 1:51 PM, Yano, Brady <Brady.Yano@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Thanks Paula, I'll see if the folks at Health were involved at all.
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 1:49 PM
> **To:** Yano, Brady <Brady.Yano@leg.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Perry, Alisma MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital
>
> Neither Alisma and I were asked to approve a quote.
>
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> **From:** Yano, Brady [mailto:Brady.Yano@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 1:23 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital
>
> Hey Paula,
>
> By chance did you sign off on this quote? Katrine apparently didn't see it and I'm just wondering how it got out there.
>
> Thanks,
> Brady
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Conroy.MLA, Katrine
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 12:18 PM
> **To:** Yano, Brady <Brady.Yano@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: News Release: Contractor chosen for Kootenay Boundary Regional Hospital

Hi Brady,

Do you know anything about how IHA got the quote from Katrine for this news release? She says she was not consulted to approve the quote. We just want to make sure that she always approves any quotes before they go out.

I am most easily reached on my private line if you want to chat s.22

Angelika Brunner, Constituency Assistant
Katrine Conroy, MLA | Kootenay West | #2, 1006 3rd Street | Castlegar, BC | V1N 3A9 | T:250-304-2783 | F: 250-304-2655

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Office Visit - Thursday September 6th
Date: August 30, 2018 9:31:30 AM

Hi Krista,

This sounds like a great idea. Could this be set up for 12 – 1pm on Thursday the 6th?
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 4:04 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: Office Visit - Thursday September 6th

Hi Kaitlin and alisma

Regarding possible office visit on September 6, the Burnaby office suggested by the Aboriginal team for Minister Conroy to participate in a smudging of the upstairs floor with a brief meet and greet. They have planned to provide some indigenous snacks (bannock, candied salmon, berried, blackberry and Saskatoon jam) made by some of the Aboriginal staff for her to try, as well as have their elder properly blanket her.

They would also like to know what the timing would be for a visit and what other suggestions/interests she might have for that morning?

> The office they identified is 7645 Kingsway Avenue, Burnaby. It's fairly central, easy to get to and generally has available parking in around the building. There are two teams on the first floor (Burnaby Intake and FS) and two teams on the second floor (Burnaby).

Let me know what you think and about timing
Thanks
Krista

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Overseas adoption
Date:	August 22, 2018 9:52:24 AM

Ok, let's talk about it when you're free. Edena, maybe we can call you around 11:30 or so? Are you in the Constit Updates meeting?

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:42 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Overseas adoption

It's actually EVEN more complicated than this – let's chat first. (And should have included you Edena, I knew I'd talked to you about it!)

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:41 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Overseas adoption

Thanks! Sounds like you have it under control. I'll let the Minister know that MLA Yap's office is taking the lead and is working with us on it. And I guess it might be best if I email Linda Reid back rather than the Minister doing it?

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:26 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Overseas adoption

No she did not. The family are constituents of MLA Yap and it their office that is taking the lead. I am in contact with MLA Yap's CA and the consent form for MLA bullets have gone through that office. MLA Throness is also involved and sent correspondence and consent form. This case has become very confusing due to many people and offices advocating.

Do you want to chat about it?

☺
Edena

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:18 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Overseas adoption

Did Kat copy you on this as well? I'm thinking reaching out to Linda's CA is the best way to go…? What do you think?

From: Conroy, Katrine [mailto:K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 8:54 PM
To: Reid, Linda
Subject: Re: Overseas adoption

Hi Linda, I will see what we can do, but as you are well aware from your past experiences, there are always hoops to jump. Again, will see if we can help.
Take care, Katrine

From: "Reid, Linda" <Linda.Reid@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 at 8:26 PM
To: Katrine Conroy <K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Overseas adoption

Katrine, would you help a family s.22
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s.22 I trust you can honour the enormous sacrifices this family has already made and allow them to continue to build their family without further delay. Yours with kindest regards, Linda Reid

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Overseas adoption
Date:	August 22, 2018 9:39:12 AM

FYI I checked with Edena (she wasn't copied) and she wrote:

"The family are constituents of MLA Yap and it their office that is taking the lead. I am in contact with MLA Yap's CA and the consent form for MLA bullets have gone through that office. MLA Throness is also involved and sent correspondence and consent form. This case has become very confusing due to many people and offices advocating."

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:27 AM
To: Twyford, Philip MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Overseas adoption

FYI MLA Reid emailed the Minister directly on the s.22 adoption issue.

From: Conroy, Katrine [mailto:K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:03 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Overseas adoption

Further information

From: "Reid, Linda" <Linda.Reid@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 at 8:40 AM
To: Katrine Conroy <K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Overseas adoption

Thank you so much. In this instance the hoops you reference our British Columbias' hoops s.22
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. Keep me apprised. Linda Reid

From: "Conroy, Katrine" <K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 8:54 PM
To: "Reid, Linda" <Linda.Reid@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Overseas adoption

Hi Linda, I will see what we can do, but as you are well aware from your past experiences, there are always hoops to jump. Again, will see if we can help.
Take care, Katrine

From: "Reid, Linda" <Linda.Reid@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 at 8:26 PM

To: Katrine Conroy <K.Conroy@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Overseas adoption

Katrine, would you help a family from Richmond bring two little boys home from s.22 Renaa Bacy has the details. One child been approved but not the other. The family has been in s.22 for seven months building these relationships and their stay comes to an end Sept 15. The social worker has provided an addendum to her homestudy to include both children. Your ministry is advising that the parents must be in Canada to receive the expanded homestudy. I trust you can honour the enormous sacrifices this family has already made and allow them to continue to build their family without further delay. Yours with kindest regards, Linda Reid

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: "Michael Crawford"
Subject: RE: Photo of Minister Conroy
Date: August 21, 2018 12:47:36 PM
Attachments: 4 Questions for SWs.docx

Hi Michael,
Please find the answers attached.
Minister Conroy asked me to send her personal apology for the delay!
Take care,
Alisma

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 10:00 AM
To: 'Michael Crawford'
Subject: RE: Photo of Minister Conroy

Hi Michael,
So sorry for the delay! We are just finalizing it this morning and will get it to you by noon.
Best wishes,
Alisma
Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

From: Michael Crawford [mailto:Mcrawford@tru.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 12:02 AM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Photo of Minister Conroy

Hi Kirsten;

I hope the text will be ready today as we are approaching the final deadline.

Regards,
Michael

BC ASSOCIATION of SOCIAL WORKERS

Michael Crawford
President
E: mcrawford@tru.ca
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From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX [mailto:Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: August 13, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Michael Crawford <Mcrawford@tru.ca>
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca>; Brown, Edena MCF:EX <Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Photo of Minister Conroy

Hi Michael,

Here is a photo of Katrine Conroy, Minister of Children and Family Development, to accompany the answers to your four questions, which will follow.

Thanks,

Kirsten Lauvaas
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Children and Family Development
Ph: 250 356-1553 | Cell: 250 213-5572

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly
Date:	August 23, 2018 12:06:33 PM

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From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 11:57 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly

I feel like I want another pair of eyes on this before I send. Thoughts?

Dear MLA Reid & staff,

Thank you for your recent email to Minister Conroy. We wanted to give you the attached MLA guide to services for MCFD, as well as the Minister's public email address to use in future: MCF.Minister@gov.bc.ca. You may also give that email address to constituents if they wish to write themselves. I also attach the MCFD consent form that must be used by MLA offices for any constituents who need assistance with MCFD casework. It needs to be signed by both the constituent and the CA and then forwarded to me. As Executive Assistant to Minister Conroy I am the liaison for MLA offices. My contact information is Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca or call 250-480-8627.

The consent form attached does say that permission is given to release information regarding a person and their case only to their MLA and staff. Therefore it is necessary for constituents to work with their MLA office on MCFD casework. We are able to provide information and assistance to you and your staff only for your constituents.
The recent case of s.22 *that you contacted Minister Conroy about, have identified John Yap as their MLA and so his office is the lead on this file and we will be providing information and notes to that office.*

If you or your staff have any questions please call or email. I am happy to assist.

Thank you and best wishes,
Edena

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX

Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 11:17 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly

Sounds good to me!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

On Aug 23, 2018, at 11:15 AM, Brown, Edena MCF:EX <Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Thanks Alisma and you did copy me on the response. ☺ I agree very good language to use there. I will take and slightly re-work for this case. I will blind copy you both when I send to MLA Reid and MLA Throness offices. Sound ok or would you like to see before I send?
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> **From:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 11:13 AM
> **To:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly
>
> I agree. Edena, if you'd rather I contact the CA I can do that. Did I copy you on my email to Sam Sullivan's CA? Maybe some of that language would help (with added message that the MLA who represents this family is the point person).
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> **From:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 11:12 AM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly
>
> Ok. I wondered the same thing… I will work on this now.
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> ---
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> **From:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 11:10 AM
> **To:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly
>
> Edena, I think you should send an email right away to Rhea (possibly include Renae) that all MLA requests need to go through the MO and that we respond to a constituent's MLA and not other MLAs, and that you will convey that to MLA Reid's CA. Not sure we should wait til this afternoon to discuss.
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> **From:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 23, 2018 10:19 AM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly

Importance: High

Hi Alisma and Paula,

See what Rhea has sent below and attached. We should discuss.

MLA Throness's office has called as well regarding the same case.

Wondering how we want to respond and who? Wondering if this is a EA email to these offices or if there will be needed more authority by being a MA?

Thanks,
Edena

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 3:10 PM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: Please follow up - MLA has contacted Provincial Director of Adoptions directly
Importance: High

Hi Edena,

Renaa informed me that the MLA has contacted her directly to request assistance with a family they are assisting.

I advised Renaa to not contact the MLA or process this request until we get this direction from you.

Of note, the adoptive family is two people, therefore, should require two signatures?

Incorrect consent form is attached.

Can I leave this with you to follow up with MLA and explain process they need to go thru the Minister's office? As well to advise the correct consent form needs to be filled out?

Let me know if this is ok!

Rhea

Rhea Kuharic | Manager | Client Relations | Executive Operations | T: 778 698-8845 | M: 778 676-7544

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: RUSH 239032
Date: August 31, 2018 2:29:31 PM

Thanks! I've approved and sent back.

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 31, 2018 1:55 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: RUSH 239032

Hi Alisma,

Just wanted to alert you to this rush acknowledgment letter that is assigned to your eApprovals.

Seeing as this is more of a formality, are you ok with correspondence taking this from your eApps so that we can send out?

Time sensitive.

Thanks!

Rhea

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018
Date:	August 10, 2018 1:37:42 PM

I can look at this now! Sorry about that.

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 10, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018
Importance: High

Hi Niki

I need the sign off for this one asap please as I need to get DM approval and send to IAO.

Thanks
Krista

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 3, 2018 2:46 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Sign Off CFD-2018-82530 LDD: August 10, 2018

Hi Niki,

Another file for sign off: CFD-2018-82530. I have cc'd Alisma re s.22 . This file needs to be to Krista by **August 8** for A/DM approval.
Please contact Krista if you have any questions or concerns with the file.

Thank you!
Carmen

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: SN-MKC at farewell for RCY Bernard Richard
Date: August 24, 2018 9:40:16 AM

Yep, I sent it. Thanks Cherie!

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 9:15 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: SN-MKC at farewell for RCY Bernard Richard

Hi Ladies,

I have put the farewell speech in the calendar for Tuesday. Did either of you get a chance to send it to MKC?

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Honourable Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

Room 027 ¦ Parliament Buildings ¦ Victoria ¦British Columbia ¦ V8W 9E2
Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Cell: 778-584-5943¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

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From: D'Souza, Pamela GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:51 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: SN-MKC at farewell for RCY Bernard Richard

Hello Paula,

Please see attached draft MKC speaking notes for RCY farewell event next Tuesday.

Thanks

Pam

On Aug 17, 2018, at 2:46 PM, Johnson, Lise RCY:EX <Lise.Johnson@rcybc.ca> wrote:

Hi Paula and Emily – just wondering if Minister Conroy is able to attend the event, below?
Thanks for letting me know,
Lise.

From: Johnson, Lise RCY:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:14 AM
To: Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Farewell for Bernard Richard - Invitation

Hello Minister Conroy. This is an invitation to participate in a farewell event for Representative Bernard Richard on Tuesday, Aug. 28. Here are the details:

Event: Farewell Bernard Richard; includes catering, a couple of speeches and a slideshow
Date: Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2018
Time: 3:00pm to 4:30pm
Location: Legislature Library Rotunda
Invitees include: RCY staff, members of the child and youth serving sector, SSCCY members, MCFD staff, independent officers of the Legislature, Indigenous organizations, clerk of committees, Premier Horgan, Green and Liberal leaders.

We know Bernard would be very honoured if you could attend and say a few words.

Thank you for considering this invitation. Please RSVP directly to me.

Lise.

Lise Johnson | Manager, Communications
Office: 250-356-9350 | Cell: 250-812-2358

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To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Cc:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2
Date:	August 23, 2018 4:40:26 PM

I'll go ahead and tweet as is for MKC then… but could someone please send me the New Day image? Thanks!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:33 PM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

Ok yes see the many complications. Whatever we need to make it work to get out tonight, don't want to cause it to be delayed.

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:31 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

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Will take another look at the following.

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 4:28 PM
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Horton, Emily MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

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(including Alisma on email for social media!)

From: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 3:44 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Horton, Emily MCF:EX

Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

I have drafted social as well for this ☺

Here you go!

Below please find my suggested social to celebrate the 50K milestone. I have chosen to direct to the opt-in status page for parents, as I think this is the most helpful govt asset for the public, but we can also direct to the ST.

MSKC Facebook:

In May we introduced our first cost saving measure for BC families. The new Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative helps parents save on the cost of child care through savings that are passed down by their provider.

Today we hit an exciting milestone for the new program, with over 50,000 child care spaces having been approved for savings! I am grateful to all the parents and providers who embraced our new program and look forward to continuing to work with you to bring even more savings to families in September with the Affordable Child Care Benefit.

To find out if your provider is one of the 87% of providers who have opted in to the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative visit: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin

<insert image: Child at Daycare >

MSKC Twitter:

Today we reached the 50K mark for child care spaces approved to receive savings through the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. Is your provider part of the 87% who have opted in? Find out & save on your monthly #childcare costs. www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin #ChildcareBC
<insert image: Child at Daycare>

MKC Facebook:

BC families are faced with tough choices when it comes to finding affordable child care and we are working to make life more affordable for families by lowering the cost of child care across the province. Today our first cost saving measure, the new Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, has reached 50,000 in approved spaces. This means that thousands of children across BC will

now have access to more affordable child care, as their care providers pass savings along to their parents.

I am so happy that our initiative has been embraced with open arms by both parents and providers, we couldn't change the system without you. To find out if your provider was part of the 87% who chose to opt-in and lower your child care costs visit: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin

<insert image : New Day Facility>

MKC Twitter:

After just four months over 50k #childcare spaces have been approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, bringing even more #BCfamilies savings! Learn if your provider has opted-in here: www.gov.bc.ca/childcare/optin #ChildcareBC

<insert image: New Day Facility>

Best,

Clare

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2018 3:42 PM
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Horton, Emily MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

Can we turn this into some social as well - once we land on an approved version?

From: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Sent: August 23, 2018 3:41 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Horton, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.Horton@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ST_CCFRI Update_Aug 23 2018_DR2

Good Afternoon all,

Attached please find the Statement celebrating the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative 50K milestone that we are hoping to put out this afternoon, for your approval.

Best,

Clare

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From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: STAFF ADVICE - FW: Invitation to attend the annual Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents Conference
Date:	August 5, 2018 2:50:58 PM

Probably too early to decide, but could you check in as to whether Minister Chen will try to attend? It would make more sense for her to go if possible since she's in Vancouver and it's a Friday afternoon.

From: White, Emily MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 2, 2018 2:13 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: STAFF ADVICE - FW: Invitation to attend the annual Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents Conference

Hi Alisma –

Over to you for direction ☺

Best,

Emily White
Administrative Coordinator
The Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development

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From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 2, 2018 2:13 PM
To: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: STAFF ADVICE - FW: Invitation to attend the annual Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents Conference

Hi Emily

s.13

Krista

From: White, Emily MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, July 27, 2018 3:04 PM
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: STAFF ADVICE - FW: Invitation to attend the annual Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents Conference

Hi Krista –

Can you please have staff provide advice on this invitation?

Thank you!

Best,

Emily White
Administrative Coordinator
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From: Jennifer Westoby [mailto:jenniferw@bccf.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 4:26 PM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX; CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Joseph Dunn; Wetherill, Anne MCF:EX
Subject: Invitation to attend the annual Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents Conference

Good afternoon, Honourable Katrine Conroy and Honourable Katrina Chen:

My name is Jennifer Westoby and I am the coordinator of the Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents (APSYP). The Alliance is a provincial group of young parent program staff who support vulnerable young parents aged 15-24 to develop positive parenting skills, complete their education and expand the healthy relationships they have with themselves, their children, and others. You may be aware of our group; Honourable Chen, we were fortunate to be asked to attend a meeting with you to dialogue about young parent programs' needs in November of last year.

We would like to thank you for the investment of $3 million into child care subsidies for young parents. The increase of funds has already had a significant positive impact for young parent programs, and will continue to do so

in the coming years.

I also wanted to warmly invite both of you to attend our upcoming conference for Young Parent Program staff, **"Inspiring the Heart, Regulating the Body: Enhancing Social-Emotional Learning in Young Parent Programs"**, happening in October. Specifically, I wanted to determine your availability to attend the interactive session we will be having with MCFD staff Anne Wetherill, Erin Sexton and James Baird, on the afternoon of October 19. I will be presenting the findings of our annual survey as well during that session.

I look forward to hearing from you!
Kindly, Jennifer
--

Jennifer Westoby, MSW *Program Coordinator for the Alliance for Professionals Serving Young Parents and the Home Visitor Training Initiative*

I work 12 hours a week, usually on Mondays and Thursdays. *I promise I will reply as soon as I can!*



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If you would prefer to not receive emails from me, please let me know!

From:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To:	Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast
Date:	August 9, 2018 11:42:43 AM

Yes, thank you!

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 11:42 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Thank you Alisma, is it ok with you if I share these dates with my federal colleagues as very tentative and unconfirmed possibilities, so that they can explore whether these might be possible on their end?

T.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 10:02 AM
To: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX <Tiffany.Hamilton@gov.bc.ca>; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX <Jamie.Zhu@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Tiffany,
Ok, good to know. In October there is a break week after Thanksgiving. We can't fully commit to any dates yet, but conceivably Oct. 9 or 10 could work. Also the Leg doesn't sit on Fridays, so a Friday like Oct. 5, 19, or 26 could work.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:36 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hello again Alisma

I've heard back from Canada and neither of their ministers is available for any day in September. I let our federal colleagues know that this puts us in a dilemma as my understanding is that Minister Conroy will not be available at all in October, due to the House being back in session. Please let me know if this is correct, or if there might be any days in October where Minister Conroy could be available.

T.

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX

Sent: Tuesday, August 7, 2018 2:40 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>; Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX <Jamie.Zhu@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Alisma,

I'll continue coordinating on this end — thank you for the head's up on the 8th. I've reached out to Canada again to see where they are at, and will let you know when I hear back.

T.

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Sunday, August 5, 2018 2:57 PM
To: Zhu, Jamie MCF:EX <Jamie.Zhu@gov.bc.ca>; Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX <Tiffany.Hamilton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Jamie and Tiffany,
Forwarding my below reply to Denise s.22 . Not sure if one of you is taking over scheduling of the Wet'suwet'en signing.
Thanks!
Alisma

Alisma Perry
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Sunday, August 5, 2018 2:55 PM
To: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Denise,
Sept. 8 is the only one of those dates that would really work for Minister Conroy.
But let me know if another is being considered and I can dig deeper.
Thanks!
Alisma

Alisma Perry
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From: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 2, 2018 2:10 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Suggested Dates from BC for the Signing Feast

Hi Paula and Alisma. I know Allison had previously been in touch with you regarding potential dates the Minister could be available to attend a signing event for the Wet'suwet'en in Smithers. The dates that have been confirmed by the Office of Wet'suwet'en are below.

- Sept 4, 6, 8, 21, 22, 24

Can you let me know if the Minister is available for any of those dates? Canada is hoping to finalize their availability on Friday. Thank you for your assistance in finding a date.

Denise Devenny
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: UBCM Schedule MKC
Date: August 30, 2018 1:14:09 PM

We're on it!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 12:43 PM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: UBCM Schedule MKC

I just asked Kaitlin to find out if MKC and I are pre-registered for the Welcome Reception - she may need help with that.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2018, at 12:33 PM, Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> FYI
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> **From:** Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, August 30, 2018 12:32 PM
> **To:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: UBCM Schedule MKC
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> **From:** Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, August 27, 2018 10:46 AM
> **To:** White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
> **Subject:** UBCM Schedule MKC
>
> Hello ladies
>
> Here is the schedule for MKC for UBCM thus far. This could change and if so I will let you know asap. Should have FINAL soon.
>
> **Tuesday September 11 (Room Alpine E)**
> 10:00 – 10:15: Joint with MMHA- Regional District of Kitimat Stikine
>
> **Thursday September 13 (Room Glacier A)**
> 1:00 – 1:15: Village of Lumby
> 1:20 – 1:35: City of Prince George
> 1:40 – 1:55: District of Stewart
> 2:00 – 2:15: District of Houston
> 2:20 – 2:25: Regional Municipality of Northern Rockies
> 2:40 – 2:55: Village of McBride

3:00 – 3:15: Village of Valemount
3:20 – 3:35: Regional Municipality of Whistler
3:40 – 3:55: District of Clearwater
4:00 – 4:15:Huu-ay-aht First Nations

Krista Cain
Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Updated: Core Calendar July 2018 - Nov 2018
Date: August 9, 2018 10:04:56 AM

Ok, we've just heard that the Feds have said there is no date in September that works for them, so Sept. 8 is off. We are now looking at October dates – I'll let you know if I hear anything concrete-ish. Sorry for the false alarm!

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 11:35 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Updated: Core Calendar July 2018 - Nov 2018

On it!

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 8, 2018 9:13 AM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Updated: Core Calendar July 2018 - Nov 2018

Hi Kirsten,
Could you please add to the core calendar on Sept 8: Tripartite Signing Feast with Wet'suwet'en and Gov of Canada (TBC), Smithers

Thanks!
Alisma

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 2, 2018 11:32 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; D'Souza, Pamela GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: Updated: Core Calendar July 2018 - Nov 2018

HI All,

Here's the latest Core Calendar. Niki – please call us if you want to discuss.

Kirsten

From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: VCO Meetings - Aug 30th
Date: August 24, 2018 3:24:50 PM

Thanks Cherie, you too!

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, August 24, 2018 3:24 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: VCO Meetings - Aug 30th

Hi Ladies—

I have confirmed that you are all set up for the day at VCO August 30th.

Have a good weekend.

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Honourable Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Wet"suwet"en MOU signing
Date: August 22, 2018 9:11:28 AM

Hi Tiffany,
That sounds good re: the response to Debbie. I thought so too.
Thanks!
Alisma

From: Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 9:10 AM
To: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Wet'suwet'en MOU signing

Hi Alisma,

Still no response from either federal department re: their ministers' availabilities for a signing date in Smithers on the Wet'suwet'en MOU.

I have received the eApprovals on the (now outdated) response to Debbie Pierre from Minister Conroy. The Wet'suwet'en are aware that I have been working with you to pinpoint a date, potentially in October, for Minister Conroy to come to Smithers so at this point I don't think a formal letter response is required. I'll submit that through eApp later today unless I hear from you otherwise.

Thanks!
T.

Tiffany Hamilton
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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Your Homestudy
Date: August 30, 2018 9:28:29 AM

I would say that's a good update, that Renaa has been in touch directly with the family?

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 9:06 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Your Homestudy

Hi Rhea and Alisma,

Another request for an update from MLA Yap's CA. (See below)

Rhea did you hear from Ms. Bacy? I see that she has emailed the family early today with an update that she is requesting all of the homestay information from the agency and is reviewing it.

Thanks,
Edena

From: Robertson, Paige [mailto:Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Your Homestudy

Edena
Can you provide a time line for Ms. Bacy to finish this review and render, what we trust, will be a positive decision regarding issuing the LONO?
Thank you.
Paige

From: s.22
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 7:51 AM
To: Yap.MLA, John <John.Yap.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Reid.MLA, Linda <Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Robertson, Paige <Paige.Robertson@leg.bc.ca>; Leonhardt, Shelley <Shelley.Leonhardt@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: s.22
Subject: Fwd: Your Homestudy

Hi All:

This is the email we just received from Renaa. s.13

s.13

s.22

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX" <Renaa.Bacy@gov.bc.ca>
Date: August 30, 2018 at 3:41:17 PM GMT+1
To: s.22
Cc: "Francis, Deborah A MCF:EX" <Deborah.A.Francis@gov.bc.ca>, "Grooms, Kim MCF:EX" <Kim.Grooms@gov.bc.ca>, "Myers, Trisha MCF:EX" <Trisha.Myers@gov.bc.ca>, "'Delia

Ramsbotham'" <delia@sunriseadoption.com>, "'mary@sunriseadoption.com'" <mary@sunriseadoption.com>, "Macmillan, Zoe OMBD:EX" <ZMacmillan@bcombudsperson.ca>
Subject: RE: Your Homestudy

s.22

Thanks

Renaa Bacy
Provincial Director of Adoption
Executive Director of Adoption and Permanency Branch (XNC)
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Froms.22
Sent: Tuesday, August 28, 2018 10:49 AM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX; MCF Deputy Minister MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Leonhardt, Shelley LASS:EX; Reid.MLA, Linda LASS:EX; Yap.MLA, John LASS:EX; Robertson, Paige LASS:EX; Mary; delia@sunriseadoption.com; MCF Adoptions Branch MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Your Homesuty

August 28, 2018

To: Renaa Bacy, Provincial Director of Adoption
Cc: Katrine Conroy, Minister of Children and Family Development
Delia Ramsbotham, Mary LaMarque, Sunrise Family Services Society
Zoe MacMillan, BC Ombudsperson's Office
Linda Reid, John Yap, MLA's Richmond BC

Dear Renaa Bacy:

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Withheld pursuant to/removed as

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Delia Ramsbotham" <delia@sunriseadoption.com>
Date: August 27, 2018 at 6:41:43 PM GMT+1
To: 's.22 ,s.22
Cc: <mary@sunriseadoption.com>, <Amelia@sunriseadoption.com>
Subject: Your Homesuty

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I hope this answers all of your questions. Please let me know if you have more.

Delia

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From: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Weekly Calendar Meeting
Date: August 30, 2018 11:45:17 AM

Hi! I saw the calendar call from today got cancelled, but will we have one tomorrow instead? Paula will be back in the office tomorrow.
Thanks!

Alisma Perry
Ministerial Assistant
Children and Family Development
778-677-4408

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: ACCB - Fax Line
Date: July 16, 2018 9:44:00 AM

Hi Christine,
Hope you had a great weekend.
The Toll Free Fax line for ACCB seems to be busy consistently, we've found this out through our lovely AA In our office who is currently trying to get her paperwork in.
Let me know if you've heard otherwise.
Thanks,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gordon, Stephanie EDUC:EX
Subject: Accepted: Apres Work Catch Up?

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gordon, Stephanie EDUC:EX
Subject: Accepted: Apres Work Catch Up?

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX
Subject: Accepted: BIPoC Staff Meeting

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Accepted: cc check in

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Accepted: Child Care Survey discussion

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Accepted: Harbour Air - s.22

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Accepted: Harbour Air Flight - Booking #s.22

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Accepted: Harbour Air Flight -Booking # s.22

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Accepted: Multi-language Media

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Accepted: Phone call - Karen Johnston, Kirsten Lauvaas, Brendan Wright, Jarrett Hagglund - July 6 Child Care Event

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Infante, James SDPR:EX; Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX
Subject: BIPoC

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Blue Spruce Montessori
Date: July 9, 2018 7:57:22 AM

Hi Rhea,

Has there been any back and forth with Blue Spruce Montessori or any parents?

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Infante, James SDPR:EX; Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX
Subject: Brief

Is this day/time ok?

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Dhaliwal, Gurveen LASS:EX
Subject: Burnaby Family Life
Date: July 16, 2018 2:06:00 PM

Hey!
I'm pretty sure MSKC wanted to visit Burnaby Family Life sometime soon.. she mentioned this to me last week, may want to run this by her?
Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Campaign
Date: July 20, 2018 9:50:00 AM

Hi Rhea,
If you could keep me posted on the CEFA Brentwood campaign and the response that will be going out?
Best,
Jasleen
Jasleen Arora
Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Chen | Ministry of the State for Childcare
PO Box 9044 Stn Prov Gov, Victoria, BC, V8W 9E2 | 778-584-0267

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Bowen, Bev LASS:EX
Subject: Caucus Room - BIPOC Meeting
Date: July 11, 2018 3:36:00 PM

Hi Bev,

Hope you're doing well.

Can we book the caucus room for our BIPOC meeting on July 25th from 2-3pm please?

Best,

Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX; Infante, James SDPR:EX
Subject: Chat

Not urgent - for tomorrow's convo

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Subject: Confirmed for 3 pm on Monday
Date: July 6, 2018 2:05:05 PM

Sent from my iPhone

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Furstenau.MLA, Sonia LASS:EX
Cc:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	Constituent Follow Up
Date:	July 26, 2018 2:15:00 PM

Hello,

Hope everyone is well.

I'm reaching out on behalf of Edena as she is occupied at the moment. I wanted to ensure you receive an update regarding s.22

MCFD is arranging for s.22

parent who will act as a support to s.22 s.22 has agreed with this plan. As a least intrusive measure, MCFD will apply for a Supervision Order specific to expectations regarding s.22 s.22 To discuss further, the constituent may contact Director of Operations, Marcia Hower, at 250-715-2838.

Best,

Jasleen

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Furstenau.MLA, Sonia LASS:EX
Cc:	Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	Constituent Follow Up
Date:	July 26, 2018 2:41:00 PM

Hi Maeve,

Following up regarding s.22 on behalf of Edena.

At the local Duncan Aboriginal Services Team's Family Group Conference in Chilliwack on July 6th, a letter from s.22

s.22

Director of Operations, Marcia Hower at 250-715-2838.

Best,

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Beare, Lisa
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: Constituent Follow Up
Date: July 26, 2018 2:53:00 PM

Hi Thyra,
Hope you're well.
I'm following up regarding a constituent s.22 , on the behalf of Edena.

The process to obtain a "Letter for Non-Resident Canadians" is for the potential adoptive parent to attend the office of the Canadian foreign mission in the jurisdiction where the adoption is completing to provide the required documentation for validation by the Consular officer. The Consular officer contacts a case officer in Ottawa who sends the information to Intercountry Adoption Services who then make the request for the "Letter of Non-Resident Canadian" from the British Columbia Provincial Director of Adoption. The completed letter is sent to the Family Unit of Global Affairs to be forwarded to the appropriate court or adoption authority in the jurisdiction where the adoption is being completed. A copy of the letter is provided to the potential adoptive parent.

The complete process and a list of the required documentation to obtain a "Letter for Non-Resident Canadians" for an expatriate Canadian, who is completing an adoption in a foreign jurisdiction, can be obtained by contacting the Intercountry Adoption Services desk at Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada at: IA-Inquiries@cic.gc.ca. s.22

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Correspondence
Date: July 4, 2018 1:24:00 PM
Attachments: 238268_BCCOA ECE Teacher Recommendations.doc

Hi Katrina,

Let me know if you'd like to make any changes.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Courtney and Comox
Date: July 4, 2018 5:24:27 PM

We'll have to go ahead and organize between us as the CO hasn't responded.

Krista as it's down to the wire, please let me know how I can help tomorrow morning. I would be happy to jump in wherever I can.

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: Duncan and Nanaimo
Date: July 5, 2018 8:11:21 AM

Hey Krista!

If you can give me the basic itinerary for Duncan and Nanaimo, including those items that are TBC I can pass it along to the relevant MLAs today! Just so they can start to lock things in as well.

Thanks,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Fax Line
Date: July 16, 2018 11:58:39 AM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: s.22
Date: July 4, 2018 9:44:00 AM

Hey Krista,

s.22

One contact for Nanaimo:
Doug Routley's CA
Sarah Miller – sarah.m.miller@leg.bc.ca
250-797-0318

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Farnworth.MLA, Mike LASS:EX; Robinson.MLA, Selina LASS:EX; Glumac.MLA, Rick LASS:EX
Cc: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX; Pecora, Talea PSSG:EX
Subject: Friday: Announcement
Date: July 3, 2018 11:35:00 AM

Hello all,

We're going to have an announcement around funding for new childcare spaces on Friday. It will be taking place 9-9:30 am at Step by Step: 960 Lillian St, Coquitlam BC V3J 5C7.

Please let us know if you can join!

Best,

Jasleen

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX
Subject:	FW: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can"t find a location-follow up
Date:	July 11, 2018 3:51:00 PM

Hey Dulcy,
Having ministry staff look into options.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Anderson, Dulcy [mailto:Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 10, 2018 3:24 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
Jasleen,
Despite trying to work with the City of Vancouver to find a space, we're going to lose 38 preschool childcare spots with the Pacific Rim Montessori because they just can't find a space to inhabit for the fall. I'm assuming out of your jurisdiction and that you have nothing to offer, but just to let you know that this is a real gap. Leases appropriate for childcare are vanishingly few. The church they were housed in is going to be turned into rental housing—great in another dimension (in 2 years), but not good alternatives for this kind of space.
All the best,
Dulcy
Dulcy Anderson | Constituency Assistant | David Eby, MLA Vancouver-Point Grey
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From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Actions for Childcare Solutions Working Group
Date:	July 19, 2018 10:16:00 AM
Attachments:	image002.png Childcare Solutions Actions_Current_June5.docx

From the last Action Group – Christine, Jon, and I attended.

From: Danielle St. Jacques [mailto:DSt.Jacques@victoria.ca]
Sent: July 18, 2018 10:55 AM
To: Kelly Greenwell ; Thomas Soulliere ; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX ; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX ; XT:McClure, Shelley HLTH:IN ; 'Lee Herrin' ; mwalsh@sd61.bc.ca; plangstraat@sd61.bc.ca; XT:HLTH Stanwick, Richard ; kkennish@jbcp.bc.ca; Burnside Gorge Community Association ; kwilcox@fairfieldcommunity.ca; ED@Oaklandsca.com; Johanne Thompson ; Marianne Alto (Councillor) ; ceo@victoriachamber.ca; Jocelyn Jenkyns ; belinda@childcarevictoria.ca; Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX
Cc: Colleen Mycroft
Subject: Actions for Childcare Solutions Working Group

Good day all,

Mayor Helps requested I forward the attached Action Items. Please note that the highlighted items have been added since last time. Thank you for all you do!

Kindly,

Danielle
Danielle St. Jacques
Executive Coordinator
Mayor's Office
City of Victoria
1 Centennial Square, Victoria BC V8W 1P6
T 250.361.0597 **F** 250.361.0248





From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Affordable Child Care questions
Date: July 16, 2018 10:28:00 AM

Hi Rhea,
A reply direct please.
Best,
Jasleen

From: s.22
Sent: July 15, 2018 11:12 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: Affordable Child Care questions

Hi Katrina,

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s.22 brought home one of your Child Care B.C. leaflets and I was curious to learn more about your Affordable Child Care initiative.
Is this up and running yet or a proposal (hopefully) soon to be passed?
Is there a website I can find out more information about this?

s.22

Hope to hear from you soon!

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: ATTN: Reconsidering Committee RE: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Date:	July 23, 2018 11:47:00 AM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 22, 2018 10:31 PM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: ATTN: Reconsidering Committee RE: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

To: Ministry of Children and Family Development

Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to petition the Ministry of Children and Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. I s.22 s.22 the Brentwood location s.22

I along with 300 other families learned late last week that the centre's application for the initiative was denied and that the application is scheduled to receive a final reconsideration.

Our family story in securing childcare in Metro Vancouver is not a new one - I have been diligent and placed s.22 s.22 s.22 CEFA Brentwood happened to be a new facility in October 2016 and was the first daycare to offer us placement in s.22 s.2 . The saving grace in this experience is that CEFA Brentwood is wonderful - the care and attention from the teachers along with the professional management of the facility provides me with a sense of relief. I am grateful and amazed to see how much s.22 has grown and thrived at CEFA Brentwood. Leaving this facility is not an option for us. We had to wait s.22 to get into a daycare - a wait that I know has not gotten any better and not one I am prepared to go through again, particularly since there is no guarantee that we would find a comparable place.

A fellow parent, s.22 recently shared his email that he wrote the Ministry regarding CEFA Early Learning's application and it seems that one of the main reasons for denial stems from the past and future fee increases that the Ministry deemed as excessive. This is especially frustrating to hear because the 17 other CEFA locations that were subjected to same fee increases as us, had their applications approved. Living and working in an urban centre places undue financial stress on families and news of the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative, provided hope that the government was finally working for us. Withholding this funding without any substantial reason conflicts with the intended purpose of the program and only provides disappointment and anger for the affected families. As s.22 pointed out, declining the application for these three locations, deprives the families $65,000 a month or on a retroactive basis, $250,000.

I understand with all new initiatives, come with it its own challenges and I am appreciative that the Ministry is doing something to help young families. It would just make it more understanding if the

criteria for approval was more clear because as it currently stands, it seems as if s.22 is being unfairly punished.

Thank you for taking the time to review and consider this letter.

Kind regards,

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Best Friends Children"s Centre Inc G-91645
Date:	July 16, 2018 10:15:00 AM
Attachments:	wagesbyprogram.docx
Importance:	High

Hi Rhea,

A reply direct please.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Stephanie Hill [mailto:stephanie@bestfriendspittmeadows.ca]

Sent: July 10, 2018 12:01 PM

To: Wetherill, Anne MCF:EX

Cc: Massey, Christine MCF:EX ; Conroy.MLA, Katrine LASS:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; Wilkinson.MLA, Andrew LASS:EX ; Beare.MLA, Lisa LASS:EX ; Throness.MLA, Laurie LASS:EX ; Ehl, Cameron LASS:EX ; marc.dalton.mla@leg.bc.ca

Subject: Best Friends Children's Centre Inc G-91645

Importance: High

Dear Ms Wetherill,

I implore you to review my application for Opting In.

We had a planned increase of $100 for full time care in our Infant, Toddler and 3-5 Programs. This is a $50.00 increase over our historical fee increases ($25.00 approximately every 6 months).

The Adjudicator informed me my rates were not inline with other childcares?

My rates are $1250.00 for Infant/Toddlers and $915.00 for 3-5 year olds.

CEFA in Pitt Meadows charges $1590.00 ($340.00 more) for Infant/Toddlers and $1425.00 ($510.00 more) for 3-5's.

They opted in and were ACCEPTED!

Consious Kids in Maple Ridge (less than 4km away) charges $1320.00 for Infant/Toddlers and $1050.00 for 3-5's.

Love 2 Learn (across the street from me) charges $1180.00 for Infant/Toddlers and $840.00 for 3-5's, they opted in and were accepted.

According to a Fee Survey completed by Westcoast Child Care Resource Centre from September 2017 the median Infant/Toddler rate is $1325.00 and $955.00 for 3-5's.

My fees are in line and we offer amazing programs for the children we care for.

At Best Friends we overstaff our programs to offer a higher standard of quality care and insure we have consistent staffing if someone is away.

We are having a hard time attracting new staff due to our low wages.

The fee increase is intended to offer our current staff competitive wages and attract new staff. Maintaining my staff is vital to the quality and consistency of my programs.

Please see the attached Wages document. These wages are going to have to be rolled out in stages so we can afford to do it.

There is currently a huge staffing crisis, new ECE graduates are requesting $20/hr+ and 1/2 price childcare and they are getting it. I am in the process of sponsoring an Infant/Toddler Educator from Korea because there is such a shortage of staff.

I did provide a suggestion to Christine Massey to address the staffing crisis when I attending a meeting in Langley a few months ago. I hope it is being seriously considered.

I have had families leave because we initially chose not to Opt in. I have more families threatening to give notice. I don't understand why we are being denied? The money does not go to me it goes to my families! I provide services to 100 children and staff that have their own families to support. I am trying to do the right thing for everyone.
We had a unexpected bill from WorksafeBC (they reassessed my payroll) for $5,325.37. All our utilites have gone up and our rent will increase in August.
Our programs need the carpeting replaced but I can not apply for the grants because I have not been accepted to opting in.
Please review my application. I have so many children and families depending on me.
Stephanie Hill
Owner/Executive Director
Best Friends Children's Centre Inc
201-19141 Ford Road
Pitt Meadows BC V3Y 2P8
604-457-1211 office
604-603-0609 cell

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Campaign - Brentwood CEFA
Date:	July 23, 2018 11:43:00 AM

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 23, 2018 8:40 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Campaign - Brentwood CEFA

Hi Jasleen,

This is the info I have rec'd thus far…

Of the letters received so far, the majority of them are from parents regarding the CEFA Brentwood Facility. Below is some background on this facility along with next steps. I will have staff finalize the response for the parent letters early next week.

- ***There are 5 Rising Star Learning organizations funded through CCOF which have 8 facilities in total and run by President, Christine Yang.***
- ***Of the 8 facilities, 7 applied to opt-in to the CCFRI.***
- ***Of the 7 that applied, all 7 received a Not Approved email due to above median non-historical increases in March 2018 to $1,840 for infant toddler care and to $1,620 for 3 years to kindergarten care.***
- ***All 7 requested reconsideration and 3 were approved upon reconsideration and 4 facilities had the not approved decision upheld.***
- ***Rising Star Learning (Brentwood) with the CEFA Early Learning Brentwood facility is one of 4 facilities whose not approved decision was upheld after reconsideration.***
- ***The facility was notified by email on July 10, 2018 that their not approved decision was upheld. The email advised the provider that they have 10 business days to request full committee reconsideration of this decision.***
- ***On July 19, the program received a request for full committee reconsideration yesterday.***
- ***The program area will review the request and any additional information attached.***
- ***The provider will then be notified that the decision to Not Approve was overturned, or that their request has been forwarded to the Reconsideration Committee comprised of Ministry staff not involved in the original decision.***

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 23, 2018 11:47:00 AM
Attachments:	image001.png image002.png

Reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 20, 2018 8:13 AM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; Minister@gov.bc.ca; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development

Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

Re: CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood location

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you as a disheartened parent having learnt that the application for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative was denied for the CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie locations without any significant reasons or explanations. The lack of information has left me disappointed and discouraged of the initiative program.

It was communicated by the government of BC that the purpose and intent of the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative was to provide relief of running a licensed child care facility and assist with the objectives to: “Keep parent fees affordable”, “Provide fair salaries to child care staff” and to “Maintain quality child care for the community”. By denying the application for CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie locations, the parent fees are not affordable and limits the options for parents of finding alternative available quality child care in the community - directly contradicting the purpose of the initiative.

s.22 attending CEFA Brentwood, I am relying on this fee reduction as relief to assist with the already exorbitant costs of daycare and the balance with the cost of living. By denying the application, this directly affects my family and living circumstances causing me to reconsider continuing to work, or to stop and become a s.22 providing home care for my child until I am able to find another suitable quality facility that would accept my child (each daycare has a minimum 1 year waitlist). This would also result in breaking the existing relationships my child has taken so much time to build and nurture, to then create the stress of learning and building a new ones in a new facility. It should be noted that there are only a select number of child care facilities that carry equal standards of learning and safety to CEFA in the community, the options are minimal and availability is scarce. We have been fortunate to have been accepted at CEFA Brentwood and found my s.22 the loving care and nurturing of wonderful teachers and staff and I would like to continue to build on this existing relationship.

Many parents are in the same circumstances. For your reference, I am attaching a letter written by another parent who has a child attending CEFA Brentwood. I fully support s.22views and we strongly urge the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider the application for the reasons stated herein.

Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any questions.
Sincerely,
s.22

Matt Nugent

Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

From: s.22
Sent: July 18, 2018 5:17 PM
To: 'mcf.ccof@gov.bc.ca' <mcf.ccof@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood

To Whom it May Concern

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. As working parents in the urban core, s.22 s.22 surviving the financial burden of these early years is difficult and an ongoing daily battle. Every dollar saved on a month to month and day to day basis is vital. This is money that I know my family and the other families at CEFA Brentwood desperately need. Withholding this funding is putting additional undue financial stress on urban families, and conflicts with the intended purpose of the program.

I am of the understanding that CEFA Brentwood, CEFA Canada Way and CEFA Cambie have all been denied funding approval. Speaking with staff at The Ministry of Children & Family Development it has been suggested that one of the main reasons for refusal are past and future fee increases that the Ministry deem as excessive. As parents, we've been kept well informed by the staff at CEFA and we understand that 17 other CEFA locations with similar applications have been granted approvals. It makes absolutely no sense to myself or any of the other parents, that the families at CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie be refused the same desperately needed financial relief as other families in the province.

Staff with the Ministry have explained that if the Reconsidering Committee refuses this next submission, then CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie would need to make a new application. As it stands, if the existing application is approved, the families of these three locations would receive funding that was retroactive to the initial application in April. There are 300 families in these three locations, 45% of which are under 3 and, with the remaining 55% over the age of 3. ***By declining the application for these three location the Province and Ministry are depriving 300 families of $65,000 a month in much needed financial relief. On a retroactive basis, it's over a QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS.***

On a side note, it's very obvious to me that the schools that are being denied also happen to be located in some of the most expensive real estate locations in the Province. One of the aspects that may have been overlooked by the Ministry are the ongoing lease expenses of these three locations. Commercial lease tenants typically pay triple net leases which means that they have to pay for all increases in property taxes. Without question, the three locations that you have refused to support are subject to some of the highest commercial property taxes in the Province. This burden is passed directly onto the tenants, the operators of CEFA and of course the families enrolled at CEFA. I wouldn't be surprised if a portion of the past and future fee increases that you have raised concern with were not impacted by these triple net leases. It should also be noted that the increase in real estate values in these locations was astronomical between 2015 and 2017, so too were the increases in property taxes. These are market conditions that the operators of CEFA and their families have absolutely no control over, and they definitely shouldn't be penalized for being the collateral damage of an overheated real estate market.

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It has not been lost on many of us that the locations that are being denied were also associated with media attention when the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative was announced in February 2018. I desperately hope that the Province is not withholding over $250,000 in funding simply to make a public example of these CEFA operators. It's extremely short sighted and in the end, you're only really punishing 300 families that could use all the help they can get. As I'm sure you're well aware, the availability of daycare spaces and programming is of extremely short supply. Our family has been on waiting lists for s.22 CEFA Brentwood was the only daycare we could get into. Leaving CEFA isn't an option for us and I expect it isn't for many of the other families either. Publicly punishing the operators does absolutely nothing to help the families enrolled there, especially given the lack of alternatives.

At the end of the day, I would like to emphasize that our family is extremely grateful to have a daycare that our s. can attend every day. We've been thrilled with the teachers and programming at CEFA and have generally been pleased with how the operators Karen Chan and Christine Yang manage their Brentwood location. At the end of the day, I am most grateful that I know when I leave r- 22 first thing in the morning that throughout the day he'll be loved, nurtured and cared for by the fantastic CEFA Brentwood staff. Most importantly, I know that as a parent my s. is safe at CEFA Brentwood and at the end of the day he will always come back to me. The staff and operators at CEFA, in my mind are doing an exemplary job and they should be commended for their work, not publicly penalized in a manner that directly impacts 300 families in need of financial relief.

I appreciate that the task in front of you is challenging and letters from parents like myself probably doesn't make it easier. Thank you for taking the time to review and consider this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly if there's anything here that you'd like to discuss further.

Sincerest Regards,

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 20, 2018 12:15:00 PM

A reply direct please!
Best,
Jasleen

From: s.22
Sent: July 19, 2018 9:37 PM
To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX
Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood
To Whom it May Concern
I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.
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s.22 This is what I need to do in order to take care of s.22
I do want the best for them and really like how CEFA Brentwood takes care of s.22 I wish it was more affordable and that most people have standardized access to such a daycare.
I visited a couple of daycare facilities while looking for a place for s.22 . A good criteria we used to differentiate the quality of the places was to judge the happiness of the children and teachers before looking at curriculum and facilities. The Brentwood CEFA location comes ahead by far and it is even more commendable since they do have so many children to keep happy. On the side of the teachers I do understand from the owners that the CEFA Brentwood location is on the way to become a Living Wage Employer which is commendable.
We pay s.22 per month for daycare for s.22, which I find very expensive in absolute terms but not very different than what my co-worker who lives in s.22 and pays: a bit more than s.22 for his s.22 daycare which has been approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.
If you can reduce the price you should, because based on absolute numbers the price is not different from other daycares, situated in similar real estate valued areas that had the Fee Reduction approved.
I believe that if you want to ask in return as a condition from this CEFA location, to control their future rate increases it will help the parents furthermore and sounds like a middle ground solution that is more desirable than either condition-less approval or Fee Reduction denial.
Judging the situation in black and white mode will not however help us, the average families that are struggling in an expensive city. We will need in time to find spots in other places with lower quality but more affordable prices and the really rich families will not care about the lack of subsidy and continue using CEFA Brentwood without them. It is already going that way and this fee reduction denial doesn't help it.
Thank you very much for reading my letter and do not hesitate to contact me.
Yours sincerely,

s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date: July 20, 2018 11:42:00 AM
Attachments: image001.png

A reply direct please!

From: s.22
Sent: July 19, 2018 3:45 PM
To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX ; Chen.MLA, Katrina LASS:EX
Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22 daylenesilbernagel@cefa.ca; 'Rod Hall' ;s.22
Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Children and Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood
To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in support of the letter sent to you from fellow CEFA parent, s.22 **.**

In March 2018, parents were told by CEFA that we would be receiving another tuition increase, and it was communicated to us this was necessary in order to allow CEFA to become a living wage employer and also for retention and recruitment purposes. My husband and I both work, and we are very happy with the CEFA Brentwood location, along with it's wonderful teachers, so we knew that we were not moving our s.22 nor would be able to even if we wanted to (as we had applied to s.22 daycares prior and CEFA Brentwood was the only one that contacted us back). This is sadly a case I have heard over and over again in terms of spaces.

I was very disappointed to hear that the Child Care Reduction Fee has been denied **again**, and am concerned and also confused as to why as other locations have been approved, and ours has not been. I would like to know an explanation as to why, and if this can please be reconsidered.

My husband and I have nothing but wonderful things to say about the principal and teachers at CEFA – we know that s.2 is safe every day and that s.22 is in a wonderful learning environment. We just do not wish to be punished for factors that are beyond ours and the school's control, such as operating costs, and for being proactive in being a living wage employer.

s.22

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 19, 2018 2:26:00 PM
Attachments:	CEFA Brentwood Canada Way Cambie Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative Reconsidering Committee .msg

A reply direct please!

From s.22

Sent: July 19, 2018 11:43 AM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; Minister@gov.bc.ca; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

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From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date: July 20, 2018 12:15:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 19, 2018 9:55 PM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To Whom it May Concern,

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Cambie and Canada Way, for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.

After reading s.22 e-mail (attached below), I felt empowered to send an e-mail of mine as well. There wasn't much to add to his thoughts, but I wanted to add a few personal comments.

s.22 have completed the CEFA program and s.22 at CEFA Cambie and transferring over to CEFA Canada Way, the financial burden is immense. We all want the best for our children and we found that the CEFA Early Learning program was the best. Honestly, I would settle for affordable, rather than the best, but there are no other daycares available. My s.22 is on ALL the waiting lists for daycares in my area. We registered s.22 late… when he was almost s.22 . If he didn't have a s.22 that set s.2 priority above most other kids s.2 age, s. wouldn't have made it into CEFA either. I see in the media posts, that if a day care provider has increased fees "unreasonably", the provider may be ineligible to participate, as the enhanced funding will not be passed to the parents. Yes, CEFA hiked fees after this program was announced. I would love to hit the owner where it hurts by leaving CEFA, but there is no where else to go. All we've heard back from the other daycares is whether we'd like to remain on the wait list, which we have. So while I cannot say if the increased fees were unreasonable, I can say that rejecting this application has impacted me negatively as compared to a year ago, I am now spending more at CEFA and there are still NO other options.

I do not fault the operators, Karen Chan or Christine Yang for their rate increases – they have gone above and beyond in an expensive city. At CEFA Kingsway where s.22 also operated by Karen and Christine, the roof leaked and the daycare needed to be shut down for 6-8 weeks for repairs. There was no hesitation on the operator's part. They made arrangements immediately for all the children to go to different CEFAs for the duration of the repair. They didn't have to do that. They could have closed and let us know that the daycare would resume in 8 weeks, but instead I saw contractors working on that building from sunrise to sunset to get everything fixed. I understand that rather than wait for insurance to determine if it would be covered or not, they started repairs immediately. These are operators that care. They have taken care of s.22 and provided an excellent education and preparation for their next stage in life. I wouldn't hesitate to recommend going to one of the CEFAs operated by Karen Chan or Christine Yang. What I don't understand is how 17 other CEFA locations with similar applications have been granted approvals when these 3 were denied.

I see that even the owner of CEFA, after a petition from CEFA parents, has agreed to give 100% of

her royalties from the price increases to her staff's wages. That is something I can get behind.
https://www.change.org/p/info-cefa-ca-give-cefa-ece-s-the-pay-increase-they-deserve-not-more-royalties-for-head-office
However, the application from CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way, and Cambie were still rejected – what else was wrong with the application?
I live in Vancouver, in an old house that needs constant repairs, where my property tax has gone through the roof and I am no longer eligible for a home owner's grant, through no fault of my own. I s.22
s.22 s.22
s.22 All I see in my future is shrinking income and increasing expenses. The only bit of good news was the child care fee reduction, but that's with the raise increase and rejection of CEFA Cambie/Canada Way's application, that's now a net negative as well.
Thank you for taking the time to review and consider.
Please feel free to contact to me if there is anything else that you would like to discuss further.
s.22

Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
From: s.22
Sent: July 18, 2018 5:17 PM
To: 'mcf.ccof@gov.bc.ca'
Subject: CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood
To Whom it May Concern
I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood
for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. As working parents in the urban core, s.22
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s.22 surviving the financial burden of these early years is difficult and an ongoing daily battle. Every dollar saved on a
month to month and day to day basis is vital. This is money that I know my family and the other families at CEFA
Brentwood desperately need. Withholding this funding is putting additional undue financial stress on urban families,
and conflicts with the intended purpose of the program.
I am of the understanding that CEFA Brentwood, CEFA Canada Way and CEFA Cambie have all been denied funding
approval. Speaking with staff at The Ministry of Children & Family Development it has been suggested that one of the
main reasons for refusal are past and future fee increases that the Ministry deem as excessive. As parents, we've been
kept well informed by the staff at CEFA and we understand that 17 other CEFA locations with similar

applications have
been granted approvals. It makes absolutely no sense to myself or any of the other parents, that the families at CEFA
Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie be refused the same desperately needed financial relief as other families in the
province.
Staff with the Ministry have explained that if the Reconsidering Committee refuses this next submission, then CEFA
Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie would need to make a new application. As it stands, if the existing application is
approved, the families of these three locations would receive funding that was retroactive to the initial application in
April. There are 300 families in these three locations, 45% of which are under 3 and, with the remaining 55% over the
age of 3. ***By declining the application for these three location the Province and Ministry are depriving 300 families of***
$65,000 a month in much needed financial relief. On a retroactive basis, it's over a QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS.
On a side note, it's very obvious to me that the schools that are being denied also happen to be located in some of the
most expensive real estate locations in the Province. One of the aspects that may have been overlooked by the Ministry
are the ongoing lease expenses of these three locations. Commercial lease tenants typically pay triple net leases which
means that they have to pay for all increases in property taxes. Without question, the three locations that you have
refused to support are subject to some of the highest commercial property taxes in the Province. This burden is passed
directly onto the tenants, the operators of CEFA and of course the families enrolled at CEFA. I wouldn't be surprised if a
portion of the past and future fee increases that you have raised concern with were not impacted by these triple net
leases. It should also be noted that the increase in real estate values in these locations was astronomical between 2015
and 2017, so too were the increases in property taxes. These are market conditions that the operators of CEFA and their
families have absolutely no control over, and they definitely shouldn't be penalized for being the collateral damage of
an overheated real estate market.
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It has not been lost on many of us that the locations that are being denied were also associated with media attention
when the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative was announced in February 2018. I desperately hope that the Province is
not withholding over $250,000 in funding simply to make a public example of these CEFA operators.
It's extremely short

sighted and in the end, you're only really punishing 300 families that could use all the help they can get. As I'm sure
you're well aware, the availability of daycare spaces and programming is of extremely short supply. Our family has been
on waiting lists for our s.22 CEFA Brentwood was the only daycare we
could get into. Leaving CEFA isn't an option for us and I expect it isn't for many of the other families either. Publicly
punishing the operators does absolutely nothing to help the families enrolled there, especially given the lack of
alternatives.

At the end of the day, I would like to emphasize that our family is extremely grateful to have a daycare that our s.22 can
attend every day. We've been thrilled with the teachers and programming at CEFA and have generally been pleased
with how the operators Karen Chan and Christine Yang manage their Brentwood location. At the end of the day, I am
most grateful that I know when I leave my s.2 first thing in the morning that throughout the day he'll be loved,
nurtured and cared for by the fantastic CEFA Brentwood staff. Most importantly, I know that as a parent my s.22 is safe
at CEFA Brentwood and at the end of the day s.2 will always come back to me. The staff and operators at CEFA, in my
mind are doing an exemplary job and they should be commended for their work, not publicly penalized in a manner that
directly impacts 300 families in need of financial relief.

I appreciate that the task in front of you is challenging and letters from parents like myself probably doesn't make it
easier. Thank you for taking the time to review and consider this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly if there's anything here that you'd like to discuss further.

Sincerest Regards,

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committe
Date:	July 20, 2018 3:33:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 20, 2018 1:20 PM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committe

To Whom it May Concern

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. s.22 enrolled in Cefa Brentwood. We are barely scraping by with our monthly payments for daycare. We are both employed full time and require daycares such as Cefa. We would definitely appreciate this fee reduction promised by the provincial government!! It does not make any sense to me that 17 other Cefa locations would be approved for the Child Care Fee Reduction and Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie be rejected. If this fee reduction is not applied I am afraid a large amount of the 300 families enrolled at Cefa may search for other daycare facilities that may not be up to the same standards. I fear the families may even fully withdraw their child from daycare as there are long waiting lists for other daycare facilities. This fee reduction is supposed to help families, not displace them. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to reach out to me I would be happy to share with you our families monthly expenses.

Thank You for your attention.

Cheers

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From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 20, 2018 12:19:00 PM
Attachments:	EmailToMinistry.pdf

A reply direct please!

From: s.22
Sent: July 20, 2018 11:19 AM
To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX ; Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22
Subject: RE: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To Whom It May Concern:

After hearing the news that CEFA Brentwood was, yet again, denied for the second time for the Child Care Fee Reduction Program, I feel that the parents are stuck in a hopeless position. I agree with s.22 email (see attached) that withholding this funding not only conflicts with the intended purpose of the program, but it also puts a lot of financial stress on families. Child Care is already expensive as it is and finding child care space is also a challenge in itself. Working families have very limited options in terms of finding affordable care – not to mention finding one that we feel comfortable with that would provide a safe and nurturing environment for our kids.

Based on s.22 email and speaking to other CEFA families, we hope that the Ministry of Children & Family Development can reconsider approving the application for the CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way, and Cambie locations and provide the much needed funding to the 300 families that have been impacted.

Sincerely,
s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 19, 2018 2:16:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 19, 2018 10:17 AM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; Minister@gov.bc.ca; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Childern & Family Development

Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

Regarding: CEFA Early Learning-Brentwood

To Whom it May Concern

We are writing in support of s.22 petition that he has started for us at the Cefa Brentwood location.

Our family has s.22 and the increase in tuition has caused added financial stress not only to us but many families throughout. Having this reduction approved by the government would have significant positive impacts for 300 families in these 3 CEFA locations that were previously denied: CEFA Brentwood, CEFA Canada Way, and CEFA Cambie.

Many parents, like ourselves are feeling troubled that 17 other CEFA locations were granted approvals when only 3 locations, as mentioned above were not approved. There was no significant reason given to us, parents when we are the ones who are greatly impacted the most. We all need the same financial relief as all the other families that were approved for the grants. As s.22 stated, our geographical locations are highly influenced in the decision making and it seems unjust as we don't have control over the blooming real estate market. In the end, the commercial tenants, operators of CEFA, and us- the families, are candidly impacted.

Finding child care space let alone being accepted is quite difficult. Our s.22 was on the waitlist for several different locations. CEFA was one of the few daycares that actually accepts babies s.22 s.22 . Thus, we didn't hesitate to enroll our child at the time who was just s.22 . As we mark the upcoming s.22 , I can only emphasize how much my s.2 has grown to love each day spent with s.2 classmates and teachers. s.2 has already learned and has grown so much. We are so grateful and blessed to have our s.2 attend a place where s. is so loved and well taken care of. We have established great trust with CEFA Brentwood.

Each family has their own reason why they chose CEFA Brentwood for their child or children and leaving CEFA Brentwood may not be an easy option for many of us. Please take the time to re-consider this appeal for all the 300 families that this will have a great impact on.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date:	July 20, 2018 11:42:00 AM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 19, 2018 3:52 PM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development

Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood

To Whom it May Concern

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Cambie for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. As a s.22 core, finding a quality licensed daycare for my s.2 which has availability was quite the challenge and I was lucky enough to secure a spot here thanks to a family connection. I have been very thankful for this spot as it has allowed me to go s.22 though rising costs of daycare have constantly plagued me with questions about whether it still makes financial sense. When news of the childcare fee reduction initiative was announced, I was relieved and happy that finally something was being done to help working families, and my assumption was that every daycare would receive it. I want to express my extreme disappointment and concern to hear the news that CEFA Brentwood, CEFA Canada Way and CEFA Cambie have all been denied funding approval, especially given that 17 other cefa locations have all received their approval. What sets us apart? How is it fair for them to receive funding when we will not?

I would like to understand what the motivations are behind this decision, but moreover I would ask you to seriously re-consider your initial decision and ultimately approve the funding. Your decision will affect hundreds of parents and their ability to remain in the workforce and cope with the rising costs of living in Vancouver.

Sincerely,

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering
Date:	July 20, 2018 3:33:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 20, 2018 12:48 PM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; manugent@gmail.com

Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering

Hello there;

I believe s.22 has sent an earlier email regarding CEFA and I would like to voice my support. My s.22 just started CEFA Canada way just s.22 . This care is enabling myself or my wife to continue working. Knowing s.2 is well taken care of and educated goes a long way to reducing stress. We are boths.22 with s.22 ; and even with decent jobs we are struggling with the high cost of living.

It really does seem unfair when we're paying just the same (or more) taxes than the average family; and yet we are left out. I am sure the other families are in very similar situations.

At the very least; may we know the reason for the funding denial?

Thank you and regards,

s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date: July 20, 2018 12:17:00 PM
Attachments: image001.png

A reply direct please!

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 20, 2018 8:13 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

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From: s.22
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 3:45 PM
To: Child Care Operating Fund, MCF MCF:EX; Chen.MLA, Katrina
Cc: Minister, MCF C MCF:EX; Minister, CC C MCF:EX; karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22 daylenesilbernagel@cefa.ca; 'Rod Hall'; s.22
Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To: Ministry of Children and Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: CEFA Early Learning – Brentwood
To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in support of the letter sent to you from fellow CEFA parent, s.22

In March 2018, parents were told by CEFA that we would be receiving another tuition increase, and it was communicated to us this was necessary in order to allow CEFA to become a living wage employer and also for retention and recruitment purposes. My husband and I both work, and we are very happy with the CEFA Brentwood location, along with it's wonderful teachers, so we knew that we were not moving our s.22 , nor would be able to even if we wanted to (as we had applied to s.22 daycares prior and CEFA Brentwood was the only one that contacted us back). This is sadly a case I have heard over and over again in terms of spaces.

I was very disappointed to hear that the Child Care Reduction Fee has been denied **again**, and am concerned and also confused as to why as other locations have been approved, and ours has not been. I would like to know an explanation as to why, and if this can please be reconsidered.

My husband and I have nothing but wonderful things to say about the principal and teachers at CEFA – we know that s.2 is safe every day and that s.2 is in a wonderful learning environment. We just do not wish to be punished for factors that are beyond ours and the school's control, such as operating costs, and for being proactive in being a living wage employer.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

s.22

s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee
Date: July 19, 2018 2:25:00 PM
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A reply direct please!
Quick note! there was a response provided to the CO for Karen Gray and the label on the envelope stated the Honorable Jane Routledge – the MLA is Janet Routledge and she's not a minister so just ensuring those little details are checked.

From: s.22
Sent: July 19, 2018 11:32 AM
To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX
Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: CEFA Brentwood / Canada Way / Cambie - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Reconsidering Committee

To whom it may concern,
As a parent at the CEFA Brentwood location I support the CCOF for CEFA Brentwood as the funding will help 300 families in the Community.
However, I think that their fee increases of 12% in March 2018 in the opportune time right before funding was announced was not fair to the parents when in the past they have only increased 2% in Sept 2017. So I plead you to advocate for parents to ensure that CEFA decreases their fees (or at least not increase them by 12%) so that the CCOF funding is actually a gain for parents and local economy and not just 2 CEFA franchise owners and ultimately the ONE shareholder of CEFA Systems.
This has been a heart wrenching situation for our family. The fee increases that CEFA have made on our family coupled with the real estate prices we can barely make ends meet with our large mortgage payments and increasing property taxes in s.22 . These fee increases and CCOF not getting approved are making us reconsider whether it's better for me to stay home with the kids which is not a benefit to the local economy as I'm know that the CCOF initiative is supposed to support families to help parents go back to work to contribute to the local economy after mat/pat leave.
Let me know if there is anything I can do to advocate for the parents.
Thank you for your support.
s.22

s.22

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: CFD – Signed Decision Letter
Date:	July 16, 2018 3:53:00 PM
Attachments:	d CFD - ECE Compensation signed DL.pdf ATT00001.htm

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:53 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: CFD – Signed Decision Letter

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Bond, Allison MCF:EX" <Allison.Bond@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 16, 2018 at 2:23:22 PM PDT
> **To:** "Massey, Christine MCF:EX" <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>, "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: FW: CFD – Signed Decision Letter**
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> **From:** Rempel, Lindsay FIN:EX **On Behalf Of** MacLennan, Alex FIN:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 2:12 PM
> **To:** Bond, Allison MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Twyford, Philip MCF:EX; Crocker, Janet FIN:EX
> **Subject:** CFD – Signed Decision Letter
> Please find attached a signed decision letter from the Chair of Treasury Board. A hard copy has been sent to your Minister's office.
> Treasury Board Staff

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date: July 17, 2018 2:21:00 PM

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

s.13

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:41 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Good additions.

Aileen Machell

Issues Manager

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:40 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

This looks good to me, couple suggestions in bold

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

One update – I shortened the wage piece. See highlighted section below.

Aileen Machell

Issues Manager

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Please check for accuracy and flag any concerns. Thanks.

BC liberal says government's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response?

That suggestion is false. In fact, spaces will increase under our plan. Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to

model affordable childcare at a maximum of $200/month. **For too long, there has been a childcare crisis in this province and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for BC families.**

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2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?

Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to **$350 a month child**, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that (add in percentage) of providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. While I can't comment on the specifics of a survey without seeing the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:25 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Happy to do that

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:21 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Alongside the statement if it is possible to offer up Minister Chen reaching out if they feel they need an audio recording in mandarin.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 12:30 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Importance: High

Hi both,
We've had a first request for a response to the BC Liberals statement that went out earlier. I know that you're working on a response at the moment. How would you like to approach this request? Deadline is 3pm today.
Thank you,
Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Reporter

Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
jiawenx@hotmail.com
778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?
2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?
3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Child Care Roundtable w/ Minister Katrina Chen
Date: July 26, 2018 2:56:00 PM

FYI - let us know what would be best to set up

-----Original Message-----
From: Singh, Balkaran [mailto:Balkaran.Singh@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 26, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Child Care Roundtable w/ Minister Katrina Chen

Hi, Niki... Jasleen.

Hope you're both well.

Rachel Chernoff, one of the attendees of the Daycare roundtable in ND, said that MKC expressed interest in connecting with Ms Chernoff again regarding inclusion and supporting the Indigenous community. She wasn't sure of how to initiate contact so she just emailed our office. Thought I'd forward it to you both.

> Rachel Penner Chernoff
> ASCD/SCD Coordinator and Respite Coordinator
> Reach Child and Youth Development Society
> 604.946.6622 ext. 318
> rachelc@reachchild.org

Have a great summer.

Best,
Balkaran
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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Childcare Op-ed
Date:	July 20, 2018 10:05:00 AM
Attachments:	A Farewell to Inaccessible Childcare.docx

FYI – I'm providing feedback soon

From: Wall, Selina [mailto:Selina.Wall@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 20, 2018 9:28 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Childcare Op-ed

Hi Jasleen,

Can you please take a look at the attached piece? We are looking to publish on BC Matters early next week. Let me know if you think there should be any changes.

Happy Friday!!!!

Thank you,

Selina Wall | Research and Communications Officer | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: childcare opportunity - Lytton
Date:	July 16, 2018 2:36:00 PM
Attachments:	IN_Lytton Kumsheen Consolidation.docx

Can we connect accordingly?
Best,
Jasleen

From: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Sent: July 9, 2018 4:21 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: childcare opportunity - Lytton

Hi Jasleen,

As discussed in June - below are the contacts for two groups in Lytton that could be approached for possible childcare options.

Background:

Two schools in the town of Lytton - which is predominantly indigenous - is consolidating two schools into one as there is very low enrollment in the district. This difficult decision made by the school board was opposed by the community group (nkshAytkn Caring for our Children Committee) who instead argued that a new school should be built that could offer a community centre, childcare etc. Unfortunately given the lack of enrollment in the area or seismic concerns a new school build in Lillooet is very low on ministry priorities across the province.

The school district has gone ahead with their plan to close the elementary school and consolidate all the students into the K-12 school. This leaves an empty building open for potential use.

I have briefed both groups on our ministry's position around capital for new schools.

MRF has expressed hope that govt can work with the community and possibly utilise the SD space and new childcare capital to provide needed services in the old school location or somewhere else in the community.

Contacts for the School Districts – Board Chair: Valerie Adrian - vadrian@sd74.bc.ca
Contacts for the NkshAytkn Community Committee – lead organizer: Gloria Raphael - gloraphael@gmail.com

I have also attached our IN that has some helpful context. Thanks again Jasleen!

W

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Will Maartman
Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Education
778-679-4952

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Complaints about ECE license process
Date:	July 4, 2018 11:57:00 AM

Hi Rhea,

A reply direct please.

Best,

Jasleen

From: s.22

Sent: June 29, 2018 10:58 PM

To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX

Cc: Farnworth.MLA, Mike LASS:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX

Subject: Complaints about ECE license process

Dear Honourable Katrine Conroy,

s.22

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Constituent Issue
Date:	July 6, 2018 4:25:00 PM
Attachments:	20180706160223447.pdf image003.png image002.png

Reply direct please!

From: McLeod, Joshua [mailto:Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 6, 2018 4:24 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Constituent Issue

Here you are.

Josh

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 11:01 AM
To: McLeod, Joshua <Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Constituent Issue

Hey Josh,

Hope you're well.

Do you happen to have consent? I think a response directly to the writer might be best.

Best,

Jasleen

From: McLeod, Joshua [mailto:Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 9:27 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Constituent Issue

Hello Jasleen,

Could you look into the below for me?

As you know we (school district 49) received a capital grant ànd are building a daycare next to the highschool here.

The plan was to open in Sept...but..this type of construction does not move as fast as one would like, esp in a place like Bella Coola.

You are likely also aware of the call for Expressions of Interest to become Prototype sites...We have done some work on an application to this program and can have the application in by the Monday deadline,

However...

We have been told by Ministry staff that we are NOT eligible..becàuse our new Infant Toddler and 3 year old spaces wont won't be lisenced until late August...

Sd#49 has operated a daycare for 4year olds for over 10 years. We have not charged anything because it was very apparent that many of our children (esp Nuxalk children) need a quality preschool experience and would likely not attend if the was a charge..even if it was subsidized so we are an experienced and financially stable daycare provider

BUT

not considered so by the Prototype criteria because we are not have not opted into the new fee

reduction program ....because parents already pay $0...should we not be rewarded rather than punished for this ?

Bottom line...I have carefully read the federal -provincial agreementand in Priority #2 it clearly states that NEW providers WILL be eligible for the Prototype Site Program...so my question is why are the Provincial Criteria blocking us from submitting our application when the language in the ELCC clearly allows for new providers to apply?

I am not sure if there is anything you can do to help us out here but your advice would be appreciated.

We are proceeding with completing the application...a LOT of work...and we plan to submit it ...with the hope that we will be considered eligible...

Thanks in advance

I can be reached at s.22 s.22

s.22 *..because there is no other option!!*

s.22



Joshua McLeod

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Constituent Question - Reply Direct
Date: July 24, 2018 2:54:00 PM

A reply direct to the constituent as mentioned in the email please!
Thanks,
Jasleen

From: Dean.MLA, Mitzi [mailto:Mitzi.Dean.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 24, 2018 2:51 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Constituent Question - Reply Direct
Hello Jasleen,
s.22

Thank you for your help on this and please let me know if you have any questions.
Thank you,
Andrew
Constituency Assistant (pronouns: he, him, his) to Mitzi Dean, MLA for Esquimalt-Metchosin
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We acknowledge that the Esquimalt-Metchosin constituency is part of the Coast Salish Community and that we operate on the unceded lands of the Lekwungen, Sc'ianew, and Kosapsum Nations.

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Correspondence from Kathy Sager: RE
Date:	July 11, 2018 3:28:00 PM
Attachments:	Letter to Minister Chen.pdf image001.png

Can we have someone provide a phone call? Seems like there may be a misunderstanding re: the below

From: Mungall.MLA, Michelle [mailto:Michelle.Mungall.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 11, 2018 3:24 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Correspondence from Kathy Sager: RE

Hi Jasleen,

As discussed. My constituent Kathy Sager operates a multi-age child care centre, and has written the Minister a few times now asking for a change in legislation so that licensed multi-age centres (licensed for up to 8 children and located in the licensee's residence) that are currently categorized as family care and as such received less base funding and less parent fee reductions could be categorized instead as group care- and receive more funding. Licensed centers that accept only children aged 3-5 (not the younger children that the multi-age centres accept) but that also care for up to 8 children and are located in the licensee's residence are categorized as group care and as such receive more base funding and more parent fee reductions.

I have attached the most recient letter Kathy sent to the Minister on this matter for your reference as she explains in great detail what she would like to see changed.

Kathy currently runs a licensed mulit- age program in the Nelson area, and unless legislation is changed so she can receive the same funding as a group care centre she will simply stop taking the younger kids and then be able to apply for the group care license and receive more funding without making any other changes to her childcare centre. Without legislative changes she plans to change her liscence and stop taking the younger kids as of next January. The current system provides a disincentive for child care providers to have a multi-age license if their centre is in their home as they would not qualify for as much funding as they would if they only offer care for children aged 3-5.

She is also starting to contact other multi-age child care providers across the province to get them to mount a campaign on this issue.

The response received from the Ministry dated June 19th did not address these concerns and instead explained the why the licenses are structured as they are. While her centre provides care for only 8 children she does staff an additional certified ECE, even though care is provided in her home. The main issue she raises is that if she stopped taking the younger kids she would qualify for more funding than she does under the current legislation as a multi-age provider. Why do providers who provide care for up to 8 children in their own home who have a group care license (limiting them to care for children in the age 3-5 age range) qualify for group funding while those who choose to take younger kids and have a multi age license, but also provide care for up to 8 children in their own home qualify only for family care funding.

I get the sense that if the ministry was to contact her again and thank her for her input and let her know that the issue is being looked into and change may be possible that is what she is looking for- along with eventually the change in policy.

Further, if a policy change in this area is being considered, what would the timeline be?
You may contact Kathy directly at s.22
Warm regards,

Tessa Bendig
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX
Subject: FW: Day Care Centre
Date: July 23, 2018 11:45:00 AM

Hey Lucinda!

I hope you're doing well and enjoying the sunshine!

Just wanted to pass along the below.

Best,
Jasleen

-----Original Message-----
From: Reid.MLA, Linda [mailto:Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 23, 2018 11:18 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Day Care Centre

Hi Jasleen,

Can you please let me know the answer to this question a constituent sent our office?

Thank you.

Will Zylmans
Constituency Assistant to MLA Linda Reid

-----Original Message-----
From: s.13
Sent: Sunday, July 22, 2018 7:42 PM
To: Reid.MLA, Linda <Linda.Reid.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: s.13
Subject: Day Care Centre - Urgent Request

s.13

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Day Care Centre
Date: July 23, 2018 11:26:00 AM

Hi Rhea,

Reply direct - considering health's role

Best,
Jasleen

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From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Daycare Space in North Burnaby
Date:	July 16, 2018 9:56:00 AM

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 11:23 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Daycare Space in North Burnaby

Froms.22
Date: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 at 6:07 PM
To: "Chen.MLA, Katrina"
Subject: Daycare Space in North Burnaby

Hi Katrina,

I am writing to inquire about daycare spaces in Burnaby. Back in December I had read an article in the Burnaby Now (http://www.burnabynow.com/news/burnaby-to-get-171-new-child-care-spaces-1.23113688) indicating that some daycares s.22 s.22 are to receive funding to create more spaces. Is there a timeline to this funding or a deadline for which these daycares need to create space? I am particularly stressed as there is a huge lack of available daycare space for my family (specifically, before and after school care) in our neighbourhood. The previous Liberal government had promised after school care on site at every school and as we all know, that campaign promise never came to fruition. I have s.22 children and many years of daycare (10!) ahead of me so the lack of available spaces in our neighbourhood is a huge concern for me. s.22 children are on multiple wait lists (over a year!) for before and after school care with little hope of us gaining a spot. We require both parents to work to afford living in Burnaby and we need solutions. I look forward to your reply.

Regards,
s.22

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Expense authority etc. w[s.22]
Date: July 16, 2018 4:25:00 PM
Importance: High

FYI

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 4:00 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Expense authority etc. w[s.22]

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 3:48 PM
To: White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Expense authority etc. w[s.22]

Hi all, I had a good chat with Saija today about covering off expenses, proactive releases etc.[s.22]
[s.22] The main thing is she is going to get Alisma set up as an expense authority and Time/Leave authority to do anything that needs doing[s.22] – Emily you will see emails from her on that.

The Proactive releases she said can probably wait [s.22]
Any travel claim that needs doing for Alisma and Edena, Emily can do as long as under $1000.
Saija recommends that for the PNWER week international claims, that she come over and do with them with you Emily for MKC and Kaitlin for Edena, as they can be complicated.
And now that Niki is a Senior MA, she will be doing all the expense authority/time and leave/proactive release work for MSKC, so that is off my plate!
Paula

Paula Gunn
Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development
British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: FINAL One Year Package Attached
Date:	July 17, 2018 10:19:00 AM
Attachments:	20180716_SP_Stump Speech_One Year_Final.docx 20180716_KM Guide_One Year_Final.docx

FYI

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 10:10 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: FINAL One Year Package Attached

Hello everyone,

I'm very pleased to wish you all a happy 1 year anniversary of our government (minus a day). Together, we've accomplished so much in such a short time. And we're just getting started.

Attached are a couple of documents to help your Minister talk about what we've done over the last year – a stump speech and key message guide. Please share with your Minister. These documents will be going to CDs as well.

Thanks very much,

Sage Aaron, Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 778-678-0832

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: FINAL: LTE Universal Care
Date:	July 18, 2018 11:59:00 AM
Attachments:	LTE_Universal Care_July 17 2018_FINAL.pdf

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 10:39 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: FINAL: LTE Universal Care
Try again… here's the PDF of the correct letter this time. Apologies for the muddle!
Brendan

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:02 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FINAL: LTE Universal Care
Hi both,
Just sending across the final version of the LTE so that you've got it for your records. Sending over to TC shortly.
Thanks,
Brendan
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Brendan Wright
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents
Date: July 26, 2018 11:01:00 AM

I wanted to flag this one for you. Will Maartman had some thoughts on this one and would appreciate any follow ups once Christine has an update.

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Sent: July 23, 2018 3:27 PM
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: FW: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents

Can we look into any alternatives? Education has a few thoughts - perhaps SD62?

https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/victoria-school-district-looks-to-create-more-space-for-child-care-1.4756177?platform=hootsuite

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I don't see any issues with the message itself, but this is part of a broader on-going issue. Our program team is aware and has been working with Education to support affected providers. I haven't seen much in the media, but sending over for your information. I'll check in with Education to see if they have any messaging.

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-----Original Message-----
From: KOSC Program Manager [mailto:koscpm@telus.net]
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:59 AM
To: Capital Funding, MCF Child Care MCF:EX
Cc: Liana Tupper; Christopher Menu; Albert Law; Nigel McNabb
Subject: Communication to parents

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Here is the text of our communication:

"UPDATE ON KOSC EXPANSION

Hello KOSC Families,

We have an update on the development of 65 new spaces for Keating Out of School Care's program, using the funds we have been awarded through the Ministry of Children and Family Development's Major Capital Funding Grant.

The School District has been extraordinarily helpful in this project, offering and provisioning space in the lower parking lot to install the four new modular units KOSC is purchasing to expand its program. We were hoping the new buildings could be delivered in time for the 2018-2019 school year, but the recent court ruling on class size limitations has had schools across the province ordering similar structures all at the same time, and the backlog of several thousand portable orders means that delivery for KOSC's purchase will not be possible until 2019. While we would have liked to have had them delivered immediately and in place for this September, the limited capacity of the manufacturer to build portables to meet the demand has imposed this unavoidable delay on our project schedule.

We should be receiving the new portables in the spring of 2019, getting it equipped and ready over the that summer, with the newly expanded program in effect for the 2019-2020 school year.

Thank you for all the expressions of support from the KOSC community, and we will share news as it develops over the coming year.

Sincerely,

KOSC Board of Directors"

Please let me know if there are any changes you require, or if we can go ahead and send it out via email and post on our website. As I said, we have lots of families who need to know what is happening as soon as possible, so I am hoping that we can get approval quickly.

Thanks,

Rachel Yukich
Program Manager
Keating Out of School Care
office: (250) 652-5546 fax: (250) 652-1136

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The School District has been extraordinarily helpful in this project, offering and provisioning space in the lower parking lot to install the four new modular units KOSC is purchasing to expand its program. We were hoping the new buildings could be delivered in time for the 2018-2019 school year, but the recent court ruling on class size limitations has had schools across the province ordering similar structures all at the same time, and the backlog of several thousand portable orders means that delivery for KOSC's purchase will not be possible until 2019. While we would have liked to have had them delivered immediately and in place for this September, the limited capacity of the manufacturer to build portables to meet the demand has imposed this unavoidable delay on our project schedule.

We should be receiving the new portables in the spring of 2019, getting it equipped and ready over the that summer, with the newly expanded program in effect for the 2019-2020 school year.

Thank you for all the expressions of support from the KOSC community, and we will share news as it develops over the coming year.

Sincerely,

KOSC Board of Directors"

Please let me know if there are any changes you require, or if we can go ahead and send it out via email and post on our website. As I said, we have lots of families who need to know what is happening as soon as possible, so I am hoping that we can get approval quickly.

Thanks,

Rachel Yukich
Program Manager
Keating Out of School Care
office: (250) 652-5546 fax: (250) 652-1136

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To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOR QUOTE APPROVAL -- BCEHS news release - more paramedics for Trail
Date: July 23, 2018 2:00:00 PM
Attachments: 20180719_NR_More paramedics for Trail_DRAFT.docx

Any thoughts?

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: July 23, 2018 12:35 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOR QUOTE APPROVAL -- BCEHS news release - more paramedics for Trail

Hi Jasleen. Attached is a NR from BCEHS for 9:30 a.m. on Wed. It includes a quote from Minister Conroy, to be approved.

Thanks,

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Subject:	FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Interview request for Douglas Magazine
Date:	July 11, 2018 3:29:00 PM
Attachments:	Douglas Magazine QA v2.docx
Importance:	High

Meant to be for interview

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX ; White, Emily MCF:EX ; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Interview request for Douglas Magazine
Importance: High

Hi Paula & Jasleen,

Finance have sent over bullets for the Minister of State's interview with Douglas Magazine, scheduled for tomorrow at 1pm. These were all previously approved for a speech that Minister James delivered, and we've also pulled some previously approved messaging to speak to the Quebec child care plan.

Let me know if you have any concerns/edits.

Thank you,

Kirsten

Reporter

Susan Hollis, Other
Douglas Magazine
shollis@pageonepublishing.ca
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Deadline Wednesday, July 11, 2018 4:00 PM

Request

Reporter is requesting 5/10 minute interview with Minister Chen to talk about:

- The effect that the child care crisis has on the workforce, poverty, family well-being and the economy?
- Public reception to allocating tax money to child care?
- What we have learnt from other jurisdictions/governments that has shaped the current child care plan?

Background

Recommendation

See attached

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date: July 17, 2018 2:39:00 PM

I've provided thoughts, see below in the meantime.

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 2:38 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Hi all,
Here's an updated version of the response, reviewed by Christine. I've tried to capture feedback so far.
Let me know if you're happy with this response.
Thanks,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Reporter
Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
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778-558-8197
Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request
BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?
That suggestion is false. In fact, spaces will increase under our plan.
For too long, there has been a child care crisis in this province, and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for B.C. families. Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. We held our first information session for this funding this week, with almost 70 child care providers joining to learn more about the program.
In June, we also expanded our Childcare BC Maintenance Fund, which provides funding for providers to carry out repairs and maintain existing spaces. We have already received around 160 applications, and provided more than $400,000 in funding to ensure that child care providers can continue to provide quality care to families in their communities. We also launched Start-up Grants, which will support unlicensed providers to become licensed and allow them to care for more children.
In addition, we are working on a plan to increase the number of child care workers to ensure the

new spaces are staffed. We know that wages for the child care sector are a major issue, and I can assure you that we are working on it and more details will be available in the coming months.
We continue to work with partners across government and other key stakeholders as we work to bring universal child care to B.C.

2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?
Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to 350 a month, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?
Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that 85% of eligible providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. So far, more than 47,000 licensed child care spaces have been approved for fee reductions. We're also receiving new applications for providers who are looking to receive Child Care Operating Funding for the first time, so that they can participate in the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.
While I can't comment on the specifics of a survey without seeing the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Date: July 16, 2018 3:42:00 PM
Attachments: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 5pg.docx

What do you think?

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:36 PM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; White, Emily MCF:EX ; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX ; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX ; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

Kirsten, I just reworked the last sentence to reflect a more general "learning from other jurisdictions" sentiment. Should be no increase in words! Jasleen, are you good with this? It's going out under MSKC's name.

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 3:06 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
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Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

This one is 250 words – on the nose.

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Looks good to me – is there room to put in the 85% opt in rate for the fee reduction? I would ideally like to say that in making our childcare plan we made sure we learned from other cc models …

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 1:47 PM
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Subject: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

Hi All,

Here's the draft LTE on yesterday's TC column, for your review and approval. Maximum word count for letters is 250. This one is at 230.

Thanks,

Kirsten

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Friday invitees
Date: July 4, 2018 1:48:00 PM

FYI from Selina's office..

From: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX
Sent: July 4, 2018 1:40 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Friday invitees

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Friday: Announcement
Date: July 3, 2018 3:00:00 PM

How does this sound?
Karen can we talk today?

From: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 2:56 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Friday: Announcement

Hey Jasleen,
So I think we'll be good for MSR to attend. Waiting on a few things. An emcee opportunity would be great. If you need her to she's happy to fill that role since Rick is unavailable. We'll have to leave right at 9:30AM though. Again though waiting to confirm her current 9:30AM meeting is pushed by to 10:00AM, but I think it will be fine.

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 11:35 AM
To: Farnworth.MLA, Mike LASS:EX; Robinson.MLA, Selina LASS:EX; Glumac.MLA, Rick LASS:EX
Cc: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX; Pecora, Talea PSSG:EX
Subject: Friday: Announcement

Hello all,
We're going to have an announcement around funding for new childcare spaces on Friday. It will be taking place 9-9:30 am at Step by Step: 960 Lillian St, Coquitlam BC V3J 5C7.
Please let us know if you can join!
Best,
Jasleen

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Bond, Allison MCF:EX
Cc:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items
Date:	July 24, 2018 10:29:00 AM

Hi Alison,
Wanted to flag the below – communication from MCFD and MIRR would be appreciated.
Happy to chat via phone.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Elizabeth Cull [mailto:Elizabeth.Cull@hkstrategies.ca]
Sent: July 23, 2018 9:38 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Hi, Jasleen. I got Paula's s.22 email this evening.

s.13

Elizabeth

From: Elizabeth Cull
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 9:34 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Hi, Paula. I'm forwarding you this email to make sure you're in the loop on what's happening with Huu-ay-aht.

s.13

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Elizabeth

From: Rob Botterell <rbotterell@telus.net>
Sent: Friday, July 13, 2018 7:21 AM
To: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX; Donaldson, Nedinska IRR:EX
Cc: Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX; Robert Dennis; Kathy Waddell; Trudy Warner; Kim Baird; Rob Botterell; A House; Maegen Giltrow; Maria.Coley@gov.bc.ca; Sheila Charles; Jennifer Dehoney
Subject: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items
Denise and Nedinska,

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Please contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Thank you.

Rob Botterell

Cell 778-866-2936

> On Jul 11, 2018, at 9:40 PM, Rob Botterell <rbotterell@telus.net> wrote:
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> Denise and Nedinska,

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>>>> Begin forwarded message:
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>>>> From: "Damaso, Joseph (AADNC/AANDC)" <joseph.damaso@canada.ca>
>>>> Subject: DRAFT: Working Copy of Huu-ay-aht Recommendations Funding Table
>>>> Date: April 19, 2018 at 2:49:46 PM PDT
>>>> To: "'Devenny, Denise MCF:EX'" <Denise.Devenny@gov.bc.ca>, "'Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX'" <Tiffany.Hamilton@gov.bc.ca>
>>>> Cc: 'Rob Botterell' <rbotterell@telus.net>, Kim Baird s.22 >, Kathy Waddell <kathy.w@huuayaht.org>, "MacDonald, Jean (AADNC/AANDC)" <jean.macdonald@canada.ca>, "McArthur, William (AADNC/AANDC)" <william.mcarthur@canada.ca>
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>>>> Hi Denise and Tiffany,
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>>>> As promised, attached is a copy of the spreadsheet that contains HFN's 30 recommendations. This spreadsheet resulted from the bilateral workout between HFN and ISC on April 13, 2018. We took all of the recommendations and discussed possible sources of funding, where funding is identified in the recommendations. This workout was conducted subsequent to HFN presenting their project and recommendations to ISC's ADM of Indigenous Services and Director General of Children and Families Branch in HQ on March 29th and subsequent to their request for pilot funding.
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>>>> Both HFN and ISC acknowledge that the workout was done without the presence of BC and understand that this document is a starting point for conversation, particularly where BC is identified as a source of funding.
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>>>> Rob et al.,
>>>> Please feel free to add anything that I might have missed.
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>>>> See you all tomorrow,
>>>>
>>>> Joseph Damaso MA

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>>> On Jun 12, 2018, at 4:54 PM, Devenny, Denise MCF:EX <Denise.Devenny@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> Hi folks. My sincerest apologies to everyone for the late notice but the BC team is suggesting to either reschedule or cancel our workplanning meeting on Thursday. There are a couple of reasons for this: most of our MIRR colleagues will not be able to attend the meeting, but more significantly, there is internal work that the BC team is needing more time to fully address in order to continue making effective progress on this important work.
>
> Thank you Rob for circulating a draft agenda. BC may request some additions or changes as we approach the next meeting date. At this point we'd appreciate hearing from Huu-ay-aht whether you would like us to try finding a time to reschedule this meeting, or whether you prefer to cancel this meeting and resume with our next scheduled workplanning meeting on July 12.
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> I appreciate your understanding and again, apologize for the late notice and cancellation.
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> Denise Devenny
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Darcy.MLA, Judy LASS:EX
Cc: Scott, Samantha AG:EX
Subject: FW: ICBC casework
Date: July 4, 2018 4:40:00 PM
Attachments: s.22

Hi Keefer,
I am no longer in the Attorney General's office but my lovely colleague Samantha will be able to assist!
Thanks,
Jasleen

From: Darcy.MLA, Judy [mailto:Judy.Darcy.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 4, 2018 4:34 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: ICBC casework

Hello Jasleen,
We had a constituent who visited our office who had a strange case involving ICBC. s.22
s.22

I'm not entirely sure how to proceed with this case. Is there anyone who would be better to speak to about this or who could reach out the to the mother to clarify the situation? I've attached a consent form s.22 with her contact info on it.
Sorry if this isn't the appropriate office to reach out to, but thank you for any assistance or advice you could provide.
-Keefer
Keefer Pelech | Constituency Assistant to
Hon. Judy Darcy, MLA for New Westminster
604-775-2101 | 301-625 Fifth Ave New Westminster, BC V3M 1X4

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: incoming from Wayne Robertson - Provincial Child Care Council
Date:	July 17, 2018 3:56:00 PM
Attachments:	Prov CC Council.pdf

I believe I've actioned!

From: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 3:50 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: incoming from Wayne Robertson - Provincial Child Care Council

Here it is Jasleen!

Cheers,

Edena

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 11:15 AM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX; CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Brown, Kendra MCF:EX
Subject: incoming from Wayne Robertson - Provincial Child Care Council

Hi Jasleen and Edena,

Attached is a scanned letter we rec'd via blue bag, addressed to both Ministers.

Over to you both to determine response.

Thanks,

Rhea

Rhea Kuharic | Manager | Client Relations | Executive Operations | T: 778 698-8845 | M: 778 676-7544

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.
Date: July 18, 2018 11:57:00 AM
Attachments: SN_MSKC_New Spaces Fund_July 6 2018_FINAL.docx
QA_New Spaces Fund_July 6 2018_DRAFT 5.docx

Christine also getting an updated table

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.

Hi Jasleen,

Just further to my note below, looking through the capital materials from earlier this month, I had included the 47,000 spaces in the speaking notes and QA (though I think the Minister said 45,000 on the day).

These were approved by program at the time so no issue with using this when we talk about CCFRI.

Brendan

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Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 11:10 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
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The 47,000 number was sent over by Steve Yong (from our numbers/analytic team) just before the capital announcement early this month, so is a more recent number than what Christine has.

She has just sent a request for an update on the CCFRI so I may have some new numbers before this interview.

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 10:41 AM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
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Thanks Brendan, appreciate it!

Wondering about the 47,000 spaces approved? This has gone through Christine?

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Thanks,
Brendan

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> > **Date:** July 17, 2018 at 7:43:16 PM PDT
> > **To:** "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject: FW: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.**
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> > Hi Brendan, Cherie
> > Please see the interview questions below.
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> > Thanks,
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Charlene

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Cc:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.
Date:	July 18, 2018 10:38:00 AM
Attachments:	OMNI Interview July 18.docx

FYI
Likely helpful to speak to Karen/Christine prior to your interview today to clarify numbers?

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To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Invitation to MoH event (Heart and Stroke funding) - August 1 at 10 a.m
Date:	July 26, 2018 1:26:00 PM
Attachments:	QA_FAST_funding_Jul26_938am.docx
Importance:	High

From: van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX
Sent: July 26, 2018 12:38 PM
s.17

Cc: Robinson.MLA, Selina LASS:EX ; Kahlon.MLA, Ravi LASS:EX ; Brar.MLA, Jagrup LASS:EX ; Begg.MLA, Garry LASS:EX ; Bains.MLA, Harry LASS:EX ; Sims.MLA, Jinny LASS:EX ; Routledge.MLA, Janet LASS:EX ; Kang.MLA, Anne LASS:EX ; Glumac.MLA, Rick LASS:EX ; Chen.MLA, Katrina LASS:EX ; D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX ; Darcy.MLA, Judy LASS:EX ; Chouhan.MLA, Raj LASS:EX ; Singh.MLA, Rachna LASS:EX ; Beare.MLA, Lisa LASS:EX ; Farnworth.MLA, Mike LASS:EX
Subject: Invitation to MoH event (Heart and Stroke funding) - August 1 at 10 a.m
Good morning!
I would like to invite you to join Health Minister Adrian Dix in New Westminster tomorrow. The media advisory states this is an event to learn more about stroke awareness.
For you to know, this event will announce that the Ministry of Health is providing $1.5 million to Heart & Stroke's FAST (Face, Arms, Speech and Time) signs of stroke campaign. Q&As are attached for your reference.
Wed, August 1 at 10 a.m.
CARE clinic – basement level
Royal Columbian Hospital
330 E Columbia St.
New Westminster
Sincerely,
Amanda van Baarsen
Ministerial Assistant to
Hon. Adrian Dix, Minister of Health
Room 337| Parliament Buildings, Victoria, BC | V8W 9V1
(P) 250-387-6983 (C) 778-678-3454

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: July 12 CCFRI stats update
Date: July 18, 2018 2:04:00 PM

From: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 11:20 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Bond, Allison MCF:EX ; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX ; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX
Subject: July 12 CCFRI stats update

CCFRI stats, as of July 12th:

- Note: One stat not captured below is that **80.6% of eligible spaces have been approved**, whereas the "Approved to Opt-In" number captures those approved of the number who applied.

	Estimated Eligible to Opt-In (based on 2017/18 contracts)	Actual Eligible to Opt-In (based on 2018/19 contracts in pay to date)	Applied to Opt-In	% Applied to Opt-In	Approved to Opt-In	% Approved to Opt-In	Ineligible to Opt-In	% Ineligible to Opt-In	Not Approved at This Time to Opt-In	% Not Approved at This Time to Opt-In	Needs More Information/ Incomplete	% Needs More Information/ Incomplete to Opt-In
Organizations	2,850	2,889	2,446	85%	2,283	93%	47	2%	64	3%	76	3%
Facilities	3,300	3,417	3,149	92%	2,947	94%	48	2%	69	2%	85	3%
Spaces	50,000	59,029	50,548	86%	47,587	94%	49	0%	1,602	3%	1,310	3%

July 12 Update:

- Contract Renewal is complete: Contractors who have either not made contact with the program to renew their funding, or have not yet been successful due to incomplete information/documentation, have now all been contacted in writing.
- Adjudication processing is under 2 weeks.
- Of the 85 facilities in the Needs More Information/Incomplete category:
  - 80 facilities (94%) have not responded to our written requests for information and/or voicemails
  - 2 facilities (2%) have been fully reviewed and are queued up to receive decision emails today
  - 3 facilities (4%) are in contact with us to finalize their applications due to complex circumstances

July 12 Reconsiderations Update:

- 129 facilities (4%) were Not Approved. Of these, 94 facilities (73%) have requested reconsideration. 69 facilities are Not Approved at this time.
- Of the 94 facilities that requested reconsideration:
  - 40 facilities (43%) have been approved upon reconsideration where more information was provided
  - 13 facilities (14%) have been approved upon reapplying without a fee increase
  - 7 facilities (7%) have been approved upon reapplying with an increase within the range of median fees in their SDA
  - 5 facilities (5%) have the decision to Not Approve upheld
  - 29 (31%) are in the review process

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare
Date: July 19, 2018 11:03:00 AM
Attachments: 20180719101045.pdf
image001.png

Hi Rhea,
MLA bullets please
Best,
Jasleen

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:37 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:23 AM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare
Would you please look into Kids on Campus Daycare request.



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Thank you.

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Subject: RicohScan

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
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Date: July 23, 2018 10:35:00 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Rhea,
Anything I can provide?
Best,
Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 23, 2018 9:03 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
Any news?

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To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
Hi Heather,
Thank you for clarifying.
Looks like this should be okay for a response, if there are any concerns I'll most definitely reach out.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
I did a consent form from the person that is the Daycare Chair that reached out to our office. The Daycare is made up of volunteers? Would you please clarify "writer"?

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Hi Heather,

Hope you're well.

It looks like it is the provider that is reaching out? Would you be able to provide a consent form from the writer? We'll then be able to send a response to your office. As it is case by case and a back and forth is required at times it may be helpful if the provider reach out to us directly – cc.minister@gov.bc.ca.

I'll leave this with you and please feel free to send me the consent form if that is the route the provider prefers to take.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
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To: Smith, Heather LASS:EX <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Since this is a childcare issue I have cc'ed Ministerial Assistant Jasleen Arora. Jasleen handles all childcare MLA office questions and case files.

If you have any questions please let me know.

Cheers,

Edena

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To:	Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Let"s discuss
Date:	July 17, 2018 11:53:00 AM

Can we discuss the following as soon as possible?

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 11:26 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Let's discuss
http://bcliberalcaucus.bc.ca/blog/newsreleases/bc-ndp-childcare-plan-threatening-8100-spaces/
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Date:	July 17, 2018 11:53:00 AM

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As discussed here are some points we could include in a statement for MSKC if media asks:
For too long, childcare was in crisis in this province - I am pleased our government is rolling out a comprehensive childcare plan to make quality childcare spaces more accessible and life more affordable for BC families in our ChildcareBC plan.
Over the first year we have been in government, I have travelled the province meeting parents, providers and educators to and the message had been clear that there was no time to waste, BC families needed the childcare crisis fixed as soon as possible.
That's why we made sure we delivered affordability to families in our first Budget – with a fee reduction in April that reduced fees as much as $350 per month per child – and we are following that up with further savings to parents with the Affordable Child Care Benefit this September.
Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to model affordable childcare at a maximum of $200/month.
It's been wonderful to connect with childcare providers, get their input and have so many of them sign on to our childcare program – I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.
We know the previous BC Liberal government neglected the childcare crisis for years and that the BC Liberal Opposition critic who took it upon himself to do this very political survey does not support childcare at all, based on his own pasts comments.
On the note of the survey, I would like to clarify on for childcare providers that this survey done by the Opposition critic is not their usual annual survey by the ministry which they are now receiving… (or something to that effect)

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To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Letter re Prototype Funding
Date:	July 18, 2018 2:24:00 PM
Attachments:	Signed letter Minister Chen.pdf

A reply direct in a reasonable timeframe please

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 10:10 AM
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Letter re Prototype Funding

FYI

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 9, 2018 9:34 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Letter re Prototype Funding

From: Nicky Byres <nbyres@richmondchildcare.org>
Date: Monday, July 9, 2018 at 9:22 AM
To: "Chen.MLA, Katrina" <Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Letter re Prototype Funding

Attached please find a letter from the Society of Richmond Children's Centres Board of Directors. Please acknowledge receipt.
Yours
Nicky Byres
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Nicky Byres
Executive Director
Society of Richmond Children's Centres

www.richmondchildcare.org
"Changing the World by Honouring Childhood"

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th
Date:	July 5, 2018 9:00:00 AM

From: Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene [mailto:Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th

Hi Jasleen,

Just a suggestion, this place is usually very busy so might want to book ahead.

Cheers,

Pauline

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 4:44 PM
To: Routley.MLA, Douglas <Douglas.Routley.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene <Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th

Hi all!

Changed the lunch location to s.22

Best,

Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: July 4, 2018 11:53 AM
To: Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX <Douglas.Routley.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX <Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th

Hi everyone,

We're changing our lunch location on the 9th so that it is closer to PacificCARE – the childcare resource and referral centre as we'll be heading there after!

I'll keep everyone posted once we confirm that.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
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Subject: FW: Major capital funding announcement --
Date: July 3, 2018 4:43:00 PM

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Sent: July 3, 2018 4:43 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Major capital funding announcement --

Okay - interview with Liza on major capital - -Thursday 430pm. Minister to phone her at : 250 385 8622. If you can get it into her calendar and let me know if you want me to do some prep at 4pm -- that would be great - kj

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Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 4:41 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Major capital funding announcement --

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Sent from my iPhone

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Subject: FW: Major Capital Suggested Social
Date: July 5, 2018 12:12:00 PM

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From: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 11:59 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
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Subject: RE: Major Capital Suggested Social

Writing that on a post-it now Paula. In future I will send all social to Alisma, you, Niki and Jasleen.

Clare Walton, MSc
Public Affairs Officer
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Good Morning ☺,

Below please find my suggested tweets to promote the Major Capital announcement tomorrow:

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Thrilled to be able to introduce the new revamped major capital funding program tomorrow w/ @KatrinaCBurnaby! #ChildcareBC

ALT2:

Tomorrow @KatrinaCBurnaby & I will be in #Coquitlam to announce the new #ChildcareBC major capital funding program!

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ALT2:

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Best,
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
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Subject: FW: Making a Case for Daytime ECCE Program at VCC
Date: July 5, 2018 1:23:00 PM

Reply direct from ministry staff please! Whatever we can provide within our limits.
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From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 1:15 PM
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Subject: Making a Case for Daytime ECCE Program at VCC

Hello Katrina

I am the Dean, Continuing Studies at VCC, and I am working on a business case to present to Dr. Peter Nunoda, President, Vancouver Community College.

As I believe you are aware, my area already delivers a successful evening, part-time ECCE program to Lower Mainland students at our Downtown Campus. You and I met at our DTN campus prior to your taking over this portfolio (just before the transition took place from the Liberals to the NDP).

I'd like to offer a full-time daytime program as a complement to our successful evening, part-time program. The program would be self-funded without "base government funding". As such, I need to make a compelling case to my President to reassure him that demand is sufficient and that such a program would be successful.

To help me with my business case, could you or someone in your office direct me to any provincial government-published documentation or links that discuss the following:

- Market demand information for ECCE in BC
- How many positions for ECCE workers will need to be filled in coming years in BC
- Salary scale information for ECCE workers
- Potential salary increase for ECCE workers

Any links or documentation would be helpful for me to make the case for a day-time, full-time program in ECCE at VCC.

Thanks

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Date: July 4, 2018 10:59:00 AM

Can we connect him accordingly?
A reply direct please.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: June 15, 2018 2:23 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MCFD Capital Projects
From: Sam Farahani [mailto:sam.farahani@alairhomes.com]
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2018 1:50 PM
To: Chen.MLA, Katrina
Subject: MCFD Capital Projects

Hello Minister Chen
We are overjoyed to hear our partner in Squamish, Jason Zavitz will have the honour of building the new preschool at Garibaldi Highlands Elementary.
I wanted to reach out and see if there is a way to offer my services here in the Tri-Cities for anyone here locally that will be doing projects for Childcare now or in the future? I am not sure if there is process to have our services considered for said projects or not and so I thought I would reach out and touch base to ask.
I would assume that the selection of contractors is to the discretion of the respective Child Care spaces, but wasn't sure if there was a process by which contractors could submit their information as potential candidates.
Thank you for all you do and again I was overjoyed to hear that Alair will be involved in such an honorable endeavor!
Warmest Wishes
Sam Farahani
Owner - Alair Homes Tri-Cities
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MOU photos are up
Date: July 23, 2018 3:32:00 PM

FYI

From: Ward, Allieren GCPE:EX
Sent: July 23, 2018 3:31 PM
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: MOU photos are up
Hi all,
Photos are up for the MOU announcement: https://flic.kr/p/29mvMTu
Cheers,
Allieren Ward
Online Communications Officer | Digital Communications
Government Communications & Public Engagement
778-698-8235

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Nanaimo July 9
Date: July 3, 2018 4:29:00 PM

You may already have this info! This is for Nanaimo.

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 4:26 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo July 9

Hey Jasleen,

One quick follow-up question about the Aboriginal Friendship Centre visit – what age kids are at the childcare centre there?

Thanks,
Joleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 12:13 PM
To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Nanaimo July 9

Hey Joleen,
Happy to chat about the schedule!
Best,
Jasleen
Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 3, 2018, at 12:10 PM, Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hey! Want to chat about this?
>
> **From:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 3, 2018 12:05 PM
> **To:** Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
> **Cc:** Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: Nanaimo July 9
>
> Here is what we have nailed down so far. The visit TBC's are where we are trying to find daycares to drop into. Ive not got anything confirmed yet but will let you know as soon as we do.
> Ps..ccrr stands for child care referral resource centre. The round table will be with school district and municipal officials about partnerships that will facilitate daycare spaces. Im looping in Jasleen as well. Joleen if you wish to work with Jasleen too on what can work for the Premier as he is in the area too – pls do - kj
>
> **From:** Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 3, 2018 11:47 AM
> **To:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** Nanaimo July 9
>
> So far…

11:45 to 12:45	**LUNCH in Nanaimo**		
12:50 pm to 1:20 pm	CCRR Nanaimo	3156 Barons Rd Nanaimo	Scott Beam, ED, PacificCARE 250-756-2022
Driving Time 8 minutes			
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	Round Table	Nanaimo CDC 1135 Nelson St	Scott Beam, ED, PacificCARE 250-756-2022

		Nanaimo	
2:30 to 3:00 pm	DO NOT BOOK		
Driving Time			
3:15 pm to 3:45 pm	VISIT TBC		
Driving Time			
4:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Visit TBC		
Driving Time 40 minutes	Drive to Parksville		
5:15 pm to 5:45 pm	VISIT TBC		

Krista Cain
Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
778.698.5089

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX; Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX
Subject:	FW: Nanaimo site visit
Date:	July 6, 2018 4:09:00 PM

We may do a 2: 40 pm visit to their brand new site and then go over to the below for 3-3:30 pm!

The 3-3:30 is confirmed. In the midst of confirming 2:40 pm!

Premier will be joining.

Best,

Jasleen

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Cain, Krista A MCF:EX" <Krista.Cain@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 5, 2018 at 2:04:07 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Nanaimo site visit**
>
> Hi
> Okay so we have confirmation:
> **'UXWIN MIMNE' DAYCARE CENTRE**
> JOHN BARSBY SECONDARY SCHOOL
> 550 7TH ST
> NANAIMO
> V9R 3Z2
> COURTNEY DEFRIEND
> Phone: 250-753-8291
> They confirmed my original invitation of 3:15 to 3:45, but I have emailed back and asked to move to 3 to 3:30. I will let you know when that is confirmed. We could do longer as we have time….
> Krista
> **Krista Cain**
> Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
> Deputy Minister's Office
> Ministry of Children and Family Development
> 778.698.5089

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Scott, Samantha AG:EX
Subject: FW: New headshots/Follow up
Date: July 18, 2018 1:47:00 PM

Headshots – in the case you need

From: Anderson, Dulcy [mailto:Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, November 3, 2017 10:03 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen AG:EX
Subject: FW: New headshots!

Jasleen,

This is the dropbox link to the headshots higher resolution. As you know from his email, DE wants 4271, the torso with arms crossed photo.

Thanks!

Dulcy

From: Kellan Higgins [mailto:s.22]
Sent: September 26, 2017 8:13 AM
To: Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: New headshots!

Hi Dulcy,

Great meeting you too. Sorry about the delay, s.22

Here is a dropbox link to the digital files I shot at the event. I'll send over the film ones as soon as I get them developed (could be a bit though).
https://www.dropbox.com/sh/nkodn07e7e2vh2d/AABjsVkG8tYg7cgccyXgBqA2a?dl=0
Do you have David's AG email? I am supposed to send the invoice there.
Thanks for the ride. It was a fun afternoon.
Cheers,

Kellan

On 25 September 2017 at 17:52, Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Kellan,
> Thanks so much for your help on Friday. It was great to meet you. Did you send the photos? Can't wait to see them.
> Dulcy
> Dulcy Anderson
> Constituency Assistant to David Eby
> MLA for Vancouver-Point Grey
> 2909 W. Broadway, BC V6K2G6
> 604-660-1297 dulcy.anderson@leg.bc.ca
> **From:** Kellan Higgins [mailto:s.22]
> **Sent:** September 21, 2017 8:06 AM
>
> **To:** Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Re: New headshots!
> Are we good to go for tomorrow?

Cheers,

Kellan
On 28 August 2017 at 12:45, Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Right. Ok see you at the Farm ☺
> **Gala Milne** | Constituency Assistant | David Eby, MLA Vancouver-Point Grey
> 加拉 米爾尼 | 省議員尹大衛選區助理
> P: 604-660-1297 | gala.milne@leg.bc.ca | 2909 West Broadway Vancouver V6K 2G6
> https://davidebymla.ca Sign up for David's newsletter by going here!
> **From:** Kellan Higgins [mailto:kellanhiggins@gmail.com]
> **Sent:** August 28, 2017 12:28 PM
>
> **To:** Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Re: New headshots!
> Sounds good to me! I will bring my lights so we can do a quick headshot there too. It is in my calendar.
>
> I can imagine the calendar is very full. Oh to be the opposition again ;)
> Kellan
> On 28 August 2017 at 12:22, Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > s.22
> > The calendar is very full for the next little while. If you'd like to mark down the afternoon of Friday Sept 22 we will have a booth at FarmAde and it'd be cool if you could come and get some photos there. I'm awaiting confirmation but we should be set up there from about 1-4/5ish.
> > Are you free then?
> > **Gala Milne** | Constituency Assistant | David Eby, MLA Vancouver-Point Grey
> > 加拉 米爾尼 | 省議員尹大衛選區助理
> > P: 604-660-1297 | gala.milne@leg.bc.ca | 2909 West Broadway Vancouver V6K 2G6
> > https://davidebymla.ca Sign up for David's newsletter by going here!
> > **From:** Kellan Higgins [mailto:kellanhiggins@gmail.com]
> > **Sent:** August 26, 2017 11:56 AM
> >
> > **To:** Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> > **Subject:** Re: New headshots!
> > s.22 . How is his schedule looking now? Is he usually in Victoria all week?
> > On 16 August 2017 at 14:22, Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:
> >
> > > Hi,
> > > No problem. s.22
> > > s.22
> > >
> > > David's schedule is kind of all over the place these days so it is a bit hard to predict. Friday September 1st looks like a possibility if you are in town. His morning is open at the moment. 9am? Earlier?
> > > Talk to you soon! Hope you're enjoying the summer.
> > > Cheers,

Anna

From: Kellan Higgins [mailto:kellanhiggins@gmail.com]

Sent: August 13, 2017 9:29 PM

To: Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: New headshots!

Heyo,

Sorry for the delay. I was in America.

s.22 Does David have another time? Best time of day is a few hours before sunset or a few hours after sunrise. Unless he wants an inside shot then it doesn't matter.

Kellan

On Fri, Aug 11, 2017 at 1:41 PM Eby.MLA, David <David.Eby.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Kellan,
> Hope this finds you well!
> David needs some new headshots and he would like you to work your magic. Do you have any time available on August 21st? Would 10am work for you? (Alternatively, when is the best time of day for light…).
> Look forward to hearing from you ☺
> Cheers,
> Anna
> **Anna Lindsay-Baugh** | Constituency Assistant |Hon. David Eby, MLA Vancouver-Point Grey
> 安娜 林思宝 |尹大衛 溫哥華格雷岬區省議員
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> http://davidebymla.ca
> Sign up for David's newsletter by going here!

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: New West Contacts
Date:	July 16, 2018 2:57:00 PM
Attachments:	image001.png

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 12:22 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: FW: New West Contacts

New West roundtable. Can we call or reach out below to coordinate day, time, and location. Maybe at the city?

Best,
Jasleen

From: Dhaliwal, Gurveen [mailto:Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 11, 2018 11:46 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: New West Contacts

Hey Jasleen,

As discussed, here are the contacts that should be present for the New West Child Care meeting for the morning of either July 24, 25 or 27. I've already reached out to Mark and Mary and notified them that you will be contacting them to coordinate.

1. Mark Gifford, Board Chair: mgifford@sd40.bc.ca
2. Karim Hachlaf, Superintendent: khachlaf@sd40.bc.ca
3. Dave Crowe, Director Capital Projects (school): dcrowe@sd40.bc.ca
4. Kim Morris, Secretary Treasurer (she's new and may or may not be working by then, no email yet)
5. Jonathan Cote, Mayor: jcote@newwestcity.ca
6. Mary Trentadue, Councillor: mtrentadue@newwestcity.ca
7. John Stark, Senior City Planner: jstark@newwestcity.ca

Best,

Gurveen Dhaliwal
Constituency Assistant
Hon. Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed
#3 8699 10th Avenue, Burnaby
Phone: 604-660-5058 | Fax: 604-660-5074



From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Note from s.22 to your Facebook Page Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed
Date: July 5, 2018 12:24:00 PM

A reply direct please.

-----Original Message-----
From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 4, 2018 4:00 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Note from s.22 to your Facebook Page Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed

On 2018-07-03, 9:26 PM, 's.22 " <s.22 > wrote:

I writing in regards to your post about getting into the ECE field on FB.

As centres close down due to rent increases or spaces being removed completely due to development... I ask you where do these new ECEs find work?

It's nearly impossible to find work in the tri-cities that pays a wage that is liveable and maybe includes benefits.

Along with city systems not supporting new childcare centres and ideas. It's incredibly hard to get them on board and to go through all the red tape and still be told no because they have their own programs and don't want competition...

When wait lists are longer then any of us will be alive and programs at capacity it's hard to believe this is the time to get into this field and make a difference.

I'm striving to open a full time forest school in a time where children need to decompress from over scheduled lives, reconnect with themselves and the natural world. I hope to decriminalize outdoor play that so many adults have. Limiting play because it's too risky, too destructive, too wild.
Nature needs children just as much as children need nature.
I ask you what is your earliest memory of being outdoors. How does it make you feel.
Happy, calm, sentimental, loved, welcomed, peaceful, excited, adventuresome, maybe like you could take on the whole world.

I hope we can do more, I hope things can change. It might be too late for many.

I hope there's more people like you who believe what we're doing makes all the world to the children and families that make up B.C.

Thank you for your time.
s.22
s.22

Sent from my iPhone

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: phone messages
Date: July 11, 2018 3:34:00 PM

Is this coming up?

From: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 3:33 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: FW: phone messages

HI Jasleen☺
Please see below note from CA Nicole Forslund regarding a constituent who is still receiving town hall phone calls?
This was a concern a little while too, there was a complaint.
Could you possibly look into this and either Cherie or myself can let Nicole know☺
Thank you!

Kaitlin Morton
Administrative Assistant
Minister's Office- Children and Family Development
Parliament Buildings, Victoria BC
250 387-1977

From: Forslund, Nicole [mailto:Nicole.Forslund@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:21 PM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Subject: RE: phone messages

Hi Kaitlin,
I believe she said it had to do with the child care telephone town hall.
Thanks for the quick response!
Nicole Forslund
Constituency Assistant to Doug Donaldson MLA Stikine

From: Minister, MCF MCF:EX [mailto:MCF.Minister@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:05 PM
To: Forslund, Nicole <Nicole.Forslund@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: phone messages

Hi Nicole,
Did the constituent mention the content of these calls? This will help determine where I need to direct this concern.
Thank you!

Kaitlin Morton
Administrative Assistant
Minister's Office- Children and Family Development
Parliament Buildings, Victoria BC
250 387-1977

From: Forslund, Nicole [mailto:Nicole.Forslund@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 2:09 PM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX

Subject: phone messages

Hello,

I am a constituency assistant in the office of Doug Donaldson, MLA Stikine, and recently received a call from a constituent regarding pre-recorded phone messages sent by MCF. She said she received 8-9 calls over the course of a couple of days and found it very disruptive. I just wanted to make you aware of this for future messages you may send out.

Thank you,

Nicole Forslund

Constituency Assistant to Doug Donaldson MLA Stikine

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Please fill out this BC child care survey
Date: July 17, 2018 12:15:00 PM
Attachments: image001.emz
image003.emz
image011.emz
image002.emz
image004.emz
image007.png
image008.png
image009.emz
image010.png

From: Marian Hardy [mailto:Mhardy@tru.ca]
Sent: June 28, 2018 11:05 AM
To: Throness.MLA, Laurie LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Please fill out this BC child care survey

Good morning,

As an Educator since 1986 I am more than happy for the families of BC, as well as the Educators, who will benefit greatly from this Universal Child Care approach.

So I am respectfully declining your request.

Marian

Marian T Hardy,
Executive Director,
Cariboo Child Care Society,
Thompson Rivers University,
805 TRU Way,
Kamloops
BC V2C 0C8
250-828-5160

From: Throness.MLA, Laurie [mailto:Laurie.Throness.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 9:46 AM
To: Throness.MLA, Laurie
Subject: Please fill out this BC child care survey

Laurie Throness
MLA Chilliwack-Kent

Kyle Wierks

s.22

June 28, 2018

Dear child care provider:

I am the MLA for Chilliwack-Kent, and also the Official Opposition Critic for Child Care in the BC Legislature. This means that I'm responsible to provide a critique of the NDP Government's child care policy. In order to do so I'm writing every child care provider in BC, using a list publicly available

from the BC government.

In consulting with you it is my intention to improve child care policy for all British Columbian parents and children. You can help me in this endeavour by filling out a short questionnaire related to recent changes brought in by the government.

It would be so much appreciated if you would go to the website below and take a few minutes to complete the survey. All answers will be anonymous unless you choose to self-identify.

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/bcchildcare

In addition to your short answers, I would also like receive your comments describing your experience and your concerns, so I'm providing space to do that at various points in the survey.

If you would prefer to write me directly, I would love to hear from you. Just return this email and I'll be sure to get your comments.

Thanks in advance for your help! Have a great day.

Sincerely,

Laurie Throness

Laurie.Throness.MLA@leg.bc.ca

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Phone: 604-796-5270

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Please Help - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative funding for CEFA Canada Way, s.22
Date: July 20, 2018 12:17:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From s.22 [mailto:s.22

Sent: July 20, 2018 10:41 AM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX ; Chen.MLA, Katrina LASS:EX

Cc: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; Routledge.MLA, Janet LASS:EX

Subject: Please Help - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative funding for CEFA Canada Way, s.22

s.22

Dear Katrina Chen and the Reconsidering Committee for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative,

I am writing this letter as a desperate plea to have CEFA Canada Way reconsidered for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. s.22 is attending CEFA Canada Way, s.22

We learned recently that CEFA Canada Way along with 2 other CEFA daycare centres (Brentwood and Cambie), were rejected for this initiative, while 17 other CEFA locations were approved. Our understanding is that CEFA Canada Way was rejected because a recent tuition increase was not based on historical increases. Although it hurts to endure a tuition increase from CEFA, it hurts even more to have the school's application for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative rejected. Their rejected application is penalizing many parents like us, defeating the purpose of the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. In fact, I learned that there are 300 families with children attending CEFA Canada Way, Brentwood, and Cambie – and we are all losing out from this much needed financial relief. Why?

s.22

Money for us has never been tighter and paying to make ends meet is stressful. This year alone, we were we hit with a fee increase from both CEFA and s.22 the latter a before and after-school care program our s.22 attends. Not to mention fee increases we are also enduring elsewhere for property taxes, ICBC, BC Hydro, fuel prices – turning our family life into driven by financial survival.

Prior to the last provincial election, Janet Routledge campaigned in our neighborhood and we made it clear how important it was for us to receive financial support for childcare, and touted the NDP's $10/day childcare plan. This was one of the many reasons we voted for Janet and the NDP government last election – only to be one of the many families now losing out on the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. Why?

Even though CEFA Canada Way's recent tuition increase was seen as unconventional, please remember that it is the families that are needing help from the initiative and are impacted. It is not easy to find other quality daycare options to switch to, and we as parents should not be penalized for any past or future actions of CEFA Canada Way, or be burdened by poor implementation of government policy that is doing the opposite of what was intended.

Please reconsider and approve CEFA Canada Way's application for the Child Care Fee

Reduction Initiative (along with the ones for Brentwood and Cambie) and thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Please reply to me as soon as possible
Date: July 16, 2018 10:46:00 AM

Reply direct please.

-----Original Message-----
From: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 9:27 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Please reply to me as soon as possible

Please see below, referral from the Premier's office. For MOS review and direction please. Thx.

-----Original Message-----
From: Hampson, Ashley PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 9:20 AM
To: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Please reply to me as soon as possible

Morning Pam!

Could MCFD provide a response to the email below please?

Thanks in advance,

Ashley Hampson
Correspondence Officer | Office of the Premier
P: 250-387-3539 E: ashley.hampson@gov.bc.ca

-----Original Message-----
From: Lee, Ally EDUC:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 8:52 AM
To: Hampson, Ashley PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Please reply to me as soon as possible

HI Ashley,

Staff have now advised this should actually go to MCFD (Client Relations Branch). Sorry for the confusion.

Thanks,
Ally

Ally Lee | Writing Services and Documents Coordinator
Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Education

-----Original Message-----
From: Hampson, Ashley PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 20, 2018 11:47 AM
To: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Please reply to me as soon as possible

Hi there,

Could EDUC forward this to the appropriate division for response?

Thanks,

Ashley Hampson
Correspondence Officer | Office of the Premier
P: 250-387-3539 E: ashley.hampson@gov.bc.ca

-----Original Message-----
From: s.22
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 3:11 AM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX
Subject: Please reply to me as soon as possible

To whom it may concern,

Hello. I am s.22 , who already apply for ECE certificate in April.
I still can't get certificate for my job.

Is there any problems? Please check it out and let me know.

Now I am in Japan so I can't call you by phone so please email to this address.

Thank you very much.

s.22
s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: PO 709935
Date: July 16, 2018 10:23:00 AM
Attachments: 709935-collingwood744.pdf

Hi Rhea,
A reply direct please
Best,
Jasleen

From: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Sent: July 10, 2018 4:13 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: FW: PO 709935
Please see below, referral from the Premier's office. For MOS' review and direction please.
NOTE: I see that this one was also addressed to the Min Chen but could not see the Min copy in CLIFF.
Thanks,
Pam

From: Huycke, Kayla PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 1:25 PM
To: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Subject: PO 709935
Hi Pam!
Some letter mail here in regards to childcare. Sending along for your review and closing on our end.
Thank you!
Kayla
s.22

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Quick Call Today?
Date:	July 18, 2018 1:36:00 PM

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 1:35 PM
To: 'Craig Jangula'
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Quick Call Today?

Hi Craig,

Hope you're well.

I believe you have a few quick questions regarding our new initiative to create spaces, please feel free to respond to this email with your questions or reach out to cc.minister@gov.bc.ca. Providers are also welcome to reach out via the above email or phone call at 1 888 338-6622 (option 5).

As I don't have context in regards to your previous interactions, likely best to wait until Niki is back in the office.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Craig Jangula [mailto:craig@jangula.ca]
Sent: July 17, 2018 1:17 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Quick Call Today?

Good afternoon Jasleen,

Hope your day is going well.

I've been speaking with Niki Sharma in the past in regarding some questions that a few private-sector daycare operators have raised.

I have a few quick questions that I would like to run past you.

Do you have time to talk today for about 5 minutes?

Best regards,

Craig

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Craig Jangula
President, Jangula and Company Consulting
604-817-7817
Craig@Jangula.ca

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Cambie
Date: July 20, 2018 12:17:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22 [mailto:s.22

Sent: July 20, 2018 8:40 AM

To: MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX

Cc: CC Minister MCF:EX ; Minister, MCF MCF:EX

Subject: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Cambie

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative Regarding: CEFA Early Learning - Cambie

To Whom it May Concern

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider CEFA Early Learning – Cambie for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative. As working parents in the urban core, s.22 surviving the financial burden of these early years is difficult and an ongoing daily battle. Every dollar saved on a month-to-month and day-to-day basis is vital. This is money that I know my family and the other families at CEFA Cambie desperately need. Withholding this funding, families are being put under additional undue financial stress, and conflicts with the intended purpose of the program.

I am of the understanding that CEFA Brentwood, CEFA Canada Way and CEFA Cambie have all been denied funding approval. Speaking with staff at The Ministry of Children & Family Development it has been suggested that one of the main reasons for refusal are past and future fee increases that the Ministry deem as excessive. As parents, we've been kept well informed by the staff at CEFA and we understand that 17 other CEFA locations with similar applications have been granted approvals. It makes absolutely no sense to myself or any of the other parents, that the families at CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie are being refused the same desperately needed financial relief as other families in the province.

Staff with the Ministry have explained that if the Reconsidering Committee refuses this next submission, then CEFA Brentwood, Canada Way and Cambie would need to make a new application. As it stands, if the existing application is approved, the families of these three locations would receive funding that was retroactive to the initial application in April. There are 300 families in these three locations, 45% of which are under 3 and, with the remaining 55% over the age of 3. ***By declining the application for these three location the Province and Ministry are depriving 300 families of $65,000 a month in much needed financial relief. On a retroactive basis, it's over a QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS.***

On a side note, it's very obvious to me that the schools that are being denied also happen to be located in some of the most expensive real estate locations in the Province. One of the aspects that may have been overlooked by the Ministry are the ongoing lease expenses of these three locations. Commercial lease tenants typically pay triple net leases which means that they have

to pay for all increases in property taxes. Without question, the three locations that you have refused to support are subject to some of the highest commercial property taxes in the Province. This burden is passed directly onto the tenants, the operators of CEFA and of course the families enrolled at CEFA. I wouldn't be surprised if a portion of the past and future fee increases that you have raised concern with were not impacted by these triple net leases. It should also be noted that the increase in real estate values in these locations was astronomical between 2015 and 2017, so too were the increases in property taxes. These are market conditions that the operators of CEFA and their families have absolutely no control over, and they definitely shouldn't be penalized for being the collateral damage of an overheated real estate market.

It has not been lost on many of us that the locations that are being denied were also associated with media attention when the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative was announced in February 2018. I desperately hope that the Province is not withholding over $250,000 in funding simply to make a public example of these CEFA operators. It's extremely short sighted and in the end, you're only really punishing 300 families that could use all the help they can get. As I'm sure you're well aware, the availability of daycare spaces and programming is of extremely short supply. Our family has been on waiting lists for our oldest son for four years at numerous other locations, and our infant daughters (twins) are in the same waitlist situation. CEFA Cambie was the only daycare we could get into for my son and for my daughters. Leaving CEFA isn't an option for us and I expect it isn't for many of the other families either. Publicly punishing the operators does absolutely nothing to help the families enrolled there, especially given the lack of alternatives.

At the end of the day, I would like to emphasize that our family is extremely grateful to have a daycare that our s.22 can attend every day. We've been thrilled with the teachers and programming at CEFA and have generally been pleased with how the operators Karen Chan and Christine Yang manage their Cambie location. At the end of the day, I am most grateful that I know when I leave my s.22 first thing in the morning that throughout the day they'll be loved, nurtured and cared for by the fantastic CEFA Cambie staff. Most importantly, I know that as a parent my s.22 are safe at CEFA Cambie and at the end of the day they will always come back to me. The staff and operators at CEFA, in my mind are doing an exemplary job and they should be commended for their work, not publicly penalized in a manner that directly impacts 300 families in need of financial relief.

I appreciate that the task in front of you is challenging and letters from parents like myself probably doesn't make it easier. Thank you for taking the time to review and consider this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly if there's anything here that you'd like to discuss further.

Sincerest Regards,

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative for CEFA Early Learning Cambie
Date:	July 19, 2018 2:18:00 PM
Attachments:	EmailToMinistry.pdf

A reply direct please!

From: s.22

Sent: July 19, 2018 11:01 AM

To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX

Cc: karenchan@cefa.ca; christineyang@cefa.ca; s.22

Subject: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative for CEFA Early Learning Cambie

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing to petition the Ministry of Children & Family Development to reconsider three locations of CEFA Early Learning – Cambie, Brentwood and Canada Way for the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.

As working parents in the urban core, surviving the financial burden of these early years is difficult and an ongoing daily battle. Every dollar saved on a month to month and day to day basis is vital. This is money that I know my family and the other families at **CEFA Cambie**, CEFA Brentwood, and CEFA Canada Way desperately need. Withholding this funding is putting additional undue financial stress on urban families, and conflicts with the intended purpose of the program.

In support of this effort, I have attached a letter from Matt Nugent, who is also a parent with a child attending CEFA, which carefully outlines how 300 families are affected by the Ministry of Children and Family Development's decision to deny funding to these three CEFA locations.

s.22

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Redirect from FIN - 370621
Date:	July 20, 2018 12:19:00 PM
Attachments:	370621 Collingwood Incoming.pdf

I believe we've already actioned!

From: FIN OFFICE FIN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2018 3:21 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: Redirect from FIN - 370621

Good afternoon,

Redirect from Finance for your review & attention.

Please advise if you will be responding and please advise if this doesn't fall under your purview.

Thank you,

Marika Anderson
A/Correspondence Team Lead
Ministry of Finance
Tel: 250 356-7948

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Response From Child Care Policy Team, Ministry of Children and Family Development
Date: July 16, 2018 10:12:00 AM

FYI

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 9, 2018 2:21 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: Response From Child Care Policy Team, Ministry of Children and Family Development

From: s.22
Sent: Monday, July 9, 2018 2:16 PM
To: Child Care Consult, MCF C MCF:EX
Cc: Davidson, Andy MCF:EX; Chen.MLA, Katrina
Subject: Re: Response From Child Care Policy Team, Ministry of Children and Family Development

Hi Teresa,

Thank you for your recent email.

A lot of families including myself were aware of the CCRR program, however none of us found it helpful. In addition, the overall child care and afterschool care system in the city is not sufficient to meet current and future demands. Long waitlists combined with the limited amounts of childcare centres continue to be the number one challenge for parents. The dire situation has many parents signing up at childcare centres years before their children are enrolled, and for most, at exorbitant costs both in time and money.

The situation is even worst for afterschool care programs, as the sheer limited number of centres have caused parents to quit their jobs as well as moving to another municipality. With living costs continue to increase, many parents cannot afford to lose their jobs. More importantly, many parents are forced to bring their children to unlicensed "afterschool childcare centres", (if there is one) that are often not up to code in terms of health and safety regulations. This puts our kids' health and safety at risk, but unfortunately there is no other choice.

This situation is unlikely to change soon, and with yourself and Katrina Chen as representatives of the public, we want to see concrete actions in terms of addressing the child care and afterschool care system in the city as the status quo is not acceptable

Thanks,

Vicky

On Thu, Jun 28, 2018 at 8:56 AM MCF Early Years MCF:EX <EarlyYears@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> **VIA E-MAIL**
> Ref: 238293
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> s.22
>
> Email: s.22
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> Dear s.22
>
> Thank you for your e-mail of June 7, 2018, sent to the Honourable Katrina Chen, Minister

of State for Child Care, regarding the eviction of Sir Andrew's Daycare in Burnaby. Your e-mail has been forwarded to the Child Care Policy Branch within the Ministry of Children and Family Development. As the acting Executive Director of Child Care Policy, I am pleased to respond.

I am sorry to hear about the difficult situation you have been placed in regarding the closure of Sir Andrews Daycare. I understand the stress your family must be under in going through a sudden and unexpected transition, and attempting to find alternative out of school child care for your s.22

The Ministry is aware of the recent eviction notice at Sir Andrew's Daycare and has heard from other families in similar situations. We will be reaching out to the provider to try and assist in helping them to secure alternate arrangements.

Our recently announced Child Care BC Maintenance Fund (formerly Minor Capital Funding) program has been enhanced to offer more support to licensed child care providers in order to ensure that existing spaces can be properly maintained and continue operating. The Maintenance Fund grant is available to support eligible organizations to address emergencies, make necessary repairs, and/or replace equipment for their operations. The Maintenance Fund also includes funding to cover the costs of relocating child care programs to ensure spaces remain operational. Government has committed to not only create new spaces, but to support current child care organizations in operation.

In the interim, the Child Care Resource and Referral (CCRR) program may be able to assist you in finding alternative child care for your s.22 . CCRR programs offer many services to families in BC, including child care information and referrals, and Child Care Subsidy information and application assistance. If you have not already done so, you may want to contact your local office: http://www.ccrr.bc.ca/.

Thank you again for writing and for sharing your concerns.

Respectfully,

Teresa Butler

A/Executive Director

Child Care Policy

Ministry of Children and Family Development

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: RUSH: Early Years Education Funding- PO 709424
Date: July 16, 2018 10:30:00 AM

Hi Rhea,
This one was actioned for a reply direct previously.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Sent: July 13, 2018 2:05 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RUSH: Early Years Education Funding- PO 709424
Hello. This one has come to my attention as the Premier's office was following up today.
I checked CLIFF and it seems the PO referral has not yet been assigned or logged. For MOS' review and direction please.
Thanks,
Pam

From: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2018 2:22 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Early Years Education Funding- PO 709424
Please see below, referral from the Premier's office. For MOS' review and direction.
Thanks,
Pam

From: Huycke, Kayla PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, June 15, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Early Years Education Funding- PO 709424
Hi Pam!
Would this be something that would fall under your jurisdiction?
Thanks for letting me know!
Kayla

From: s.22
Sent: Thursday, June 14, 2018 11:40 AM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX
Subject: Early Years Education Funding
Hello, my name is s.22 who lives in Kelowna B.C. I am interested on why you are "revisioning" your early years' education funding. My mom works for a nonprofit in that sector, that nonprofit's 7 jobs are being converted into one. This means that so many programs and services will no longer be able to continue. Why is this the case? Young child and families need our support, and yet we are taking it away? Thank you for your time and consideration.
-A concerned student

This is a student email account managed by s.22 . The contents of this email are governed by the laws of the state and the board policies of the school

district.

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Scott, Samantha AG:EX
Subject: FW: SBOT Event - Follow Up
Date: July 18, 2018 1:10:00 PM

FYI – from awhile ago!

From: Gerard Bremault [mailto:Gerard@the-centre.org]
Sent: March 22, 2018 4:54 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen AG:EX ; Judy Krawchuk
Cc: Sylvie Parent
Subject: RE: SBOT Event - Follow Up

Jasleen,

Thank you very kindly for following up with us; it was a pleasure to meet you and we sincerely appreciate Minister Eby taking the time to join us in Surrey, to present on topical and forward looking Justice matters and answer questions in an open forum. We would, of course, be delighted for Minister Eby to tour Sophie's Place Child and Youth Advocacy Centre to see for himself the multi-disciplinary team and facilities worthy of being a Regional Finalist for the Premier's Award for Partnership 2017 as featured in the Premier's Award video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5uMsaaF8h_w.

We will extend invitations to the Minister for special developments and events as we prepare with our partners to extend the services and facilities of Sophie's Place, the Lower Mainland's first operating Child and Youth Advocacy Centre.

If the Minister would like a tour to coincide with a return visit to Surrey, we would be happy to accommodate the Minister at your request.

Many thanks,

Gerard

P.S. I have copied Sylvie Parent, Executive Assistant/Corporate Secretary so that she may record the appropriate contact information per your information below.

Gerard Bremault, MSW, RSW
Chief Executive Officer
The Centre for Child Development (including
Sophie's Place Child and Youth Advocacy Centre)
& Child Development Foundation of BC
604 584 1361

Gerard also serves as:

· Co-Chair: Surrey Child Care Task Force
· Governor (Past Chair): Surrey Board of Trade
· Member: Simon Fraser University, Surrey Community Advisory Council
· Member: Surrey Healthier Community Partnership Committee
· Member: South Fraser Regional Child and Youth Council
· Member: Lookout Housing and Health Society
· Executive Lab Mentor: Vantage Point

From: Arora, Jasleen AG:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, March 22, 2018 1:54 PM
To: Judy Krawchuk; Gerard Bremault
Subject: SBOT Event - Follow Up

Hi Judy and Gerard,

Hope you're both doing well.

It was lovely to meet you both at the Surrey Board of Trade event yesterday. I realize we only had a moment to chat but if you would like to send through an invitation or request please feel free to do that at the ag.minister@gov.bc.ca account.

Best,

Jasleen

Jasleen Arora
Executive Assistant to the Honourable Minister Eby | Ministry of the Attorney General
PO Box 9044 Stn Prov Gov, Victoria, BC, V8W 9E2 | 778-584-0267

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Scan From <Device Name>
Date:	July 17, 2018 3:38:00 PM
Attachments:	Scan_20180716.pdf

Hi Rhea,
A reply direct please.
Best,
Jasleen
From: CHEWILSO [mailto:Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:24 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Scan From

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: FW: SCD and CYSN
Date: July 4, 2018 1:35:00 PM

FYI

From: Chu, Holden MCF:EX
Sent: July 2, 2018 3:11 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Foster, Susan MCF:EX ; Bibby, Daniel E MCF:EX
Subject: SCD and CYSN

Hi Minister Chen

It was nice to touch base briefly over the phone this past Friday. I trust the visit to Chilliwack was enjoyable and informative. Chilliwack MCFD has long standing partnership and relationships with community partners and local/provincial government, inclusive of Early Years and CYSN services.

As suggested that I pass on additional feedback regarding Supported Child Development and CYSN service please note a # of issues. Please preference these issues are my perspective and that of SDA MCFD .

SCD issues:

-funds for new daycares means many new day care operators, new staff. This won't make spaces available for SCD children unless there is a significant investment in training for daycare operators and staff to support children with special needs.

-each child who receives SCD support by either receiving funds to the daycare operator through disbursements to pay for support staff for the child, or a staff person from a centre to support the child, must already be supported by a SCD consultant. Even if there is money for the disbursements, if the child cannot be supported by a SCD consultant, the child cannot go to daycare. There is a lack of funding for SCD consultants so children remain on waitlists.

- a lack of SCD consultant funding means those children on the waitlist have not been assessed for SCD needs or other needed therapies.

- as referenced wait list data at best may not be totally accurate as per self-reporting. i.e. Indigenous communities where children/families who have not been assessed for SCD would not be within our data.

CYSN issues:

-the most needed support requested by parents of children with special needs is regular dependable respite. There is a lack of skilled caregivers in the community, both for parents to hire with direct funded respite funds, or for agencies to hire to provide respite.

-even with recent funding there are still families on the w/l for respite funding for over a year.

-parents may have autism funding but cannot find behaviour interventionists. If they train BIs they often leave to work in the school system or for agencies, and the family must start again to find someone to hire.

-there is a need for respite in staffed agencies or skilled foster homes to provide parents with a break from full time caregiving their youth who has challenging and aggressive behaviours r any children/youth who have high medical needs.

-there is a lack of staffed residential resources for youth with challenging and aggressive behaviours when the youth needs to come into care. CYSN brought into care are often critical with limited resources and we crisis manage residential placement. System of care is being developed and the

work with Placement Review has helped.
- Nursing support services beyond 55 hours per month (Health Authority) are and is the responsibility of MCFD. I.e. child with high health needs in care MCFD would pay for nursing services beyond 55 hours thus cost impact (tens of thousands $) and from my perspective this is a health service.
Thank you again Minister Chen for attending and meeting Chilliwack community this past Friday.
Regards
Holden
Holden Chu
Executive Director of Service
Deputy Director Adoptions Frasers
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Surrey BC V3R 0L7
604 586-4121 Cell 604 761-57898

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: School Board Policy requirement re childcare
Date:	July 16, 2018 10:46:00 AM

Looks like Ministry of Ed will need to respond. We can be cc'd.
Best,
Jasleen

From: s.22
Sent: July 11, 2018 9:58 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX ; Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX
Subject: School Board Policy requirement re childcare

Hello,
This past weekend, I read the funding announcements regarding child care spaces in schools. I hope that School Districts in our province are on board with this.
I question this as last year, during the last government, I contacted Ministry of Education to see if there was a policy on file from a specific school district. The School Act, Section 85.1, requires each school district in our province to have a policy on PROMOTING child care space in school property. I was quite alarmed to hear that once the school districts were informed of such a requirement, there was absolutely NO FOLLOWUP as to whether all or any complied. When I contacted a friend, whom was a school trustee at the time, she informed me they had no idea there was such a requirement and they set about immediately remediating that omission.
We need all players active on this if we are to get those spaces so desperately needed in our province. May I please request if the new government of BC is assured that all school districts in our province have now complied with the law.
Kind regards,
s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Strategies to increase qualified childhood educators
Date: July 4, 2018 11:03:00 AM

Hi Rhea,
MoS Sig please!
Best,
Jasleen

From: Wieczorek, Christopher [mailto:Christopher.Wieczorek@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: June 28, 2018 12:54 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: meghan.birch@shaw.ca
Subject: Strategies to increase qualified childhood educators

Dear Minister Chen,

On behalf of Minister Popham I wanted to notify you of a recent conversation I had the pleasure of having with Meghan, one of our constituents in Saanich South. As you know, government – and your Ministry specifically – has been doing tremendous work to increase childcare spaces and to make childcare more accessible and affordable for British Columbians.

During our conversation Meghan raised the importance of ensuring that there are enough qualified childcare workers and early childhood educators to meet the rising demand for quality, affordable childcare in our riding and across the province. Meghan's family has an excellent relationship with their childcare provider and she tells me her children have benefitted tremendously from their time with this provider. Cases such as this certainly underscore the benefits of early childhood education and highlight just how important the work that your Ministry is doing really is.

In speaking with Meghan, as well as the director of the childcare centre where Meghan's children attend, I learned that efforts to open a new room to benefit even more families have been put on pause due to the lack of qualified staff. I certainly know that this work is an ongoing process and that your Ministry has expanded access to affordable childcare exponentially compared to the previous government. As part of this work, our office would be interested to know if there are any plans or strategies that will increase the number of childcare workers or incentivize folks who may be considering a career in early childhood education to become a certified early childhood educator.

Thank you kindly for your time and consideration of this request for information. Our office looks forward to learning more about these initiatives.

Sincerely,
Chris

Chris Wieczorek
Constituency Assistant to Hon. Lana Popham
Member of the B.C. Legislature for Saanich South and Minister of Agriculture for the B.C. Government
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From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Subsidized childcare- PO 710051
Date: July 16, 2018 3:23:00 PM

Reply Direct please! Acknowledging diverse needs and supports for families, ensuring accessibility for all.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Sent: July 10, 2018 5:05 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Subsidized childcare- PO 710051
Please see below, referral from the Premier's office. For MOS review and direction please.

From: Huycke, Kayla PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 2:07 PM
To: Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Subsidized childcare- PO 710051
Hello again!
Sending this one along for review.

Thanks!
Pam

From: s.22
Sent: Sunday, July 1, 2018 10:00 AM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX
Cc: Thornthwaite.MLA, Jane LASS:EX; Ma.MLA, Bowinn LASS:EX
Subject: Subsidized childcare

Dear Premier Horgan,

I am writing this letter in response to the desire to create affordable daycare for families across BC.

I greatly appreciate your desire to create a way to make living a little bit easier for families throughout our province. My wife and I have s.22

s.22 and we definitely appreciate the difficulties of bringing up a family in today's economic climate, especially in our North Vancouver neighbourhood.

My concern is for the single income, two parent families; those who have specifically chosen to raise their children, sacrificing a second income in order to invest in their family instead of in their career. Instead of being honoured for that choice, it feels like we are being inordinately punished by having to pay for all sorts of other people to have their children cared for by government subsidized childcare.

Please don't misunderstand me, I am not judging those who take advantage of the system in order to try to get ahead, I am just asking, "what we are doing to encourage those who feel that their families benefit from being together? What are we doing to help out and incentivise the stay-at-home parent?"

Being one of these families, I have seen first-hand the benefits of having a parent at home. At first glance one can see that having more time at home means more opportunity for healthy,

home cooked meals, more consistency in the morals and structure of raising your children, and more time to simply build relationship with your children, creating a stable place to grow up. I think though, that we are also forgetting the grander more widespread benefits of families being able to be a part of the greater community through having time together. My wife is a good cook and has the gift of hospitality. s.22

s.22

s.22 On top of that she spends time organizing and creating small community events within s.22 Or very recently getting involved in having our church organize help in relief efforts for a number of our neighbours who lost their homes in a fire at a neighbouring s.22

These are all things that we would not have had time or energy to get involved in if we were both working.

Bearing all this in mind, I repeat, what are we doing to incentivise parents staying at home? How can we encourage families and build community? Can we find creative solutions to this that don't involve simply throwing money at childcare?

Respectfully,

s.22

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Date: July 20, 2018 12:16:00 PM

A reply direct please!

From: s.22]

Sent: July 20, 2018 12:38 AM

To: Minister@gov.bc.ca; Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; MCF Child Care Operating Fund, MCF:EX ; Chen.MLA, Katrina LASS:EX

Subject: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
Attention: Reconsidering Committee for Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Regarding: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Early Learning - Brentwood
To Whom it May Concern:

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To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative
Date: July 20, 2018 9:36:00 AM

A reply direct please!

From: Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 20, 2018 7:41 AM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

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From: s.22 <s.22 >
Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 12:37 AM
To: Minister@gov.bc.ca; Minister, MCF C MCF:EX; Child Care Operating Fund, MCF MCF:EX; Chen.MLA, Katrina
Subject: Sunflower Daycare and CEFA Brentwood - Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative

To: Ministry of Children & Family Development
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To: s.22
Subject: FW: Team Eby part 2
Date: July 23, 2018 2:25:00 PM
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From: Nanninga, Tanera AG:EX
Sent: December 6, 2017 1:16 PM
To: Smith, George AG:EX ; Arora, Jasleen AG:EX ; Milne, Gala AG:EX ; Godfrey, Sam AG:EX ; Addo, Wolfgang AG:EX ; Hughes, Candice JAG:EX
Subject: Team Eby part 2

Tanera Nanninga
Administrative Coordinator to the Honourable David Eby, QC
Attorney General and Minister responsible for Liquor, Gaming, and ICBC
Phone: (250-387-1866)

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Thank you
Date: July 16, 2018 10:45:00 AM

A reply direct, giving thanks for having Minister Chen and I and providing feedback.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Catherine Carter Clark [mailto:CCarterClark@clementscentre.org]
Sent: July 11, 2018 3:46 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Thank you
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Kindly,

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Subject: FW:s.22
Date: July 16, 2018 10:30:00 AM
Attachments: s.22

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A reply direct, giving thanks.
Best,
Jasleen
From: s.22
Sent: July 11, 2018 4:32 PM
To: ccpabc@policyalternatives.ca; Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX ; Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; Dockendorf, Maureen EDUC:EX
Subject: Fwd s.22

Helpful if I included the article.....

Good afternoon. I am an ECE professional who has been in the field for many years. Changes in the profession over recent years and the prospect of a Provincial system of child care has caused me to reflect.
Please find attached an article I wrote on one aspect of these changes. I send this along to add my voice to the implementation and am happy for this to be directed to anyone you think might be interested. It has already been sent to ECEBC and the Coalition of Child Care Advocates of B.C.
Sincerely,
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kubaric, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Tillicum Lelum Nanaimo Childcare
Date: July 17, 2018 10:57:00 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Rhea,
I'm wondering if there is anything we can share in regards to potential supports.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Tammie Wylie [mailto:tmyles@tillicumlelum.ca]
Sent: July 17, 2018 8:30 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Tillicum Lelum Nanaimo Childcare
Good morning Jasleen,
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Kind regards,
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Date: July 17, 2018 9:05:00 AM
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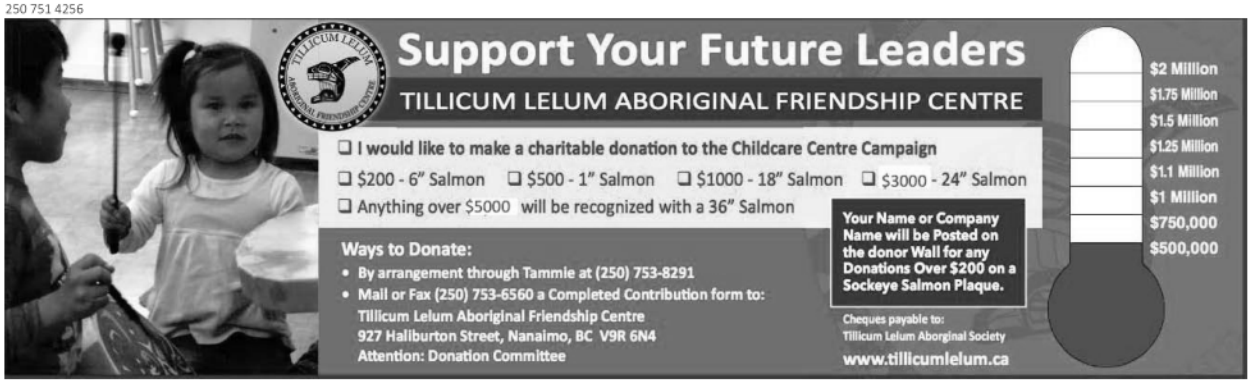
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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Tour on 10th
Date:	July 5, 2018 12:30:00 PM
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From: Leonard.MLA, Ronna-Rae [mailto:Ronna-Rae.Leonard.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Tour on 10th

Hi Aurora,

I thought I had sent you a contact yesterday....I guess you didn't receive it. The contact that we were looking at it Today N Tomorrow. I have attached contact info for them, and here's a bit more info as well:

The Today 'N' Tomorrow Learning Society (TNTLS) is a not-for-profit organization established in 1993 dedicated to providing services and support to young pregnant women, young moms and dads, and their children in the Comox Valley who are completing their high school education. The program is open to teen parents in School District 71 to include parenting education and mentoring opportunities to help young parents meet personal goals while encouraging healthy pregnancy and development of their children. These services are designed to give young pregnant women and young moms and dads the help and support network they need to have healthy babies and to be effective, successful parents. Currently we operate 2 childcare centres with 40 childcare spaces. Teddies 'N' Toddlers Early Childcare Centre (birth to 3 years old) and Little Friends Early Learning Centre (3-5 years old) that are also open to community families.

Natalie Robinson is our contact, and the email is admin@tntls.com

Sorry about that! I have no idea what happened....

Regards,

Leanne

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Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 5:12 PM
To: Leonard.MLA, Ronna-Rae <Ronna-Rae.Leonard.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Tour on 10th

Hello,

I didn't receive any information regarding contacts for our tour on the 10th. We had to go ahead and book meetings.

If you end up getting information for tomorrow, please send it over and we can see what we can incorporate in.

I think in future having that information at least two weeks prior will be key in order to help make the tour a success for both parties. The last minute organizing proves to add stress and an increased workload days prior to touring for staff, hoping to avoid that!

Thanks,

Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: transfer credentials
Date:	July 4, 2018 11:45:00 AM

Reply direct please!

-----Original Message-----
From: s.22
Sent: June 28, 2018 7:23 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: transfer credentials

Hi Honorable Katrina Chen,

I hope I have reached the right person asking a few questions that I have.

I am originally from Japan and now a permanent resident in Canada.

I have a degree in Social work/Social welfare in Japan which including a credit of early childhood education/development.

I was wondering how to transfer or if it's even possible to do so. I would like some advise on this matter.

I have also finished a few courses (in counseling) a s.22
I have also experienced s.22 over 10 years in Canada.

Any advise from you would be very much appreciated.

Best Regards,

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX
Cc:	Scott, Samantha AG:EX
Subject:	FW: s.22
Date:	July 26, 2018 9:48:00 AM
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Hi Pauline,

Hope you're doing well.

I'm actually no longer in the AG's office, but I've cc'd my lovely colleague Samantha Scott who will be able to assist.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene [mailto:Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: July 26, 2018 9:42 AM

To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX

Subject: FW: s.22

Good morning Jasleen,

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Yours truly,

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject:	FW: Untitled TNO Report - Thursday, July 05, 2018
Date:	July 5, 2018 12:19:00 PM

From: Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca [mailto:Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 11:34 AM
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
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CFAX
Wednesday, June 06, 2018, 08:32
By CFAX

Lisa Best: Some local parents are scrambling for a plan B in the wake of news a large **child-care** centre is closing in Greater Victoria. The operators of Babies to Big Kids were told in April that they had nine months left on their lease.

They decided to **close** early, leaving families scrambling with a one-month notice. Esquimalt Councillor Meagan Brame, who is also the owner of the Saxe Point Day Care, says the crisis is

real.

Meagan Brame: Some of it is about spaces, but we have a chicken and the egg thing going on right now. The **child care** crisis is, we need more spaces, but we can't create more spaces unless we have more staff.

Best: Meagan says the province is in dire need of more ECEs, that's early childhood educators, and standards shouldn't be lowered in order to open more spaces. [xrz, mcfd, jtst, adv]

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Cc:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: Update: ECE Compensation Consultation
Date:	July 20, 2018 10:46:00 AM
Attachments:	ECE Compensation Engagement Timeline_July 18 2018 - FINAL.pdf ECE Compensation Engagement Questions_collated July 12 2018 - v2 - FINAL.docx Stakeholder Engagement Approach - Implementation of ECE Compensation Adjustments v2 - TB Sub - July 13 2018 - FINAL.docx

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From: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:44 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX ; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: Update: ECE Compensation Consultation

Paula and Jasleen – Knowing that s.22 I wanted to provide you with an update on where we are at with planning the confidential consultation on ECE compensation. The attached describes the approach and timelines. By end of day Friday, I hope to have a list of names of individuals who will be invited to participate. We'll be looking for a quick approval to proceed so that we can initiate the process next week. Please let me know if you need more information or need a briefing for MSCK or both ministers.

Thanks.

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject:	FW: UPDATED: MLA Childcare QA
Date:	July 17, 2018 1:22:00 PM
Attachments:	KM-QA_MLAs_Child Care Update_July 5 2018_DRAFT 2.docx

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 5:24 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: UPDATED: MLA Childcare QA

Hi all,

I've updated the QA with some key messages at the top of New Spaces Fund section. Let me know if you need anything further, hopefully this is good to go out to MLAs.

Thanks,

Brendan

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 4:44 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: UPDATED: MLA Childcare QA

Hi all,

I've updated the childcare FAQ for MLAs to include some bullets on the New Spaces Fund. I've also added a table of contents to make it easier to navigate. We might need to do some reordering but I wanted to get this across so that you can share for tomorrow's announcement.

Clare has prepared some tweets and will send them in the morning, once we have the link for the news release.

Thanks,

Brendan

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Brendan Wright
Public Affairs Officer
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Children and Family Development
E: brendan.wright@gov.bc.ca
T: (250) 356-2028

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Welcome/ Bienvenues.22
Date: July 19, 2018 10:15:00 AM

Hi Rhea,
I believe there has already been a back and forth, just ensuring there is communication and updates for the writer.
Best,
Jasleen

From: s.22
Sent: July 17, 2018 2:46 PM
To: CC Minister MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Welcome/ Bienvenue s.22
Hi
I haven't got any thing yet
Can I ask you already send me all the documents?

Thank you
Best Regards
s.22

On Jun 26, 2018, at 14:33, s.22 > wrote:

> Hi Katrina
> Please see below my attachment !
> The second picture is from Ontario CECE
> they noticed me I already got my certificate ,at the same time i also forwarded this Email to BC ECE and have Deborah name with Subject,
> then I got BC ECE automate reply email says they are reviewing case before 2018/5/22, but they received my additional information on 2018/05/25 so I still need to wait...
> I hoping when Deborah received my email can let me know when I can got my BC Certificate not just put me on the waiting list again!
> BC Ece need to you followed the agreement with Ontario give me BC Certificate!
> But I'm still not heard anything from Deborah yet!
>
> Best Regards
> s.22
>
> Begin forwarded message:
>
> **From:** "Yuka Kobayashi (CECE)" <yukak@college-ece.ca>
> **Date:** June 22, 2018 at 10:05:48 PDT
> **To:** 's.22
> **Subject: Welcome/ Bienvenue**
>
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Educators (the College)

Congratulations, you are now a Registered Early Childhood Educator (RECE)! Your Certificate of Registration and a member resource package will be mailed shortly to the preferred mailing address on file. Your official receipt is attached.
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Sincerely,

Registration Department

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L'Ordre apprécie le soutien que vous apportez à la réglementation de la profession d'éducatrice ou d'éducateur de la petite enfance pour protéger l'intérêt public. Nous

vous souhaitons bon succès dans l'exercice de votre profession.

Cordialement,

Service de l'inscription

From:	CC Minister MCF:EX
To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc:	Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject:	FW: You have a central role to play in this historic moment
Date:	July 4, 2018 1:52:00 PM
Attachments:	image8d18da.PNG image8262fd.PNG image24a2ef.PNG image024b5d.PNG image1b63e4.PNG CAN_Notes.docx BCPRC_SubmissionPRConsultation_Mar15_2018.pdf LettertoChen_June21_2018.pdf image001.png

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Hi Rhea,

A MoS Signature please.

Best,

Jasleen

From: trish bcpovertyreduction [mailto:trish@bcpovertyreduction.ca]

Sent: July 2, 2018 3:30 PM

To: CC Minister MCF:EX

Subject: You have a central role to play in this historic moment

Dear Minister Chen,

Please find attached a letter (also below) and two reports for your consideration as you and your colleagues undertake the work of developing the first ever poverty reduction plan for BC.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions. We would be more than happy to support your work.

Sincerely,

Trish

Trish Garner / Community Organizer
BC Poverty Reduction Coalition
#810 - 815 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, BC V6C 1B4
Coast Salish Territories
tel: 604-877-4553
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June 21, 2018

Honourable Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care
Government of British Columbia

Dear Minister Chen,

I am writing on behalf of the Community Action Network (CAN), a group of leaders living in poverty who have gone through our leadership development initiative and now lend their voice and expertise to the BC Poverty Reduction Coalition (BCPRC).

CAN members were excited about plans to speak to you in person before the legislative session was over, but unfortunately government staff were unable to find a day that worked with your busy schedule. We still plan to see you in Victoria in the fall but, in the meantime, CAN members want to make sure that two things remain in the forefront of your mind as you discuss government priorities for the next year: **the devastation of poverty *and* the unprecedented opportunity you have before you in developing the first ever poverty reduction plan for BC.**

> *"Life in the Downtown Eastside at times feels like a wasteland, and far too often, more so now than ever before,*

we're experiencing loss through death, loss of our homes, security and our income, even what we lack is taken away.

I want to be that voice that brings life, that ushers in the well-springs of life—an oasis."

Above is a quote from CAN member, Erica Grant, expressing that devastation of poverty but also the power of her voice in turning it around. She goes on to say: *"The music of a beautiful sounding symphony is made up of many instruments and not just one clanging cymbal."* While we may be the percussion section clanging away in the background, you as government are at the front singing the melody.

So we invite you, as Minister of State for Child Care, to use your voice to bring life, to create an oasis. You have a central role to play in this historic moment. As you consider your government and Ministry priorities, how will you ensure that you are raising your voice to contribute to the success of British Columbia's poverty reduction strategy?

I have attached 2 reports to support you in this work: notes from a CAN community workshop; and the submission from the BCPRC. I wish you a happy and productive summer season with your family, friends and constituents.

Sincerely,



Trish Garner, Community Organizer, BC Poverty Reduction Coalition





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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Loubert, Danny PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd:
Date: July 12, 2018 10:29:08 AM
Attachments: Attendance Declaration Package - July 2018.pdf
ATT00001.htm

Another one please!!!

I'll be right back

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 12, 2018 at 9:25:14 AM PDT
> **To:** "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
>
> Sincerely,
> **Cherie Wilson**
> *Administrative Assistant to*
> **The Hon. Katrina Chen**
> Minister of State for Child Care
> *In British Columbia, the Office of the Registrar of Lobbyists is responsible for monitoring and enforcing compliance with the Lobbyists Registration Act. To ensure that you are in compliance with the registration requirements for lobbyists under the Act please contact the Office of the Registrar of Lobbyists at: https://www.lobbyistsregistrar.bc.ca/.*
> Room 027 ¦ Parliament Buildings ¦ Victoria ¦British Columbia ¦ V8W 9E2
> Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can"t find a location-follow up
Date: July 11, 2018 5:59:46 PM

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX" <Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca>
Date: July 11, 2018 at 5:02:09 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up

Pacific Rim Montessori. ED is Meenu Chaudhary.
Principal
Pacific Rim Montessori Academy
meenu@prma.ca

Pacific Rim Montessori Academy

Website
Directions
Montessori school in Vancouver, British Columbia
Address: 1819 Larch St, Vancouver, BC V6K 3N9
Province: British Columbia
Phone: (604) 726-8428

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 4:52 PM
To: Anderson, Dulcy <Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
Would you be able to answer the below?

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On Jul 11, 2018, at 4:08 PM, Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> Can we also request more information about which child care facility is needing to relocate and perhaps a contact name/number? (this organization has a few facilities in this part of Vancouver).
> Thanks
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:39 PM
> **To:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX

Subject: RE: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up

Yes please! Any options and supports.

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 11, 2018 3:38 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up

Hi Jasleen,
We haven't rec'd any incomings on this provider or anything from parents. I double checked with staff in the program area as well.
Do you want the program area to reach and provide options thru the maintenance fund?

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 8:48 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up

Hey Rhea,
Have we heard from Pacific Rim and responded?

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX" <Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 10, 2018 at 3:24:06 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up**
>
> Jasleen,
> Despite trying to work with the City of Vancouver to find a space, we're going to lose 38 preschool childcare spots with the Pacific Rim Montessori because they just can't find a space to inhabit for the fall. I'm assuming out of your jurisdiction and that you have nothing to offer, but just to let you know that this is a real gap. Leases appropriate for childcare are vanishingly few. The church they were housed in is going to be turned into rental housing—great in another dimension (in 2 years), but not good alternatives for this kind of space.
> All the best,
> Dulcy
> Dulcy Anderson | Constituency Assistant | David Eby, MLA
> Vancouver-Point Grey

dulcy.anderson@leg.bc.ca | 604-660-1297|2909 West Broadway, Vancouver, BC V6K2G6|davidebymla.ca
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Blue Spruce Montessori
Date: July 9, 2018 12:14:36 PM
Attachments: Re Child Care Spaces.msg
ATT00001.htm

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX" <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 9, 2018 at 11:06:32 AM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: RE: Blue Spruce Montessori**
>
> Found this response. See attached.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rhea
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> Sent: Monday, July 9, 2018 7:57 AM
> To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> Subject: Blue Spruce Montessori
>
> Hi Rhea,
>
> Has there been any back and forth with Blue Spruce Montessori or any parents?
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Loubert, Danny PREM:EX
Subject:	Fwd: Buddings
Date:	July 12, 2018 9:43:59 AM
Attachments:	238169 MSKC - Buddings Daycare.dotx ATT00001.htm

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Hi Danny!

Would it be possible to print the below? A big thank you!

Best,
Jasleen

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> **From:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 12, 2018 at 9:39:54 AM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Buddings**

Sincerely,
Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Campaign - Brentwood CEFA
Date: July 23, 2018 8:47:33 AM

FYI

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX" <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 23, 2018 at 8:39:59 AM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Campaign - Brentwood CEFA

Hi Jasleen,
This is the info I have rec'd thus far…
Of the letters received so far, the majority of them are from parents regarding the CEFA Brentwood Facility. Below is some background on this facility along with next steps. I will have staff finalize the response for the parent letters early next week.

- ***There are 5 Rising Star Learning organizations funded through CCOF which have 8 facilities in total and run by President, Christine Yang.***
- ***Of the 8 facilities, 7 applied to opt-in to the CCFRI.***
- ***Of the 7 that applied, all 7 received a Not Approved email due to above median non-historical increases in March 2018 to $1,840 for infant toddler care and to $1,620 for 3 years to kindergarten care.***
- ***All 7 requested reconsideration and 3 were approved upon reconsideration and 4 facilities had the not approved decision upheld.***
- ***Rising Star Learning (Brentwood) with the CEFA Early Learning Brentwood facility is one of 4 facilities whose not approved decision was upheld after reconsideration.***
- ***The facility was notified by email on July 10, 2018 that their not approved decision was upheld. The email advised the provider that they have 10 business days to request full committee reconsideration of this decision.***
- ***On July 19, the program received a request for full committee reconsideration yesterday.***
- ***The program area will review the request and any additional information attached.***
- ***The provider will then be notified that the***

decision to Not Approve was overturned, or that their request has been forwarded to the Reconsideration Committee comprised of Ministry staff not involved in the original decision.

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: CFD Media Request: Interview request for Douglas Magazine
Date: July 9, 2018 6:07:24 PM

Hi Brendan, Cherie,

Can we set this up for Wednesday, wherever there is a gap?

Best,
Jasleen

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 9, 2018 at 3:16:45 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: CFD Media Request: Interview request for Douglas Magazine**
>
> Hi both,
> We've had an interview request from Douglas magazine for Minister Chen to speak to the effect that the child care plan has had on the economy, the public perception of the plan and what has been learnt from other jurisdictions.
> The reporter is hoping to speak to the minister for 5/10 minutes tomorrow, but could do Wednesday or Thursday if that's preferable. Her deadline is Friday.
> If it isn't possible to do an interview, she would also accept a statement.
> Please let me know how you'd like to approach this. I'm checking with Finance for their bullets on the benefit to the economy, and we can pull a response together from similar requests we've had.
> Thank you,
> Brendan
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Monday, July 9, 2018 3:09 PM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** CFD Media Request: Interview request for Douglas Magazine
> **Reporter**
> Susan Hollis, Other
> Douglas Magazine
> shollis@pageonepublishing.ca
> 250-595-7243
>
> **Deadline** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 4:00 PM

Request
Reporter is requesting 5/10 minute interview with Minister Chen to talk about:

- The effect that the child care crisis has on the workforce, poverty, family well-being and the economy?
- Public reception to allocating tax money to child care?
- What we have learnt from other jurisdictions/governments that has shaped the current child care plan?

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date: July 17, 2018 2:14:41 PM

Draft and including information mentioned below

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From: "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 17, 2018 at 1:43:35 PM PDT
To: "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>, "Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX" <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

I'm just following up with Christine to get those numbers and will have an updated version with you as soon as possible.
Brendan

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Realize we aren't including the info that Christine provided about the trend is actually the opposite of what is being suggested - how applications for childcare operator funding is actually up and we had 60 people on an info session for our New Spaces Fund. Can we add that?

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:41 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Good additions.
Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:40 PM

To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

This looks good to me, couple suggestions in bold

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

One update – I shortened the wage piece. See highlighted section below.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Please check for accuracy and flag any concerns. Thanks.

BC liberal says government's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

<!--[if !supportLists]-->1. <!--[endif]-->What is the government's response?

That suggestion is false. In fact, spaces will increase under our plan. Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to model affordable childcare at a maximum of $200/month. **For too long, there has been a childcare crisis in this province and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for BC families.** We are also working on a plan to increase the number of child care workers to ensure the new spaces are staffed. We know that wages for the child-care sector are a major issue, and I can assure you that we are working on it and more details will be available in the coming months.

<!--[if !supportLists]-->2. <!--[endif]-->What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?

Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to **$350 a month child**, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that (add in percentage) of providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. While I can't comment on the specifics of a survey without seeing

the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:25 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Happy to do that

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:21 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Alongside the statement if it is possible to offer up Minister Chen reaching out if they feel they need an audio recording in mandarin.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 12:30 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Importance: High

Hi both,

We've had a first request for a response to the BC Liberals statement that went out earlier. I know that you're working on a response at the moment. How would you like to approach this request? Deadline is 3pm today.

Thank you,
Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Reporter

Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
jiawenx@hotmail.com
778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request
BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?
2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?
3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: (s.22
Date: July 4, 2018 9:27:31 AM

Hi Rhea,

Can we have MLA Bullets go out to MLA Furstenau's office?

Best,
Jasleen

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Maguire, Maeve LASS:EX" <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 4, 2018 at 9:17:15 AM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Re:** (s.22
>
> Yes please. I can forward anything on via Sonia.
> Maeve
>
> ---
>
> **From:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** Wednesday, July 4, 2018 at 9:14 AM
> **To:** Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: (s.22
> Hi Maeve,
> Thanks for reaching out!
> Would it be best that a response come back to you?
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Maguire, Maeve [mailto:Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 4, 2018 8:13 AM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** s.22
> Hi Jasleen,
> Please see the email below from s.22
> s.22
>
> Thank you!
> Maeve Maguire | **Constituency Assistant**
> **Constituency Office of Sonia Furstenau, MLA**
> 164 Station St, Duncan, BC V9L 1M7
> Phone: 250-715-2793 | Fax: (778) 698-8934

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Maeve

From: "Rosenberg, Jane" <Jane.Rosenberg@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at 10:17 PM
To: Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Re; s.22

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Jane Rosenberg | **Constituency Assistant**
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Childcare spaces
Date: July 23, 2018 4:49:24 PM

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From: "Maartman, William EDUC:EX" <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 23, 2018 at 4:44:10 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Childcare spaces

FYI –
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From: McKenzie, Scott GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 4:41 PM
To: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Cc: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX; Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX
Subject: Childcare spaces

Hi Will, here are the KMs we have sent to MCFD re: childcare spaces.

- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->As a parent, I understand the stress this may have caused to families who have to find new daycare facilities for their children in a short period of time.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Access to affordable child care is critical for families and it is critical for our economy.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->There has been an increase in the number of portables being used by school districts because of pressures caused by the implementation of the Memorandum of Agreement with the BCTF.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->We are working to make sure that the use of portables to address growth pressures is not a long-term solution.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->This is a transitional time as schools are working hard to make classes smaller to meet the MOA and make life better for students.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->In the majority of the new and replacement schools we have announced, space has been included for Neighbourhood Learning Centres. The Ministry of Education strongly encourages school districts to incorporate childcare programs into Neighbourhood Learning Centres where it is known to be needed.

Also, to answer your question to Corinna, it is up to the school districts to order portables.
Thanks,

Scott McKenzie
Public Affairs Officer
Ministry of Education Communications
P: 778 698-7596
C: 250 893-4126

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: CKNW request for Minister Chen
Date: July 16, 2018 12:37:30 PM

Can we update Minister Chen for the below?

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX" <Shruti.Joshi@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 16, 2018 at 12:29:14 PM PDT
> **To:** "karen.johnston@gov.bc.ca" <karen.johnston@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX" <Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: CKNW request for Minister Chen**
>
> Hi Karen,
> Emily Lazatin CKNW has requested Minister Katrina Chen for an update on the $200 a month day care pilot program. She met her at the Premier's event this morning and the Minister has promised that she will get back to her as soon as possible. Emily would like a pre tape tomorrow. She's available from 7:00 am onwards. Her cell phone number: s.22
> According to her CBC's story on June 29 mentioned that there wasn't too much interest in this program and only a dozen providers were interested. As the deadline for this program has now passed she would like an update.
> Please do coordinate with her.
>
> Thanks
> Shruti
>
> Sent from my iPhone

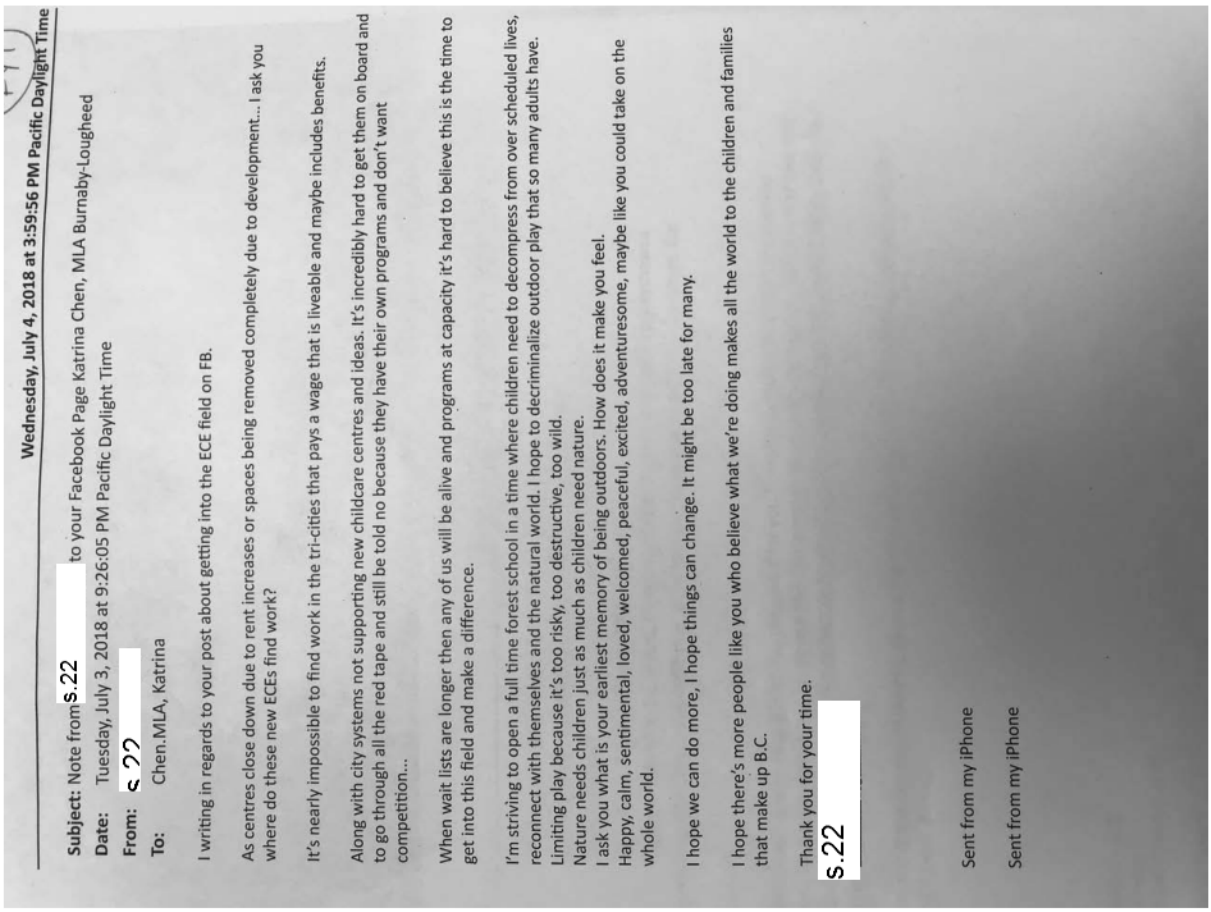
From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kubaric, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Correspondence
Date: July 13, 2018 8:15:49 AM

I believe I've already sent this through but double checking!

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 12, 2018 at 6:17:31 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Correspondence**
>
> Hello! Please ensure this is responded to. I believe it was forwarded to our Ministry but just want to double check. Thanks!



Wednesday, July 4, 2018 at 3:59:56 PM Pacific Daylight Time

Subject: Note from s.22 to your Facebook Page Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed
Date: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at 9:26:05 PM Pacific Daylight Time
From: s.22
To: Chen.MLA, Katrina

I writing in regards to your post about getting into the ECE field on FB.

As centres close down due to rent increases or spaces being removed completely due to development... I ask you where do these new ECEs find work?

It's nearly impossible to find work in the tri-cities that pays a wage that is liveable and maybe includes benefits.

Along with city systems not supporting new childcare centres and ideas. It's incredibly hard to get them on board and to go through all the red tape and still be told no because they have their own programs and don't want competition...

When wait lists are longer then any of us will be alive and programs at capacity it's hard to believe this is the time to get into this field and make a difference.

I'm striving to open a full time forest school in a time where children need to decompress from over scheduled lives, reconnect with themselves and the natural world. I hope to decriminalize outdoor play that so many adults have. Limiting play because it's too risky, too destructive, too wild.
Nature needs children just as much as children need nature.
I ask you what is your earliest memory of being outdoors. How does it make you feel.
Happy, calm, sentimental, loved, welcomed, peaceful, excited, adventuresome, maybe like you could take on the whole world.

I hope we can do more, I hope things can change. It might be too late for many.

I hope there's more people like you who believe what we're doing makes all the world to the children and families that make up B.C.

Thank you for your time.
s.22

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	Fwd: ECE
Date:	July 23, 2018 8:47:08 AM
Attachments:	ECE Compensation Engagement Timeline_July 18 2018 - FINAL.pdf ATT00001.htm Stakeholder Engagement Approach - Implementation of ECE Compensation Adjustments v2 - TB Sub - July 13 2018 - FINAL.docx ATT00002.htm ECE Compensation Engagement Questions_collated July 12 2018 - v2 - FINAL.docx ATT00003.htm ECE Compensation Stakeholder Engagement Contacts_July 20 2018_FINAL.docx ATT00004.htm

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> **From:** "Massey, Christine MCF:EX" <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 23, 2018 at 8:22:22 AM PDT
> **To:** "Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX" <Katrine.Conroy@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Bond, Allison MCF:EX" <Allison.Bond@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: RE: ECE**
>
> Yes, attached is the material. Not sure why it didn't get to you.
> Jasleen - the attached list of names is updated from what was sent Friday - it now has the "reserve" list that we will draw on if our first choices aren't available.
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX
> Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 8:19 AM
> To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> Subject: ECE
>
> Good morning. Was there briefing notes on this? Don't seem to have anything....
> Thanks, Kat
>
> Sent from my iPad

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date: July 17, 2018 3:03:58 PM

The newest

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 17, 2018 at 3:03:01 PM PDT
To: "Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX" <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>, "LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX" <Marg.LeGuilloux@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Approved from Jasleen and me – we added 2 words to the last line.

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:01 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Up to the MO's now. Program has provided advice.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

I think we need to directly say we are creating more spaces. Edited below.

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On Jul 17, 2018, at 2:47 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> See highlighted line below which is what Christine is more comfortable with. kj
>
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>
> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:39 PM

To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
FYI

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:38 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Hi all,
Here's an updated version of the response, reviewed by Christine. I've tried to capture feedback so far.
Let me know if you're happy with this response.
Thanks,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Reporter

Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
jiawenx@hotmail.com
778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?
Our plan will create more spaces. Last week we announced our plan to invest $221 million over three years specifically earmarked to create 22,000 spaces. We held our first information session for this funding this week, with almost 70 child care providers joining to learn more about the program.
For too long, there has been a child care crisis in this province, and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for

B.C. families. We are with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. In June, we also expanded our Childcare BC Maintenance Fund, which provides funding for providers to carry out repairs and maintain existing spaces. We have already received around 160 applications, and provided more than $400,000 in funding to ensure that child care providers can continue to provide quality care to families in their communities. We also launched Start-up Grants, which will support unlicensed providers to become licensed and allow them to care for more children.
In addition, we are working on a plan to increase the number of child care workers to ensure the new spaces are staffed. We know that wages for the child care sector are a major issue, and I can assure you that we are working on it and more details will be available in the coming months.
We continue to work with partners across government and other key stakeholders as we work to bring universal child care to B.C.

2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?
Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to 350 a month, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?
Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that 85% of eligible providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. So far, more than 47,000 licensed child care spaces have been approved for fee reductions. We're also receiving new applications for providers who are looking to receive Child Care Operating Funding for the first time, so that they can participate in the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.
While I can't comment on the specifics or reliability of a survey without seeing the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Background

Recommendation

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	Fwd: IBN 238376: ECE Education Support Fund Program
Date:	July 13, 2018 8:16:35 AM
Attachments:	238376 - Appendix A.docx ATT00001.htm 238376 IBN - ECE Education Support Fund Program.docx ATT00002.htm

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From: "Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX" <Carmen.Lapthorne@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 12, 2018 at 5:11:21 PM PDT
To: "White, Emily MCF:EX" <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>, "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>, "Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX" <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Sharma, Niki MCF:EX" <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>, "Cain, Krista A MCF:EX" <Krista.Cain@gov.bc.ca>, "Walker, Leah MCF:EX" <Leah.Walker@gov.bc.ca>, "Massey, Christine MCF:EX" <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>, "Tran, Kim C (Victoria) MCF:EX" <Kim.C.Tran@gov.bc.ca>, "Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX" <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>, "Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX" <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca>, "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>, "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: IBN 238376: ECE Education Support Fund Program

Hello,

Please see attached IBN 238376 prepared for MKC and MSKC regarding the ECE Education Support Fund Program provided *as information only at this time.*
DM Bond has approved the IBN.
Thank you,
Carmen Lapthorne
Information and Privacy Coordinator
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
250-893-0231

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.
Date: July 10, 2018 1:51:12 PM

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 10, 2018 at 1:23:34 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.

Yes.
Sincerely,
Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care
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Room 027 ¦ Parliament Buildings ¦ Victoria ¦British Columbia ¦ V8W 9E2
Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 10, 2018 1:23 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re: June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.
Do we still have a couple minutes?

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On Jul 10, 2018, at 12:03 PM, Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hey,
> These minutes can't wait for your approval tomorrow. They need to be approved by today as it is on the Cabinet agenda tomorrow morning.
> Sorry.
> Sincerely,
> **Cherie Wilson**

Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care
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Room 027 ¦ Parliament Buildings ¦ Victoria ¦British Columbia ¦ V8W 9E2
Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email:
Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

From: Lennox, Brenda PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, July 9, 2018 12:27 PM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.
Importance: High

Hi Cherie

Please find attached the minutes from the June 26 CCWG for the Chair's review and approval. MRF has already reviewed and approved as Acting Chair for the ECE item. Please note the ECE items looks longer than usual as all of the documents that the CCWG received on this item have to be detailed in the minute.

For the Chair's review and approval; appreciate a response soonest.

Many thanks

Brenda

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Letter re Prototype Funding
Date: July 18, 2018 11:36:48 AM

See below! A call please

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 18, 2018 at 11:24:29 AM PDT
> **To:** "CC Minister MCF:EX" <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Re: Letter re Prototype Funding**
>
> Please thank him for the letter, send it to the Ministry for a formal response - and also set up a call for me to connect with them.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Katrina
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> ---
>
> **From:** CC Minister MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 10:10 AM
> **To:** Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: Letter re Prototype Funding
>
> FYI
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> ---
>
> **From:** Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 9, 2018 9:34 AM
> **To:** CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: Letter re Prototype Funding
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Nicky Byres <nbyres@richmondchildcare.org>
> **Date:** Monday, July 9, 2018 at 9:22 AM
> **To:** "Chen.MLA, Katrina" <Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Letter re Prototype Funding
>
> Attached please find a letter from the Society of Richmond Children's Centres Board of Directors. Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours

Nicky Byres

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Nicky Byres
Executive Director
Society of Richmond Children's Centres

www.richmondchildcare.org

"Changing the World by Honouring Childhood"

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: List
Date: July 19, 2018 5:09:33 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Hey Cherie,

Can you see if there is any correspondence from any of the below providers first thing in the morning. Hoping to get all relevant correspondence to Gurveen by 9:30 am.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Dhaliwal, Gurveen LASS:EX" <Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca>
Date: July 19, 2018 at 4:35:09 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Chen, Katrina" <K.Chen@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: List

Jasleen/Katrina,
Our volunteer is going to schedule Katrina's decal meets tomorrow for Tuesday, are there any issues with any of them? It will be at most 10 minute drop ins
Thanks!!

Gurveen Dhaliwal
Constituency Assistant
Hon. Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed
#3 8699 10th Avenue, Burnaby
Phone: 604-660-5058 | Fax: 604-660-5074
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of BRITISH COLUMBIA

From: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 9:48 AM
To: "Dhaliwal, Gurveen" <Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: List

Facilty Name	Address
Univercity Childcare	130 - 8960 University High Street V5A 4Y6
Verdant Early Learning Center	9191 University Cres V5A 0A1
Angels Playhouse Multi-Age Childcare (Kentwood)	7650 Kentwood St V5A 2E7
Burquitlam Childcare	9847 Lyndhurst Street Burnaby, BC V3J 1E9
Harmony Family ChildCare	7750 Newcombe St, Burnaby, BC V3N 3W4
Beyond Care	8350 11Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2P4
Puddle Splashers Child Care Society	7231 Frances St, Burnaby, BC V5A 1H1
Forest Grove Child Care Center	8650 Cinnamon Dr, Burnaby, BC V5A 4H7
Village Day Care	3290 Ganymede Dr, Burnaby, BC V3J 1A4
Golden Apple Daycare	2181 Sperling Ave V5B 4K6

Sophia Child Care Facility	8007 19th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 1G2
Babes N'Tots Daycare	5227 Chesham Ave **Burnaby** V5B 4K6
Broadway Daycare Center	6644 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5B 2Y5
Three Bears Daycare	9887 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 1M3
Rising Starts Daycare	8098 11th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2N7
Morning Star Family Child Care	1345 Aldrin Pl V5A 2N9
Grace Montessoir Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Grace Montessori Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Kidz Zone	8546 16th Ave V3N 1S5
Almighty Love and Family Day Care	8546 16TH AVE, V3N 1S5
Starlight Child Care Center	8187 12th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2L3
Cameron Children's Center	9838 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 0B4
Spring Childcare	7050 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5A 1R8
Kids Link Out Of School care	7502 2nd St,V3N 3R5
Baby Smart Child Care Center	6905 Hycrest Dr, Burnaby, BC V5B 2X3
Birchwood Day Care Center	7328 Dunvegan Crt, Burnaby, BC V5A 3R5
Brightstart Children's Acdemy Ltd	2830 Bainbridge Ave, Burnaby, BC V5A 2S7

Would this be a complete list without any university locations?

Jasleen Arora
Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Chen | Ministry of the State for Childcare
PO Box 9044 Stn Prov Gov, Victoria, BC, V8W 9E2 | 778-584-0267

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
Date: July 26, 2018 9:19:14 AM

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>
> **Date:** July 12, 2018 at 7:23:30 AM PDT
> **To:** <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** <shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>
> **Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th**
>
> Hey Paula and Jasleen,
>
> I hope you're both well. It was lovely to meet you both in person in your beautiful province!
>
> I wanted to follow up with you on some of the things we discussed in the meeting. Firstly, I will connect you with our colleagues from Labour to discuss the LMDAs that we chatted about in our meeting.
>
> Also, this is a link for the ELCC agreements signed across the country which we agreed to share:
> https://www.canada.ca/en/early-learning-child-care-agreement/agreements-provinces-territories.html
>
> With respect to having follow ups on IELCC, I believe Shannon is already in touch with you Paula on that account. Obviously not much has changed on our part as we haven't yet announced but Shannon is your best point of contact for all things IELCC.
>
> Please be in touch if we can offer any other support and again appreciate you taking the time from your cabinet retreat to meet with us.
>
> Sincerely,
> Ayesha
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: June-26-18 2:16 PM
> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
> Cc: Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Hi everyone,

Just a FYI.

Unfortunately MLA Brar can no longer make it to today's event. However, MLA Begg and Minister Sims will still be attending.

Best,
Jasleen

-----Original Message-----
From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: June 25, 2018 12:03 PM
To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca' <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Yes we can make that work Ayesha, it isn't too bad a drive to Coquitlam actually (in a Lower Mainland context anyway!) Is there a specific room number we should have?

-----Original Message-----
From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 9:37 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Hey Paula,

This is the closest Service Canada, does this work?

South Surrey SCC, 103-15295 Highway 10, Surrey, V3S 0X9

-----Original Message-----
From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: June-25-18 12:36 PM
To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Our ministers coming from Vancouver and Burnaby and have to be in Coquitlam by noon, so hopefully we can find a location that works for everyone.

-----Original Message-----
From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 9:29 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Double checking with the department on locations Paula!

Ayesha

-----Original Message-----
From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: June-25-18 12:26 PM
To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
Subject: Ministers' meeting on the 27th

Hi Ayesha, do you have options for the location of the meeting of our Ministers with Minister Duclos on Wednesday? Paula

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 22, 2018, at 12:24 PM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hey Jasleen,
>
> Location and time are correct.
>
> I did want to clarify that there's no formal announcement planned - more of a local media opportunity to engage on ELCC.
>
> We don't have any planned remarks but just a more general visit with local media.
>
> Happy to chat if you'd like more information.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Ayesha
>
> -----Original Message-----

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-22-18 3:16 PM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Hi Ayesha,

Hope you've been well.

Confirming that the event is taking place June 26th at 3:30 pm at CEFA Fleetwood.

Is there a particular contact number I can provide to folks that can attend? It looks like Minister Sims, MLA Brar, and BLA Begg will be able to join.

Best,

Jasleen

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Sent: June 22, 2018 11:16 AM

To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca'

<ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>

Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Thank you Ayesha, and I am now adding Minister of State Chen's MA Jasleen Arora to the conversation, as she is coordinating with our

Surrey MLAs. Please include her for any more info on logistics etc.

One question we had, we are thinking our MLAs will be there on behalf of our Ministers and just wanted to confirm that that is the understanding on your side too and will be reflected in any speaking notes etc.?

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Friday, June 22, 2018 11:07 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Just reaching out to the centre to confirm on their end so didn't want to preemtively say anything but the location is:

http://cefa.ca/find-school/surrey-fleetwood/

Cefa - Fleetwood

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-22-18 2:05 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Hi Ayesha, any update on the location for your event?

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 12:39 PM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

We had a meeting with our department today on details and we advised them that we had reached out to you on the initial date, and we finalized details today which they were going to communicate to the department.

The delay comes from moving parts, the location wasn't confirmed and we were just advised the Fleetwood Place Children's Centre can't host us.

So we're still confirmed on the initial date and time I proposed, but we are working on the location. We would be ecstatic to have the MLA join us, and I'll communicate the location as soon as we have one nailed down.

I'll be running in and out of the office for the next little while but

don't hesitate to call me at s.22 anytime (or shoot me a

text!)

With respect to the meeting with the Ministers, we could make closer to 10:25 work? I am just trying to air on the side of caution as I would hate to make your Ministers wait in the case our announcement is running late/we hit traffic. Completely understandable if the ministers have to leave a little earlier than 11. Thank you for being accommodating to our schedule.

Looking forward to meeting you in person, Ayesha -----Original

Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-21-18 2:55 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

By department do you mean the ministry comms staff is contacting our comms staff? I just spoke with our comms people and they didn't know anything about this so you know.

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 11:20 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Apologies Paula, our department said they were going to get in touch regarding the event.

The ELCC event is still slated on June 26th at 3:30PM at the Fleetwood Place Children's Centre, Surrey.

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-21-18 2:18 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

One more question Ayesha, should I be letting our MLAs know about the event from 9 to 10?

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 10:33 AM

To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca'

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Let me talk to my team members who are from Vancouver and see if my travel times are overly pessimistic, perhaps we can split the difference and do 10:15 to 10: 45 or 10:30 to 10:50.

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 10:11 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Unfortunately we have an announcement slated from 9-10 and we wouldn't want to commit to ten, and if we're running late have the Ministers both wait on us. Additionally, the location of our announcement is a construction site and wouldn't have any meeting space available.

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-21-18 12:16 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

They have to be in Coquitlam for 12 sharp so that meeting time will be a bit too late, given travel times in the Lower Mainland. !0 to 10:30 would work though.

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 9:07 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Sincere apologies I meant 27th! Typed the wrong date because I was thinking about the next date.

We also checked with our department and they're going to try and find us a Service Canada location that would be able to host us all which I can turn around to you soon.

Does the time for the 27th work?

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-21-18 12:03 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

The 28th the Ministers are in an all day Cabinet meeting, it was the morning of the 27th that had opened up Ayesha.

-----Original Message-----

From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

[mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 8:18 AM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

Hey Paula,

It would be great for the Ministers to be able to meet. The morning of the 28th we will be in Surrey and we would have an opportunity to meet with both Ministers between 10:30AM - 11:00AM.

I'm still in the process of confirming our location which I can send to you as soon as possible but would that work for your teams?

Ayesha

-----Original Message-----

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June-20-18 9:07 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: Re: ELCC on June 26th

Hi Ayesha, I just let Shannon know this too, the morning of the 27th has opened up as Cabinet now starting at noon. The ministers have to be in Coquitlam for noon so may be some logistical hurdles (also trying for a face to face meeting of the 3 ministers) but is the best window.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 20, 2018, at 2:30 PM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca> wrote:

Hey Paula!

Thank you for your response. Yes we were looking at Surrey! Fleetwood more specifically.

Ayesha

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Bell network.

Original Message

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX

Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 1:17 PM

To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]

Subject: Re: ELCC on June 26th

Hi Ayesha, the Minister of State for Childcare has constituency events in the 26th that I wasn't aware of, sorry it's just that this is rather last minute! Our local MLAs could possibly be available - is it still Surrey you are thinking of?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 19, 2018, at 6:51 AM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca<mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-

rhdcc.gc.ca<mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>> wrote:

Hey Paula,

Hope you're well.

As a follow up to yesterday's call we are hoping to organize an ELCC event on June 26th to best accommodate everyone.

Would you be able to chat today about logistically that would look like and we can start the planning?

Thank you kindly,

Ayesha Chughtai

Special Assistant, West & North / Adj. spéciale, l'Ouest et nord

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Nanaimo site visit
Date: July 5, 2018 2:54:17 PM

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Cain, Krista A MCF:EX" <Krista.Cain@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 5, 2018 at 2:04:07 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Nanaimo site visit**
>
> Hi
> Okay so we have confirmation:
> **'UXWIN MIMNE' DAYCARE CENTRE**
> JOHN BARSBY SECONDARY SCHOOL
> 550 7TH ST
> NANAIMO
> V9R 3Z2
> COURTNEY DEFRIEND
> Phone: 250-753-8291
> They confirmed my original invitation of 3:15 to 3:45, but I have emailed back and asked to move to 3 to 3:30. I will let you know when that is confirmed. We could do longer as we have time….
> Krista
> **Krista Cain**
> Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
> Deputy Minister's Office
> Ministry of Children and Family Development
> 778.698.5089

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Please note.
Date: July 9, 2018 12:23:02 PM

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Clark, Layne PREM:EX" <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 9, 2018 at 10:44:34 AM PDT
To: LP Ministerial Assistants <LPMAs@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Moran, Roseanne LASS:EX" <Roseanne.Moran@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Please note.

Hi Everyone,
I just want to confirm that everyone is on the same page for MLA travel to Kamloops on June 22nd for the Caucus meeting.
MLA's are covered for the following:

<!--[if !supportLists]-->-<!--[endif]-->Thursday, June 21st at Hotel 540
<!--[if !supportLists]-->-<!--[endif]-->Return flight (or cost of other transit method)
<!--[if !supportLists]-->-<!--[endif]-->There is no per diem on the Friday, as breakfast and lunch was provided.

Unless your Minister had ministerial duties in the area, this should be an MLA/Caucus expense. All other nights would be considered a personal expense.
If you have any questions, do not hesitate to give me a call.
Thanks,
Layne

Layne Clark
Director of Liaison and Coordination
Premier's Office
P: 250-356-0273 | C: 250-818-5583 | E: layne.clark@gov.bc.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Queenie"s Enquiry - New Child Care Space Funding
Date: July 17, 2018 5:00:54 PM

Reply direct please!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 17, 2018 at 4:58:52 PM PDT
> **To:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Fw: Queenie's Enquiry - New Child Care Space Funding**
>
> Please ask our Ministry staff to respond to this inquiry and provide information regarding our new spaces funding.
>
> Thank you,
>
> Katrina

From: Queenie Choo <queenie.choo@success.bc.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 4:23 PM
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Cc: Joseph Lau; Casey Clerkson
Subject: Queenie's Enquiry - New Child Care Space Funding

Hi Katrina,

It was so nice to see you today at the PCN consultation table.

I totally support you to increase the child care spaces. As I mentioned, our new project will be located at 3802 Hasting Street Burnaby around the Heights neighbourhood where child care is highly in demand. Our project is well supported by the City of Burnaby in that we are the successful proponent to this project that is awarded by the City.

In our project, child care will be one of the priorities. SUCCESS as a non-profit

organization, we need to seize funding opportunities to help with our capital cost. With the New Child Care Space Funding, would you be able to connect me with your staff in order to access this funding opportunity for the child care development in this new project by a non-profit organization like SUCCESS? Many thanks!

Best,

Queenie Choo

CEO

S.U.C.C.E.S.S. & S.U.C.C.E.S.S. Foundation

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Questions from LMNH
Date: July 6, 2018 3:54:13 PM

MLA Bullets please!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Heyman.MLA, George LASS:EX" <George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Date: July 5, 2018 at 3:16:12 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Questions from LMNH

Hi Jasleen,
I have a few questions from the Little Mountain Neighbourhood House in Fairview that I'm hoping you can assist us with. Let me know if you have help provide some information for them on the following (these are their notes):

<!--[if !supportLists]--**1.** <!--[endif]--**Previous cuts to childcare Minor Capital Grants - status on restoring;**

<!--[if !supportLists]--● <!--[endif]-->When the NDP were last in power MCFD offered 2 grants that licensed child care providers could apply for:

<!--[if !supportLists]--· <!--[endif]-->Major Capital grant (up to $10,000.00)

<!--[if !supportLists]--· <!--[endif]-->Minor Capital grant (up to $5,000.00) to help with emergency repairs, replacement or equipment, or relocation

<!--[if !supportLists]--● <!--[endif]-->When the Liberals came into power they dropped the Major Capital grant and reduced the Minor from $5,000.00 to $2,000.00. It would be nice if the Minor was at least brought back up to $5,000.00 per program per year. $2,000.00 does not go far when you have to replace carpets, cubbies, sofas, etc....

<!--[if !supportLists]--**2.** <!--[endif]--**Compensation for non-profit Child Care workers;** we need to pay staff hire wages in order to retain good staff. George mentioned that this would be negotiated at the Union bargaining table. We are concerned that staff who are not unionized and even those of our staff who are not with the with the union that the government would be negotiating with. Once the wages are negotiated will the non-profit child care workers benefit from these negotiations from the government meaning -giving funding to the operators to help increase these staffs wages/benefits

<!--[if !supportLists]--**3.** <!--[endif]--**BA in Child Care program;** In the NDP platform there was talk about providing more funding to help train ECE's. There is currently a bursary, but it is only for the post basic (infant and toddler). My question is will the bursary $'s go up, will they include basic (ECE - 3 to 5 yr

olds) training as well as include $'s towards those who qualify and want to obtain their BA in Early Childhood Education The BA will cost significantly more that ECE (Basic) and Post Basic training since the BA will be done at an university and not at a college.

Thanks for your help!

Lisa Dekleer
Constituency Assistant
Hon. George Heyman, MLA | Vancouver-Fairview
604-775-2453 **|** 642 West Broadway, Vancouver BC
http://georgeheymanmla.ca/

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Quick Call Today?
Date: July 18, 2018 5:34:34 PM

Hi Rhea,

A reply direct please!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** craig@jangula.ca
> **Date:** July 18, 2018 at 4:48:55 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Sharma, Niki MCF:EX" <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Re: Quick Call Today?**
>
> Hi Jasleen,
>
> Thank you for your email.
>
> The questions are as follows:
>
> 1) Is the application form ready for existing private sector providers who wish to request (new) funding to provide additional spaces.
>
> 2) Do you know roughly how many new child care centres have opened in Langley and Maple Ridge recently that were previously operating as either an unlicensed facility or were previously not operational ? I ask this question because the clients I work with are trying to get a sense of the changing landscape within the sector.
>
> 3) Do you know what the maximum grant is that a private sector operator can apply for (the overall amount)?
>
> Thanks in advance for looking into these questions.
>
> Best regards,
> Craig
>
> On Jul 18, 2018, at 1:35 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX

<Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Craig,
Hope you're well.
I believe you have a few quick questions regarding our new initiative to create spaces, please feel free to respond to this email with your questions or reach out to cc.minister@gov.bc.ca. Providers are also welcome to reach out via the above email or phone call at 1 888 338-6622 (option 5).
As I don't have context in regards to your previous interactions, likely best to wait until Niki is back in the office.
Best,
Jasleen
From: Craig Jangula [mailto:craig@jangula.ca]
Sent: July 17, 2018 1:17 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Quick Call Today?
Good afternoon Jasleen,
Hope your day is going well.
I've been speaking with Niki Sharma in the past in regarding some questions that a few private-sector daycare operators have raised.
I have a few quick questions that I would like to run past you.
Do you have time to talk today for about 5 minutes?
Best regards,
Craig
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Craig Jangula
President, Jangula and Company Consulting
604-817-7817
Craig@Jangula.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair
Date: July 13, 2018 4:49:32 PM

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From: "Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX" <Katrine.Conroy@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 13, 2018 at 3:45:54 PM PDT
To: "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Massey, Christine MCF:EX" <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair

That would be nice. Maybe we could organize a lunch when we are both in Vancouver

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 13, 2018, at 12:35 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Oh great, very glad to hear that! The Ministers could send a card too I think if the lunch idea does not work now.
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>
> **From:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 13, 2018 12:34 PM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX; Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair
> The PCCC members, led by Sandra, presented a card and a gift to Wayne at the last meeting.
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> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 13, 2018 12:30 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX; Chen, Katrina MCF:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Re: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair
> Not that I know of Paula. I believe a lunch was being planned prior to s.22 s.22 . I can ask Cherie now to see if anything was made concrete.
>
> Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 13, 2018, at 12:27 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi all, I am wondering if there was any card or gift given to Wayne in recognition of his many years as Chair of the PCCC? Niki and I talked about organizing this back in May or June ahead of the last PCCC meeting he was at, but I realized during our call with Sandra that I wasn't sure if this happened, either at that last meeting or since. If not, don't think it is too late and would be happy to get a card etc.
> Paula
> ***Paula Gunn***
> ***Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy***
> *Minister of Children and Family Development*
> British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St,
> Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
> 250-387-1977

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair
Date: July 13, 2018 12:33:05 PM

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Chen, Katrina MCF:EX" <Katrina.Chen@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 13, 2018 at 12:32:12 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: Re: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair**
>
> Yes I asked if I can meet with Wayne and Charles for lunch to thank them in person. I'm happy to do that and we can meet in mid way in Burnaby (Wayne's Vancouver and Charles is from Surrey).
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> Thanks!
>
> Katrina
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> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 13, 2018 12:30 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Conroy, Katrine MCF:EX; Chen, Katrina MCF:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Re: recognition for outgoing PCCC chair
> Not that I know of Paula. I believe a lunch was being planned prior to s.22 s.22 I can ask Cherie now to see if anything was made concrete.
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> On Jul 13, 2018, at 12:27 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Hi all, I am wondering if there was any card or gift given to Wayne in recognition of his many years as Chair of the PCCC? Niki and I talked about organizing this back in May or June ahead of the last PCCC meeting he was at, but I realized during our call with Sandra that I wasn't sure if this happened, either at that last meeting or since. If not, don't think it is too

late and would be happy to get a card etc. Paula

Paula Gunn
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Minister of Children and Family Development
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250-387-1977

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.
Date: July 10, 2018 2:14:25 PM

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Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX" <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 10, 2018 at 2:06:32 PM PDT
> **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: FW: Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.**
>
> Hi Jasleen,
> See response from staff:
> *Called the provider and advised of the BC Maintenance Fund and the relocation funding, she wasn't aware and was happy to receive the information. She confirmed that they have been told they need to leave their current location in a Church, in August.*
> Thanks,
> Rhea
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 9, 2018 7:54 AM
> **To:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Re: Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.
> Hi Rhea,
> Have we reached out to the provider as mentioned in the letter?
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> On Jun 27, 2018, at 1:11 PM, Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Hi Jasleen,
> > Attached is the response that will be sent this afternoon. Please let me know if there is an issue with this.
> > Thanks,
> > Rhea
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> >
> > **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> > **Sent:** Wednesday, June 27, 2018 9:30 AM
> > **To:** CC Minister MCF:EX
> > **Cc:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> > **Subject:** Re: Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.
> > Hi Rhea!
> > There's a little bit of a rush on the one below.

Any help on this would be great!
Thanks very much,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 26, 2018, at 2:51 PM, CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Rhea,
> Would you be able to update me on the below?
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> **From:** Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** June 8, 2018 9:02 AM
> **To:** CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.
> FYI
> **From:** s.22 [mailto:s.22]
> **Sent:** Thursday, June 7, 2018 11:34 PM
> **To:** Chen.MLA, Katrina <Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Sir Andrew Day Care Eviction.
>
> Hi Katrina,
> https://globalnews.ca/news/4261601/burnaby-daycare-facing-eviction-sudden-eviction-given-extension-to-end-of-summer/
> Not sure if you've seen this news.
> s.22
>
> This center ha s about 40 children that need to find the day care and after school care with such short notice.
> s.22
>
> I hope this can get your attention. Our child care and afterschool care system really need some improvement.
> Thanks,
> s.22
> <238293_s.22 _Child Care Centre Eviction.docx>

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Updated for Nanaimo
Date: July 13, 2018 11:24:26 AM
Attachments: Site visit QualCourtComox.docx
ATT00001.htm

Hi Clare,

Hoping we can do a FB post for Nanaimo. We had a CCRR and roundtable and site visits.

I've tweeted already. There are pictures online on Flickr and I'll send a few along as well.

The itinerary is attached and the woman that toured us (premier and MSKC) around the first site visit is Tammie Myles. She also went over to the secondary site with us as well.

MLA Doug Routley and MLA Leonard Krog also joined us at the second site visit alongside the premier.

A little one didn't want to let go of MSKC very cute! In the Flickr pictures and on twitter.

Best,
Jasleen

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From: "Cain, Krista A MCF:EX" <Krista.Cain@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 6, 2018 at 5:10:59 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Updated for Nanaimo

Please also repring for July 10…added CCOF for Last visit.
thx

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 4:45 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Updated for Nanaimo

Updated for the extra visit at 2:40 with Tillicum Lelum – new site, no information provided. Staff seemed eager to show Minister and Premier their new location. Situated in a building with youth and elder services as well as youth safe house.
Monday looks like a full day!
Krista

Krista Cain
Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations

Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
778.698.5089

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject:	Fwd: UPDATED: BCEHS News Release
Date:	July 24, 2018 1:49:38 PM
Attachments:	20180725_NR_More paramedics for Trail.docx ATT00001.htm

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From: "Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX" <Kassandra.Dycke@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 24, 2018 at 1:44:38 PM PDT
To: "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: UPDATED: BCEHS News Release

Hi Jasleen,
Just an FYI … minor changes were made to the BCEHS Trail paramedics NR. (as below) The number of f/t paramedics in the community is seven, not six. Updated copy attached for Minister Conroy.

The increase in staffing to seven full-time paramedics will allow the station to operate two dedicated ambulances 24-7, as well as an additional ambulance operating during peak daytime demand hours. "By increasing ~~doubling~~ Trail's full-time paramedic staff and adding . . ." (Minister Dix)

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Chen, Katrina MCF:EX
Subject:	Fwd: UPDATED: Materials for SFU annoucement
Date:	July 5, 2018 4:51:21 PM
Attachments:	Itinerary - AEST-JTT July 6- Mitacs_UpdatedJuly5_340pm.docx ATT00001.htm SN_Emcee_Mitacs_July5_230pm.docx ATT00002.htm

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From: "Avendano, Christian AEST:EX" <Christian.Avendano@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 5, 2018 at 4:40:14 PM PDT
To: "Sharma, Niki MCF:EX" <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Dhaliwal, Gurveen LASS:EX" <Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: UPDATED: Materials for SFU annoucement

Hello
There has been a small change to the program for tomorrows announcement. It looks like SFU's President Andrew Petter will be at the announcement and will have a speaking role. Attached are revised speaking notes and itinerary.
If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.
Thanks
Christian

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wall, Selina LASS:EX
Subject: Fwd: UPDATED: MLA Childcare QA
Date: July 6, 2018 6:49:40 AM
Attachments: KM-QA_MLAs_Child Care Update_July 5 2018_DRAFT 2.docx
ATT00001.htm

Let me know if this is helpful

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX
Subject:	Fwd: UPDATED: SNs, New Spaces Fund
Date:	July 5, 2018 4:09:10 PM
Attachments:	SN_MKC_New Spaces Fund_July 6 2018_DRAFT 7.docx ATT00001.htm SN_MSKC_New Spaces Fund_July 6 2018_DRAFT 4.docx ATT00002.htm SN_MC Notes_New Spaces Fund_July 6 2018_DRAFT 2.docx ATT00003.htm

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The ones that say MC

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> **From:** "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 5, 2018 at 3:53:47 PM PDT
> **To:** "Gunn, Paula MCF:EX" <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>, "Sharma, Niki MCF:EX" <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>, "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** "Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX" <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>, "Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX" <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: UPDATED: SNs, New Spaces Fund**
>
> Hi all,
> Attached are updated notes for both Ministers and MC notes for Selina Robinson.
> Thanks,
> Brendan

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Murray, Kimberly GCPE:EX
Subject: GCPE Stakeholder Call

Dial-in: s.15; s.17 Participant ID: s.15; # Moderator ID: s.15; (Karen is moderator)

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Get off your phone!!
Date: July 19, 2018 4:23:00 PM

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Leonard.MLA, Ronna-Rae LASS:EX
Subject: Itinerary - July 10th
Date: July 8, 2018 5:25:06 PM

Hi Leanne,

I wanted to ensure you have the updated itinerary. Please let me know if MLA Leonard can't make anything!

Again, I can always be reached at 778-548-0267.

See you soon!
Jasleen

10:50 am to 11:40 am (approx. 50 mins)	Drive to Courtenay		
11:45 am to 12:45 pm	LUNCH	Suggestion: s.22	
Driving Time 2 minutes (from Atlas)			
1:00 pm to 1:30 pm	CCRR	237 3rd Street Courtenay	Joanne Schroeder Executive Director 250-338-4288 Ext. 233
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	Round Table	237 3rd Street Courtenay BC	Joanne Schroeder Executive Director 250-338-4288 Ext. 233
Driving Time 6 minutes			
2:45 pm to 3:30 pm	Little Friends Early Learning Centre TBC	B 4830 Headquarters Rd, Courtenay	Natalie Robinson 250-338-8445
3:30 pm	Depart Courtenay		

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Maguire, Maeve LASS:EX
Subject: Itinerary for July 9th
Date: July 5, 2018 9:59:00 AM

Hi Maeve,
Hope you're doing well.
Looking forward to starting the tour in Duncan!

I thought I would pass along the itinerary for the morning of July 9th. I should say that we'll be driving down so just in case we're running a little late is there a contact number that we can have? Also feel free to reach out to me directly in the case that's needed, I'll be with the minister – 778-584-0267. Lastly, you'll notice our provider site visit is currently TBC. I'll keep you posted with relevant changes.

Time (including travel time)	Venue/Location	Address
8:30 am to 8:55 am	CCRR Duncan	5856 Clements St Duncan
Walking Time **4 minutes**		
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Round Table	VIU Cowichan Room 210 2011 University Way Duncan
Driving Time		
10:15 am to 11:00 am	VISIT TBC	

Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX
Subject: John Barsby secondary school - Uxwin mimne childcare
Date: July 9, 2018 3:35:49 PM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
ATT00002.txt
ATT00003.txt
ATT00004.txt
ATT00005.txt

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Dhaliwal, Gurveen LASS:EX
Subject: List
Date: July 19, 2018 9:48:00 AM

Facilty Name	Address
Univercity Childcare	130 - 8960 University High Street V5A 4Y6
Verdant Early Learning Center	9191 University Cres V5A 0A1
Angels Playhouse Multi-Age Childcare (Kentwood)	7650 Kentwood St V5A 2E7
Burquitlam Childcare	9847 Lyndhurst Street Burnaby, BC V3J 1E9
Harmony Family ChildCare	7750 Newcombe St, Burnaby, BC V3N 3W4
Beyond Care	8350 11Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2P4
Puddle Splashers Child Care Society	7231 Frances St, Burnaby, BC V5A 1H1
Forest Grove Child Care Center	8650 Cinnamon Dr, Burnaby, BC V5A 4H7
Village Day Care	3290 Ganymede Dr, Burnaby, BC V3J 1A4
Golden Apple Daycare	2181 Sperling Ave V5B 4K6
Sophia Child Care Facility	8007 19th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 1G2
Babes N'Tots Daycare	5227 Chesham Ave **Burnaby** V5B 4K6
Broadway Daycare Center	6644 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5B 2Y5
Three Bears Daycare	9887 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 1M3
Rising Starts Daycare	8098 11th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2N7
Morning Star Family Child Care	1345 Aldrin Pl V5A 2N9
Grace Montessoir Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Grace Montessori Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Kidz Zone	8546 16th Ave V3N 1S5
Almighty Love and Family Day Care	8546 16TH AVE, V3N 1S5
Starlight Child Care Center	8187 12th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2L3
Cameron Children's Center	9838 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 0B4
Spring Childcare	7050 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5A 1R8
Kids Link Out Of School care	7502 2nd St,V3N 3R5
Baby Smart Child Care Center	6905 Hycrest Dr, Burnaby, BC V5B 2X3
Birchwood Day Care Center	7328 Dunvegan Crt, Burnaby, BC V5A 3R5
Brightstart Children's Acdemy Ltd	2830 Bainbridge Ave, Burnaby, BC V5A 2S7

Would this be a complete list without any university locations?

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: local CCRR meeting and local roundtable in Duncan
Date: July 9, 2018 12:13:18 PM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
ATT00002.txt

Small group picture is the CCRR - Clements Centre Society. Large is the roundtable. And the local Green MLA Sonia Furstenau (may want to check spelling) joined us for both

FB and Twitter please!!!

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX; Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX
Subject: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th
Date: July 4, 2018 11:52:00 AM

Hi everyone,

We're changing our lunch location on the 9th so that it is closer to PacificCARE – the childcare resource and referral centre as we'll be heading there after!
I'll keep everyone posted once we confirm that.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Date: July 13, 2018 9:12:35 AM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
ATT00002.txt
ATT00003.txt

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Date: July 26, 2018 7:51:00 PM

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Date: July 13, 2018 9:14:48 AM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
ATT00002.txt
ATT00003.txt
ATT00004.txt

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject:	Media Scan - Nanaimo
Date:	July 4, 2018 10:15:00 AM
Attachments:	North Island Child Care media.msg ECE Shortage.msg ECE Wages Media Scan.docx Nanaimo Child Care Scan.docx

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Hi Mira,

Niki was in touch regarding a media scan for Nanaimo.

Hope this is helpful.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: Nanaimo Pictures
Date: July 13, 2018 11:27:13 AM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
ATT00002.txt
ATT00003.txt
ATT00004.txt
ATT00005.txt

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Nanaimo Visit
Date: July 6, 2018 2:56:00 PM

Hello all,
The PO has been in touch and Premier Horgan will be joining us for a site visit on Monday in Nanaimo. However they would like a release signed for photographs and an invite out to parents. Just wondering if you could get that release over to Krista so she can get it to the provider.
Thanks in advance!
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: New Time Proposed: GCPE and Stakeholder Communications meeting

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Parte, Maura PSA:EX
Subject: Online Workshop
Date: July 24, 2018 11:10:00 AM

Hi Maura,
Hope you're doing well.
I wanted to follow up regarding the online workshop, I was able to chat about removal with Amber and she was supportive. I'd be happy to chat further via phone.
Best,
Jasleen
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Subject: Quick Question!
Date: July 8, 2018 5:29:39 PM

Hello!

For our roundtable in Nanaimo, what did the mayors or councillors say from Parksville and Qualicum?

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Re: 113490 - FOR ED SIGNATURE: Vancouver Inner City Daycare Closure
Date: July 11, 2018 8:38:09 AM

Paula is correct, staff have a more detailed knowledge as this was in the works. We were attempting to support. They will be able to speak to this.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 11, 2018, at 8:37 AM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> A rush response is fine Rhea. Thank you.
>
> Apologies for the delayed response, I was on tour for two days.
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> On Jul 10, 2018, at 2:00 PM, Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Hello Jasleen,
> > Over to you for your recommendation/direction. AEST is asking for MCFD to respond. Due to potential tight timelines (centre is closing at end of July), recommend rush response.
> > Paula, I am copying you as FYI.
> > Thanks,
> > Rhea
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> > ---
> >
> > **From:** Oaten, Jeremy AEST:EX
> > **Sent:** Tuesday, July 10, 2018 1:38 PM
> > **To:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Newburg, Pam A MCF:EX
> > **Subject:** FW: 113490 - FOR ED SIGNATURE: Vancouver Inner City Daycare Closure
> > **Importance:** High
> >
> > Good afternoon,
> > Is MCFD working on a response to the letter below by chance? There seems to be some media coverage on the issue so I'm sure you are aware, but not sure if you received the same incoming as well. If not, it may be worth redirecting to you because AEST can only really speak to the ECE training piece referenced in the attachment.
> > Appreciate your thoughts!
> > Jeremy Oaten, MA, CIAPP-C
> > Manager, Business Services & Ministerial Correspondence and Research Unit
> > Office of the Deputy Minister
> > Ministry of Advanced Education, Skills and Training
> > T: 250 356-7966

C: 250 217-6951
F: 250 356-5468

From: Minister, AEST AEST:EX
Sent: Friday, June 29, 2018 3:54 PM
To: AEST MCRU Incoming Corresp Working Box AEST:EX
Subject: 113490 - FOR ED SIGNATURE: Vancouver Inner City Daycare Closure
Importance: High

For ED signature on Minister's behalf
Branch: Post-Secondary Programs
Issue: Hlth Prgrm – Health Programs - General
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From: Loock, Christine [mailto:cloock@cw.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, June 22, 2018 7:42 AM
To: Diana Elliott (advisor@aidp.bc.ca); Dana Brynelsen (danabrynelsen@gmail.com); Minister, AEST AEST:EX; Richard, Bernard RCY:EX
Cc: Hanson, Denise; Diaczun, Tessa; Grace Tait (gtait@ywcavan.org)
Subject: Vancouver Inner City Daycare Closure
Importance: High

Diana, Dana, Melanie and Bernard
We need your help on the Phil Bouvier Family Centre Daycare and its impending closure in late July.
Below is a draft letter our RICHER team plans to send advocating for action to resolve this.
These higher needs children and families cannot be without daycare while the adults work through this. This violates Jordan's Principle. The availability of infant toddler spots is too scarce to risk losing this site. AIDP and ASCD also have a strong presence there.
The center is also in an integrated, mixed urban inner city neighbourhood in transition, and we should also not segregate these children with special needs. There are risks of exacerbating the xenophobia that is all too prevalent in news and social media coming from the south.
The proposed "drop in" is unworkable. These children are in need of quality, skilled, trauma informed, and culturally competent integrated special needs daycare, that can empower and support their parents and other caregivers. The skilled ECE workers must be fairly compensated.
Moving forward we also need to expand to fuller capacity, as originally planned, and built to accommodate ~90 children, and consider adding these as responsive "emergency" services for families in transition and crisis, similar to the YWCA Crabtree mixed model.

Ideas? Advice? Out team is prepared to work on a proposal for additional funds and for planning and evaluating outcomes, as we did in the past, to get this centre opened. But there must not be an interruption in service.
Chris

To Whom it May Concern,

We are a community-based team of family & pediatric Nurse Practitioners and Pediatricians from BC Children's and Sunny Hill Health Centre that work in a collaborative health partnership with inner city childcare programs, including Phil Bouvier Family Centre. We have a long history of collaboration with Phil Bouvier Family Centre, from the planning, development and implementation phases over 10 years ago to the ongoing provision of primary care and specialized health, mental health and developmental assessments to the children and families who use the Centre. We are writing to you to advocate for the preservation of quality, responsive childcare spaces; currently provided at Phil Bouvier Family Centre.

An environmental scan of local childcare centres shows that infant, toddler and pre-school spaces currently available meet approximately 50% of the demand given the birth rates known within the local Downtown East Side (DTES) community. The loss of Phil Bouvier Family Centre eliminates a further 49 childcare spaces, leaving vulnerable families without necessary support. This violates the UN Convention of Child's Rights, which outlines the basic right of the child to have secure childcare services and facilities, especially for children of working families (Article 18.3). In the spirit of Jordan's Principle, the child-first principle protects the right of First Nations children from disruption of essential services, including child care programs that will disadvantage their well-being and development.

The children in the DTES community have among the highest rates of developmental vulnerability in Vancouver. It is well understood that quality childcare services provide an important intervention for children with developmental lags. Through our relationship with Phil Bouvier Family Centre, our health care team has provided health services, early identification and intervention for many families and their young children who have undiagnosed developmental, behavioural, mental health and/or medical problems that impact their learning, socialization and school readiness. Phil Bouvier Family Centre also provides a critical touchpoint for families who experience barriers to health care services for their children because of systemic and historical trauma and/or discrimination to bridge the gap to pediatric services that are place-based within their community. This type of intervention improves the well-being, health, development, education and mental health outcomes of vulnerable, high-risk children affected by social determinants of health (i.e.poverty, unemployment, housing and food insecurity, child development and mental health).

We strongly advocate for the preservation of the 49 childcare spaces (and ideally expansion to the original community plan for 89) within the Phil Bouvier Family Centre to support the childcare needs of families in the inner city and surrounding communities, particularly for children with developmental vulnerability and special needs. This advocacy is timely, given the publicly and politically acknowledged need for accessible, quality, affordable childcare for children in Vancouver.

Sincerely,

Christine A. Loock, MD, FRCPC
Associate Professor, UBC, Developmental Pediatrician
Medical Director, RICHER Program
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Sunny Hill Health Centre for Children (CDBC Program)
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Subject: ASCD Provincial Advisor - REVISED Job Posting

This message is sent on behalf of BCHCDA (Alliance) Member Diana Elliott

NOTE: This job posting has been revised with a new deadline of June 29…

Please post and circulate to all your contacts and networks…

Thank you…

~Diana~

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX
Subject: Re: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can"t find a location-follow up
Date: July 11, 2018 3:59:25 PM

Ministry staff will reach out

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 11, 2018, at 3:51 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hey Dulcy,
> Having ministry staff look into options.
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Anderson, Dulcy [mailto:Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 10, 2018 3:24 PM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
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> All the best,
> Dulcy
> Dulcy Anderson | Constituency Assistant | David Eby, MLA Vancouver-Point Grey
> dulcy.anderson@leg.bc.ca | 604-660-1297|2909 West Broadway, Vancouver, BC V6K2G6|davidebymla.ca
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX
Subject: Re: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can"t find a location-follow up
Date: July 11, 2018 4:52:02 PM

Would you be able to answer the below?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 11, 2018, at 4:08 PM, Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> Can we also request more information about which child care facility is needing to relocate and perhaps a contact name/number? (this organization has a few facilities in this part of Vancouver).
> Thanks
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:39 PM
> **To:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> **Subject:** RE: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
> Yes please! Any options and supports.
>
> **From:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> **Sent:** July 11, 2018 3:38 PM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
> Hi Jasleen,
> We haven't rec'd any incomings on this provider or anything from parents. I double checked with staff in the program area as well.
> Do you want the program area to reach and provide options thru the maintenance fund?
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 8:48 AM
> **To:** Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Fwd: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up
> Hey Rhea,
> Have we heard from Pacific Rim and responded?
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> Begin forwarded message:
>
> > **From:** "Anderson, Dulcy LASS:EX" <Dulcy.Anderson@leg.bc.ca>
> > **Date:** July 10, 2018 at 3:24:06 PM PDT
> > **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject: about to lose 38 preschool spots because can't find a location-follow up**

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Re: ACCB - Fax Line
Date: July 16, 2018 11:30:56 AM

Hi Christine,

Thanks for the quick follow up.

She's aware of the options for the CRA consent form. It was actually her Childcare Arrangement Subsidy form. She said she's tried everyday for approximately a week and the line is busy. She did take a second look at the fax machine to ensure all was functioning well.

She'll try again now!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2018, at 11:26 AM, Massey, Christine MCF:EX <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen – staff have tested the lines and aren't seeing any issues. Is she trying to return her CRA consent form? If so, there are other options than fax. In fact, I think clients can take a photo of their form and email it in.
> cm
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 9:45 AM
> **To:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Subject:** ACCB - Fax Line
> Hi Christine,
> Hope you had a great weekend.
> The Toll Free Fax line for ACCB seems to be busy consistently, we've found this out through our lovely AA In our office who is currently trying to get her paperwork in.
> Let me know if you've heard otherwise.
> Thanks,
> Jasleen

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Advancing
Date:	July 4, 2018 10:30:00 AM

We were going to figure out capacity first. We can now reach out and see if folks are able to attend.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 4, 2018 10:15 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Advancing
How many invitees ladies?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Hagglund, Jarrett GCPE:EX" <Jarrett.Hagglund@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 4, 2018 at 10:11:58 AM PDT
> **To:** "Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX" <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject: RE: Advancing**
>
> Hey Karen, How many people were you thinking of inviting? I think we could hold 30-40 in the larger room. Let me know your thoughts.
>
> If it's a lot more you had in mind we can push for outdoor venue.
>
> Jarrett
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 5:03 PM
> To: Hagglund, Jarrett GCPE:EX
> Subject: RE: Advancing
>
> Okay-- thanks - kj
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Hagglund, Jarrett GCPE:EX
> Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 5:02 PM
> To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> Subject: Advancing
>
> Hey Karen.

Sorry I missed your call. Unfortunately I can't advance it until Thursday but have been in touch with the centre and gotten some pics ect. They have two options for rooms and one is larger. I'm also seeing the feasibility of outdoor playground announcement. Let me get a bit more details and should be able to give you an idea of numbers early tomorrow.

Cheers.

Jarrett

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Approved MLA BULLETS
Date: July 26, 2018 10:11:00 AM

This can come to me for today s.22 Niki would be best. I also gave you a phone call, feel free to call back any time!

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 26, 2018 9:33 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Approved MLA BULLETS

Morning ladies,
Who should I send approved MLA bullets to prepare and send to MLA/CA?
There are some that are overdue so we shouldn't wait too long on these.
Thanks,
Rhea

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 9:31 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Approved MLA BULLETS

Hi Rhea,
Sorry. Things are so crazy this week. I will be out all day and evening with a tour. My idea is to send to Niki and Jasleen and ask them for assistance with MLA bullets.
Sorry!
Edena
Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 9:24 AM, Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX <Rhea.Kuharic@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Edena,
> Double checking with you to see who I should send approved for MO bullets.
> Please let me know, have some to send over!
> ☺ Hope things are going well!

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Best Friends Children"s Centre Inc G-91645
Date: July 16, 2018 10:44:00 AM

Perfect, thank you!

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 10:42 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Best Friends Children's Centre Inc G-91645

Hi Jasleen,

I have confirmed with Anne the program area is already working on this.

Recommend we change to FYI – MSKC was cc'd on this. The incoming is addressed directly to Anne.

Let me know if this is ok.

Rhea

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 10:16 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Best Friends Children's Centre Inc G-91645
Importance: High

Hi Rhea,

A reply direct please.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Stephanie Hill [mailto:stephanie@bestfriendspittmeadows.ca]
Sent: July 10, 2018 12:01 PM
To: Wetherill, Anne MCF:EX <Anne.Wetherill@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Massey, Christine MCF:EX <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca>; Conroy.MLA, Katrine LASS:EX <Katrine.Conroy.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>; Wilkinson.MLA, Andrew LASS:EX <Andrew.Wilkinson.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Beare.MLA, Lisa LASS:EX <Lisa.Beare.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Throness.MLA, Laurie LASS:EX <Laurie.Throness.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Ehl, Cameron LASS:EX <Cameron.Ehl@leg.bc.ca>; marc.dalton.mla@leg.bc.ca
Subject: Best Friends Children's Centre Inc G-91645
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Dear Ms Wetherill,

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Please see the attached Wages document. These wages are going to have to be rolled out in stages so we can afford to do it.
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Stephanie Hill
Owner/Executive Director
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604-457-1211 office
604-603-0609 cell

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Heyman.MLA, George LASS:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Buddings
Date: July 8, 2018 2:18:23 PM

It'll now be 11:10 at Buddings on Thursday!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 6, 2018, at 4:07 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> I'm so sorry. We have to change Buddings again, it will likely be Thursday from 11-12pm. One of us will confirm!
>
> **From:** Heyman.MLA, George [mailto:George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** June 22, 2018 1:17 PM
> **To:** Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: Buddings
> Thanks Cherie and Jasleen!
> **Lisa Dekleer**
> Constituency Assistant
> Hon. George Heyman, MLA | Vancouver-Fairview
> 604-775-2453 **|** 642 West Broadway, Vancouver BC
> http://georgeheymanmla.ca/
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>
> **From:** Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX [mailto:Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Friday, June 22, 2018 12:46 PM
> **To:** Heyman.MLA, George <George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: Buddings
> Hi Lisa,
> We were able to reschedule Buddings meeting for July 11th at 12:15pm - 12:45 pm .
> Have a good weekend.
> Sincerely,
> **Cherie Wilson**
> *Administrative Assistant to*
> **The Hon. Katrina Chen**
> Minister of State for Child Care
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Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

From: Heyman.MLA, George [mailto:George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, June 22, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Buddings

No worries, Buddings is a few blocks from our office.
Have a good weekend!

Lisa Dekleer
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 11:44 AM
To: Heyman.MLA, George <George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Buddings

Oh my.
Lisa and Nadja, my apologies. It was a day yesterday and we cancelled at the last moment. I hope you weren't too inconvenienced.
Most definitely can keep you posted and apologies again!
Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 21, 2018, at 11:28 AM, Heyman.MLA, George <George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> Can you let us know when the Buddings meeting is re-scheduled so Nadja or I can attend?
> Thanks!
>
> **Lisa Dekleer**
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Loubert, Danny PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Buddings
Date: July 12, 2018 10:01:10 AM

Thank you!!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2018, at 9:51 AM, Loubert, Danny PREM:EX <Danny.Loubert@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> No problem
> **Danny Loubert** | Administrative Coordinator, Operations and Strategic Initiatives
> Vancouver Cabinet Office | Office of the Premier
> **P:** 604-775-1677 | **E:** Danny.Loubert@gov.bc.ca
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 12, 2018 9:44 AM
> **To:** Loubert, Danny PREM:EX <Danny.Loubert@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Fwd: Buddings
> Hi Danny!
> Would it be possible to print the below? A big thank you!
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> Sent from my iPhone
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> Begin forwarded message:
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> > **From:** "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Date:** July 12, 2018 at 9:39:54 AM PDT
> > **To:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject: Buddings**
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Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: capital Funding child care spaces
Date: July 6, 2018 8:03:23 AM

Hey Lynne,

I'm with the Minister today in Vancouver and we're on tour Monday and Tuesday, do you think you could email/text any questions? I can try and get them answered as we move along for the day!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 3:41 PM, Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> If you are free tomorrow could we chat about the above.
> Nothing urgent – so no worries if you are busy.
> Thx
> Lynne
> ***Lynne Stone***
> ***Executive Assistant to Hon. Claire Trevena***
> ***Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure***
> ***Phone: 778-676-3562***

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Bowen, Bev LASS:EX
Subject: Re: Caucus Room - BIPOC Meeting
Date: July 12, 2018 9:32:49 AM

Thanks Bev!

We're still confirming with the group but just thought we should get in a request early. I'll keep you posted if there are any changes.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2018, at 8:20 AM, Bowen, Bev <Bev.Bowen@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Good morning Jasleen,
>
> I have booked the Caucus Room for BIPOC Meeting for Wednesday, July 25th from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm.
>
> Best,
>
> Bev
>
> **********
>
> **Bev Bowen** | Office Manager | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
> **P:** 250.953.4659
> bev.bowen@leg.bc.ca | www.bcndpcaucus.ca
>
> **Help save paper - do you need to print this email?**
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:36 PM
> **To:** Bowen, Bev <Bev.Bowen@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Caucus Room - BIPOC Meeting
>
> Hi Bev,
>
> Hope you're doing well.
>
> Can we book the caucus room for our BIPOC meeting on July 25th from 2-3pm please?
>
> Best,
>
> Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Media Request: Interview Request for Monday morning show on CHNL (CHNL Radio Kamloops)
Date: July 6, 2018 4:15:08 PM

Wonderful, thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 6, 2018, at 4:14 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Thanks Jasleen, I've just sent that up to the station and will get call in details over to you as soon as I've got them.
> Brendan
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 6, 2018 4:10 PM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Re: CFD Media Request: Interview Request for Monday morning show on CHNL (CHNL Radio Kamloops)
> Yes, she can do 7:00 am!
>
> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Jul 6, 2018, at 3:19 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Hi Jasleen,
> > Apologies I wasn't clearer on the timeslot – they're looking for an interview between 6 – 9am.
> > Would the minister be available then?
> > Thanks,
> > Brendan
> >
> > **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> > **Sent:** Friday, July 6, 2018 3:18 PM
> > **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Cc:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject:** Re: CFD Media Request: Interview Request for Monday morning show on CHNL (CHNL Radio Kamloops)
> > Hi Brendan!
> > We could likely chat for a couple minutes at about 10:05 am.
> > I'll be with the Minister and can reach out if we're running late - 778-548-0267.
> > Maybe scheduling for 10:05 and we can go accordingly!
> > Best,

Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 6, 2018, at 3:14 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> Apologies that I missed you off the initial email. Niki mentioned that she's passed this over to you. Please could you let me know if Minister would be available for this interview? The station has asked for confirmation by end of day.
> Thanks,
> Brendan
>
> ---
>
> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Friday, July 6, 2018 11:14 AM
> **To:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>; White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** CFD Media Request: Interview Request for Monday morning show on CHNL (CHNL Radio Kamloops)
> Hi all,
> We've had an interview request from CHNL Radio in Kamloops for one of the Ministers – or someone else if you'd prefer – to speak about the New Spaces Fund on Monday (July 9) morning.
> They're looking for around 10 minutes, interview live on air.
> Would either Minister be available to do an interview?
> Thank you,
>
> Brendan
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> ---
>
> **From:** Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Friday, July 6, 2018 11:10 AM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** CFD Media Request: Interview Request for Monday morning show on CHNL
> **Reporter**
> Jamie Shinkewski, Producer
> CHNL Radio (Kamloops) AM 610
> jshinkewski@newcap.ca
> 250-571-5229

Deadline Friday, July 6, 2018 4:00 PM

Request
CHNL would like to speak to someone about the New Spaces Fund on Monday morning.

Minister would join Howie Reimer between 6 - 9am for 1-on-1 interview live on air.

Background

Recommendation

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: CFD Media Request: Interview Request: Minister response to Liberal statement on childcare
Date:	July 17, 2018 3:12:00 PM

Hi Brendan,
Katrina would like to aim closer to 9 am if possible. Cherie can assist with a gap that may work best.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 3:07 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: CFD Media Request: Interview Request: Minister response to Liberal statement on childcare
Hi all,
We've had a request for a pre-recorded interview with the Minister to respond to the Liberal statement on child care. Looking for around 5 mins, tomorrow morning (around 8 – 9, if possible).
This is a general response to the statement, the reporter didn't have any specific questions.
Please could you let me know if the Minister has any availability for this interview?
Thank you,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:05 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Interview Request: Minister response to Liberal statement on childcare
Reporter

Martin McMahon, Reporter
News 1130
martin.macmahon@rci.rogers.com
604-877-4400 c: 604-877-4400

Deadline ASAP

Request
Reporter would like to do pre-recorded interview with Minister on government's response to the Liberal statement on child care - approx 5 minutes.

Hoping to get interview for AM July 18 (preferably around 8 - 9)

Background

Recommendation

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc:	Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date:	July 17, 2018 2:32:00 PM

Few thoughts:
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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
s.13

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:41 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Good additions.
Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:40 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
This looks good to me, couple suggestions in bold

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
One update – I shortened the wage piece. See highlighted section below.
Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Please check for accuracy and flag any concerns. Thanks.

BC liberal says government's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response?

That suggestion is false. In fact, spaces will increase under our plan. Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to model affordable childcare at a maximum of $200/month. **For too long, there has been a childcare crisis in this province and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for BC families.**

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2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?

Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to **$350 a month child**, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that (add in percentage) of providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. While I can't comment on the specifics of a survey without seeing the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:25 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Happy to do that

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 1:21 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Alongside the statement if it is possible to offer up Minister Chen reaching out if they feel they need an audio recording in mandarin.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 12:30 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX

<Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Importance: High

Hi both,

We've had a first request for a response to the BC Liberals statement that went out earlier. I know that you're working on a response at the moment. How would you like to approach this request? Deadline is 3pm today.

Thank you,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Reporter

Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
jiawenx@hotmail.com
778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?
2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?
3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wall, Selina LASS:EX
Subject: Re: Child Care - Information Card
Date: July 12, 2018 4:16:30 PM

Maybe not using the term "10/day pilot" Rewording.

Also, for maintenance fund just acknowledging that it's open to all licensed - seems to not acknowledge nonprofit

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2018, at 3:58 PM, Wall, Selina <Selina.Wall@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Sorry Jasleen,
> I just realized I sent you an old draft.
> **Child Care**
> **Affordable Child Care**
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->A new benefit of up to $1,250 per month for families earning $111,000 a year of less.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Fee reduction for licensed care (0-5 years) of up to $350 per month regardless of income.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->More than $1 billion over the next three years to lay the foundation for a universal child care system that will provide access to affordable, quality child care for anyone in B.C. who wants or needs it.
>
> **Access For Families**
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->22,000 new licensed child care spaces across BC created through a $221-million investment in the Childcare BC New Spaces Fund.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->$10/day pilot will convert 1,800 spaces around the province into low-cost centers, costing parents $200/month/child.
>
> **Quality Care For Our Kids**
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Childcare BC Maintenance fund tripled to $1.2 million, for licensed family, in-home multi-age, and private-group child care providers to access minor repair and replacement funds.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->$30-million expansion of Aboriginal Head Start (AHS) programs to provide culturally based inclusive child care and early learning, family bonding and prevention services.
>
> ---
> **From:** Wall, Selina
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 12, 2018 3:33 PM
> **To:** Biazi, Mahdiyar <Mahdiyar.Biazi@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: Child Care - Information Card
> Success, we have approval!
>
> Best,
> **Selina Wall** | Research and Communications Officer | New Democrat BC

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T: 250 387-0314 | **C:** 250 886-6878 | **F:** 250-387-4680
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wall, Selina LASS:EX
Subject: Re: Child Care - Information Card
Date: July 12, 2018 3:31:35 PM

Hey Selina,

This is fine!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 10, 2018, at 10:57 AM, Wall, Selina <Selina.Wall@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Good morning Jasleen,
> We are developing information cards for constituency offices on all of the various ministries' accomplishments.
> Can you please take a quick look at the information below and let me know if it is good to go out, and whether you would add anything?
>
> **Child Care**
>
> **Affordable Child Care**
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->A new benefit of up to $1,250 per month for families earning $111,000 a year of less.
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Fee reduction for licensed care (0-5 years) of up to $350 per moth regardless of income.
>
> **Access For Families**
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->22,000 new licensed child care spaces across BC.
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Better support for children with diverse needs.
>
> **Quality Care For Our Kids**
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Enhancing quality early learning opportunities.
>
> <!--[if !supportLists]-->● <!--[endif]-->Supporting Early Childhood Educators and providers.
>
> Best,
> **Selina Wall** | Research and Communications Officer | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
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> selina.wall@leg.bc.ca | www.bcndpcaucus.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Re: child care fee reduction initiative
Date: July 13, 2018 2:53:18 PM

Hi Rhea,

Just hoping for an update on CEFA Brentwood? Any formal response re: this provider?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 12, 2018, at 2:12 PM, CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Rhea,
> A reply direct please, explaining the process and any supports.
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> **From:** Chen.MLA, Katrina [mailto:Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** June 11, 2018 12:06 PM
> **To:** CC Minister MCF:EX <CC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: child care fee reduction initiative
>
> **From:** s.22
> **Date:** Monday, June 11, 2018 at 11:47 AM
> **To:** "Chen.MLA, Katrina" <Katrina.Chen.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, "katrina.chen@bcndp.ca" <katrina.chen@bcndp.ca>
> **Subject:** child care fee reduction initiative
> To Ms. Katrina Chen:
> We live in the s.22 They are enrolled with s.22 : CEFA Brentwood and Sunflower daycare. Both providers applied to opt in to the child care fee reduction initiative and were denied. They stated they were denied solely because they had increased their rates just prior to the government approving this fee reduction initiative program. They have both appealed the government's decision.
> As parents, we are frustrated, and disappointed with the government's decision because of the child care provider our children are with. How do we present our concerns and get the child care fee reduction approved for our two providers? Can you help us look into this at the provincial level?
> We believe all eligible child care providers should be approved to opt in to the fee reduction initiative despite what the rates are.
> Regards,
> s.22

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Maguire, Maeve LASS:EX
Subject: Re: s.22
Date: July 4, 2018 9:27:50 AM

Great! Thanks Maeve!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2018, at 9:17 AM, Maguire, Maeve <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Yes please. I can forward anything on via Sonia.
> Maeve
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> **From:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** Wednesday, July 4, 2018 at 9:14 AM
> **To:** Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** RE: s.22
> Hi Maeve,
> Thanks for reaching out!
> Would it be best that a response come back to you?
> Best,
> Jasleen
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>
> **From:** Maguire, Maeve [mailto:Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 4, 2018 8:13 AM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** s.22
> Hi Jasleen,
> s.22
>
> Thank you!
> Maeve Maguire | **Constituency Assistant**
> **Constituency Office of Sonia Furstenau, MLA**
> 164 Station St, Duncan, BC V9L 1M7
> Phone: 250-715-2793 | Fax: (778) 698-8934
> Please note: The constituency office will be closed for summer break from July 30 to August 12. Regular office hours will resume on August 13. If you need assistance during this time, please email sonia.furstenau.mla@leg.bc.ca.
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> Maeve

From: "Rosenberg, Jane" <Jane.Rosenberg@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at 10:17 PM
To: Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Re; s.22

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Jane Rosenberg | **Constituency Assistant**
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Maguire, Maeve LASS:EX
Subject: Re: s.22
Date: July 4, 2018 9:27:50 AM

Great! Thanks Maeve!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2018, at 9:17 AM, Maguire, Maeve <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

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> **From:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** Wednesday, July 4, 2018 at 9:14 AM
> **To:** Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
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> Would it be best that a response come back to you?
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> **Sent:** July 4, 2018 8:13 AM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
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> Maeve

From: "Rosenberg, Jane" <Jane.Rosenberg@leg.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at 10:17 PM
To: Maeve Maguire <Maeve.Maguire@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Re:s.22

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Singh, Balkaran LASS:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Child Care Roundtable w/ Minister Katrina Chen
Date: July 26, 2018 2:56:00 PM

Thanks Balkaran, we'll pass along to MSKC.

Hope you've been well!

-----Original Message-----
From: Singh, Balkaran [mailto:Balkaran.Singh@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 26, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Child Care Roundtable w/ Minister Katrina Chen

Hi, Niki... Jasleen.

Hope you're both well.

Rachel Chernoff, one of the attendees of the Daycare roundtable in ND, said that MKC expressed interest in connecting with Ms Chernoff again regarding inclusion and supporting the Indigenous community. She wasn't sure of how to initiate contact so she just emailed our office. Thought I'd forward it to you both.

> Rachel Penner Chernoff
> ASCD/SCD Coordinator and Respite Coordinator
> Reach Child and Youth Development Society
> 604.946.6622 ext. 318
> rachelc@reachchild.org

Have a great summer.

Best,
Balkaran
Constituency Assistant for Ravi Kahlon, MLA – Delta North | (604) 502 5448 Balkaran.Singh@leg.bc.ca | 8350 112 Street,
Delta, BC V4C 7A2

Constituency Assistant for Rachna Singh, MLA – Surrey Green Timbers | (604) 501 8325
Balkaran.Singh@leg.bc.ca | #100-9030 King George Boulevard,
Surrey, BC V3V 7Y3

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wall, Selina LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Childcare Announcement
Date: July 5, 2018 10:48:00 AM

Hi Selina,
I hope to be able to get that to you shortly!
Best,
Jasleen

From: Wall, Selina [mailto:Selina.Wall@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 9:56 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Childcare Announcement
Hi Jasleen,
Could you please send me some BNs on the upcoming childcare announcement. I am working on that piece for BC Matters and it would be great to have ready to go for Monday in order to amplify the capital spending announcement.
Best,
Selina Wall | Research and Communications Officer | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wall, Selina LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Childcare Op-ed
Date: July 20, 2018 9:27:00 PM

A few things:
- "subsidy" was mentioned a few times - should be "fee reduction" or "benefits".
- re: creating spaces. 22,000 will definitely significantly help with waitlist pressure, but I think we need to tweak the language a bit as it may not eliminate all waitlists (depending on region, etc.)

From: Wall, Selina [mailto:Selina.Wall@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 20, 2018 9:28 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Childcare Op-ed
Hi Jasleen,
Can you please take a look at the attached piece? We are looking to publish on BC Matters early next week. Let me know if you think there should be any changes.
Happy Friday!!!!
Thank you,
Selina Wall | Research and Communications Officer | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
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selina.wall@leg.bc.ca | www.bcndpcaucus.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: RE: childcare opportunity - Lytton
Date: July 16, 2018 3:43:00 PM

Great, thank you

From: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:42 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: childcare opportunity - Lytton

I will start with my counterpart at education.

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 2:36 PM
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: FW: childcare opportunity - Lytton

Can we connect accordingly?

Best,

Jasleen

From: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Sent: July 9, 2018 4:21 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: childcare opportunity - Lytton

Hi Jasleen,

As discussed in June - below are the contacts for two groups in Lytton that could be approached for possible childcare options.

Background:

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Contacts for the School Districts – Board Chair: Valerie Adrian - vadrian@sd74.bc.ca
Contacts for the NkshAytkn Community Committee – lead organizer: Gloria Raphael - gloraphael@gmail.com

I have also attached our IN that has some helpful context. Thanks again Jasleen!

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Will Maartman
Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Education
778-679-4952

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Subject: RE: childcare opportunity - Lytton
Date: July 16, 2018 2:37:00 PM

Thanks, we'll connect accordingly.
Sorry for the delay, Niki is away right now so it's just me!
Best,
Jasleen

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To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: childcare opportunity - Lytton

Hi Jasleen,
As discussed in June - below are the contacts for two groups in Lytton that could be approached for possible childcare options.
Background:
Two schools in the town of Lytton - which is predominantly indigenous - is consolidating two schools into one as there is very low enrollment in the district. This difficult decision made by the school board was opposed by the community group (nkshAytkn Caring for our Children Committee) who instead argued that a new school should be built that could offer a community centre, childcare etc. Unfortunately given the lack of enrollment in the area or seismic concerns a new school build in Lillooet is very low on ministry priorities across the province.
The school district has gone ahead with their plan to close the elementary school and consolidate all the students into the K-12 school. This leaves an empty building open for potential use.
I have briefed both groups on our ministry's position around capital for new schools.
MRF has expressed hope that govt can work with the community and possibly utilise the SD space and new childcare capital to provide needed services in the old school location or somewhere else in the community.
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Contacts for the NkshAytkn Community Committee – lead organizer: Gloria Raphael - gloraphael@gmail.com
I have also attached our IN that has some helpful context. Thanks again Jasleen!
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Will Maartman
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Subject: Re: Childcare spaces
Date: July 23, 2018 4:49:29 PM

Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 23, 2018, at 4:44 PM, Maartman, William EDUC:EX <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> FYI –
> W
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> **From:** McKenzie, Scott GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 23, 2018 4:41 PM
> **To:** Maartman, William EDUC:EX
> **Cc:** Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX; Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** Childcare spaces
>
> Hi Will, here are the KMs we have sent to MCFD re: childcare spaces.
>
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->As a parent, I understand the stress this may have caused to families who have to find new daycare facilities for their children in a short period of time.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->Access to affordable child care is critical for families and it is critical for our economy.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->There has been an increase in the number of portables being used by school districts because of pressures caused by the implementation of the Memorandum of Agreement with the BCTF.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->We are working to make sure that the use of portables to address growth pressures is not a long-term solution.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->This is a transitional time as schools are working hard to make classes smaller to meet the MOA and make life better for students.
> - <!--[if !supportLists]--><!--[endif]-->In the majority of the new and replacement schools we have announced, space has been included for Neighbourhood Learning Centres. The Ministry of Education strongly encourages school districts to incorporate childcare programs into Neighbourhood Learning Centres where it is known to be needed.
>
> Also, to answer your question to Corinna, it is up to the school districts to order portables.
> Thanks,
> Scott McKenzie
> Public Affairs Officer
> Ministry of Education Communications
> P: 778 698-7596
> C: 250 893-4126

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: childcare visit
Date:	July 5, 2018 12:24:00 PM

Yes, that will work. Let me confirm on my end as we're still locking down the location

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 12:23 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Subject: childcare visit

Hey,
PO is wondering if we can do the childcare visit from 3-3:30pm. Does that work?
Merci,
Joleen
Joleen Badger
Manager, Event Services
604-916-3551

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CKNW request for Minister Chen
Date: July 16, 2018 1:27:21 PM

Can you send to Katrina and I? Doesn't seem to have it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2018, at 1:17 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Phone her first and tell her the most recent stats we have are from last week and she is welcome to them as we are not sure when the next update is. Kj
>
> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Jul 16, 2018, at 1:12 PM, Massey, Christine MCF:EX <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> > Karen – Let's connect on this.
> >
> > **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> > **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 12:37 PM
> > **To:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> > **Subject:** Fwd: CKNW request for Minister Chen
> > Can we update Minister Chen for the below?
> >
> > Sent from my iPhone
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> > Begin forwarded message:
> >
> > **From:** "Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX" <Shruti.Joshi@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Date:** July 16, 2018 at 12:29:14 PM PDT
> > **To:** "karen.johnston@gov.bc.ca" <karen.johnston@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Cc:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>, "Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX" <Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject: CKNW request for Minister Chen**
> >
> > Hi Karen,
> > Emily Lazatin CKNW has requested Minister Katrina Chen for an update on the $200 a month day care pilot program. She met her at the Premier's event this morning and the Minister has promised that she will get back to her as soon as possible. Emily would like a pre tape tomorrow. She's available from 7:00 am onwards. Her cell phone number: s.22

According to her CBC's story on June 29 mentioned that there wasn't too much interest in this program and only a dozen providers were interested. As the deadline for this program has now passed she would like an update. Please do coordinate with her.

Thanks
Shruti

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: McLeod, Joshua LASS:EX
Subject: Re: Constituent Issue
Date: July 7, 2018 8:19:31 AM
Attachments: image001.png
image003.png

Thanks Josh, it's out for a response directly to the writer!

Sent from my iPhone
On Jul 6, 2018, at 4:24 PM, McLeod, Joshua <Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Here you are.
> Josh
>
> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 5, 2018 11:01 AM
> **To:** McLeod, Joshua <Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FW: Constituent Issue
> Hey Josh,
> Hope you're well.
> Do you happen to have consent? I think a response directly to the writer might be best.
> Best,
> Jasleen
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> **From:** McLeod, Joshua [mailto:Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 5, 2018 9:27 AM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Constituent Issue
> Hello Jasleen,
> Could you look into the below for me?
> *As you know we (school district 49) received a capital grant ànd are building a daycare next to the highschool here.*
> *The plan was to open in Sept...but..this type of construction does not move as fast as one would like, esp in a place like Bella Coola.*
> *You are likely also aware of the call for Expressions of Interest to become Prototype sites...We have done some work on an application to this program and can have the application in by the Monday deadline,*
> *However...*
> *We have been told by Ministry staff that we are NOT eligible..becàuse our new Infant Toddler and 3 year old spaces wont won't be lisenced until late August...*
> *Sd#49 has operated a daycare for 4year olds for over 10 years. We have not charged anything because it was very apparent that many of our children (esp Nuxalk children) need a quality preschool experience and would likely not attend if the was a charge..even if it was subsidized so we are an experienced and financially stable daycare provider*
> *BUT*
> *not considered so by the Prototype criteria because we are not have not opted into the*

new fee reduction program ....because parents already pay $0...should we not be rewarded rather than punished for this ?
Bottom line...I have carefully read the federal -provincial agreementand in Priority #2 it clearly states that NEW providers WILL be eligible for the Prototype Site Program...so my question is why are the Provincial Criteria blocking us from submitting our application when the language in the ELCC clearly allows for new providers to apply?
I am not sure if there is anything you can do to help us out here but your advice would be appreciated.
We are proceeding with completing the application...a LOT of work...and we plan to submit it ...with the hope that we will be considered eligible...
Thanks in advance
I can be reached at s.22 s.22
s.22 *..because there is no other option!!*
s.22

Joshua McLeod
Constituency Assistant | Jennifer Rice, MLA North Coast
P:250-624-7735 | TF: 1-866-624-7734 | F: 250-624-7737
NEW LOCATION: 290- 309 2ND AVENUE WEST, Prince Rupert, BC, V8J 3T1
| Hours: Tuesday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm
Joshua.McLeod@leg.bc.ca |Newsletter | Facebook | Twitter | Website

<20180706160223447.pdf>

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Correspondence -s.22
Date: July 16, 2018 10:48:00 AM

Yes please, go ahead and cancel.

-----Original Message-----
From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 9:52 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Rioux, Evelyn L MCF:EX <Evelyn.Rioux@gov.bc.ca>; Gordon, Alex MCF:EX <Alex.Gordon@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence -s.22

Hi Jasleen,

Should we cancel this request? It is sitting on hold waiting for further instruction.

Thanks for your help.

Rhea

-----Original Message-----
From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 9:46 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Correspondence s.22

Okay great, thank you!

-----Original Message-----
From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 8:55 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Correspondence s.22

Hi Again,

Here was the last email I could find.

Thanks!

-----Original Message-----
From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 7:45 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Correspondence - s.22

Morning Jasleen,

Ok, keep me posted and let me know what you would like to do.

Rhea

-----Original Message-----

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 5:55 PM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Correspondence - s.22

Hi Rhea,

Can we pause on correspondence for s.22

May have been sorted!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Cc: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Correspondence from Kathy Sager: RE
Date: July 13, 2018 2:33:24 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Great, thank you Christine.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 13, 2018, at 2:29 PM, Massey, Christine MCF:EX <Christine.Massey@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Rhea and Jasleen – one of my staff (Joanne Murrell) will call Kathy Sager to let her know that we are looking into this one. Joanne will upload the TR to CLIFF.
> Thanks all.
> cm
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> **From:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2018 3:28 PM
> **To:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Subject:** FW: Correspondence from Kathy Sager: RE
> Can we have someone provide a phone call? Seems like there may be a misunderstanding re: the below
>
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> **From:** Mungall.MLA, Michelle [mailto:Michelle.Mungall.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** July 11, 2018 3:24 PM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Correspondence from Kathy Sager: RE
> Hi Jasleen,
> As discussed. My constituent Kathy Sager operates a multi-age child care centre, and has written the Minister a few times now asking for a change in legislation so that licensed multi-age centres (licensed for up to 8 children and located in the licensee's residence) that are currently categorized as family care and as such received less base funding and less parent fee reductions could be categorized instead as group care- and receive more funding. Licensed centers that accept only children aged 3-5 (not the younger children that the multi-age centres accept) but that also care for up to 8 children and are located in the licensee's residence are categorized as group care and as such receive more base funding and more parent fee reductions.
> I have attached the most recient letter Kathy sent to the Minister on this matter for your reference as she explains in great detail what she would like to see changed. Kathy currently runs a licensed mulit- age program in the Nelson area, and unless legislation is changed so she can receive the same funding as a group care centre she will simply stop taking the younger kids and then be able to apply for the group care license and receive more funding without making any other changes to her childcare centre. Without legislative changes she plans to change her liscence and stop taking the younger kids as of next January. The current system provides a disincentive for

child care providers to have a multi-age license if their centre is in their home as they would not qualify for as much funding as they would if they only offer care for children aged 3-5.
She is also starting to contact other multi-age child care providers across the province to get them to mount a campaign on this issue.

The response received from the Ministry dated June 19th did not address these concerns and instead explained the why the licenses are structured as they are. While her centre provides care for only 8 children she does staff an additional certified ECE, even though care is provided in her home. The main issue she raises is that if she stopped taking the younger kids she would qualify for more funding than she does under the current legislation as a multi-age provider. Why do providers who provide care for up to 8 children in their own home who have a group care license (limiting them to care for children in the age 3-5 age range) qualify for group funding while those who choose to take younger kids and have a multi age license, but also provide care for up to 8 children in their own home qualify only for family care funding.
I get the sense that if the ministry was to contact her again and thank her for her input and let her know that the issue is being looked into and change may be possible that is what she is looking for- along with eventually the change in policy.
Further, if a policy change in this area is being considered, what would the timeline be?
You may contact Kathy directly at s.22
Warm regards,

Tessa Bendig
Constituency Assistant to Hon. Michelle Mungall, MLA for Nelson-Creston
433 Josephine Street
Nelson, BC V1L 1W4
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Courtney and Comox
Date: July 5, 2018 8:24:32 AM

This sounds great. Thanks!

Was anyone from the school district available?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 5, 2018, at 8:22 AM, Cain, Krista A MCF:EX <Krista.Cain@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Morning.
>
> I have had the CCRR invite the following plus the Mayor and a couple of trustees:
>
> Sue Warren and Michelle Carty, CCRR
> - Joanne Schroeder, ED, Child Development Association
> - Kathy Cruickshank, Manager, Supported Child Development Program
> - Charlene Gray, Administrator, Comox Valley Children's Daycare Society
> - Marc Lalonde, Administrator, Beaufort Children's Centre
> - Claudia Naaykens, Administrator, Kinnikinik Child Care (at CFB Comox)
> - Laurie Tulloch, Chair, North Island College, ECE program
> - Lisa Iverson, CEO, Aboriginal Head Start
> - Terry Louden, Facilitator, Aboriginal Early Years Program
> - Allan Douglas, Director of Early Learning, School District #71
> - Curtis Cameron, Director of Operations, MCFD
> - Jackie Lindsay, Owner/Operator, Creative Child Care Centre
> - Colleen Friendship, Chair, Comox Valley ECEBC
> - Deb Roxburgh, Owner/Operator, Three Tree Early Learning Centre
>
> She did this yesterday morning, so hopefully we hear back soon.
>
> Krista
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 5:24 PM
> To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
> Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
> Subject: Courtney and Comox
>
> We'll have to go ahead and organize between us as the CO hasn't responded.
>
> Krista as it's down to the wire, please let me know how I can help tomorrow morning. I would be happy to jump in wherever I can.
>
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Hume, Claire LASS:EX
Cc: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Cowichan roundtable
Date: July 6, 2018 2:31:00 PM

Hey Claire,
Hope you're well.
This is what the morning will look like:

8:30 am to 8:55 am	CCRR Duncan	5856 Clements St Duncan	Myna Thompson 250-746-4135 Ext. 231
Walking Time **4 minutes**			Walk over with CCRR staff
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Round Table	VIU Cowichan Room 210 2011 University Way Duncan	Myna Thompson 250-746-4135 Ext. 231

Please let Sonia know that we'd love to have you both join the CCRR and Roundtable meetings.
See you soon!
Jasleen

From: Hume, Claire [mailto:Claire.Hume@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 6, 2018 2:15 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: Cowichan roundtable

Hey Jasleen,
I'm going to come up to Cowichan to be Sonia's staff support at your childcare roundtable since Maeve can't make it. Really looking forward to it!
Could you please pass on the exact time and location so I can plan my travel?
Thanks!
Claire

Claire Hume | **Senior Policy Advisor**
BC Green Caucus
Room 028 Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC V8V 1X4
Phone: (250) 387-8323

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Duncan/Nan/PVille
Date: July 3, 2018 11:44:00 AM

Yes, maybe Cherie and I can call you at 1 pm?
Best,
Jasleen

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 11:42 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Duncan/Nan/PVille
Can we have a conversation some time today about upcoming dates?
Thanks!

From: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, June 29, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Duncan/Nan/PVille
Good day….
Okay so program area has been doing their thing for the July 9 stop….here is the update:
Duncan:
Growing together Early childhood education and Care Program (YPP)
Group Child Care
Laura Court, ED
She did have an issue with billing in March (sent correspondence) which was resolved. But she might bring up these issues. She is also attending the round table.
Nanaimo:
'Uxwin Mimne" Daycare Centre
John Barsby Secondary School
Through Tillicum Lelum Aboriginal Friendship Centre
Open to all but with and Indigenous focus with a connection to nature
Katie's corner – not recommended
Snuneymuxw Daycare – not recommended
Looking at Nanaimo Integrated Child Care Centre and Malaspina Child Development at VIU Nanaimo
Parksville:
Discover Montessori School
Kids Park childcare
I think the Nanaimo Indigenous one sounds great, as well as the Duncan one. We have time for two in Nanaimo and I know you mentioned the Aboriginal Friendship Centre – was this a child care centre? Staff cannot find this?
See below for tentative timelines so far…look good? Who is requesting attendees for Nanaimo's roundtable? Was the MLA office helping?
5:15 site visit in Parksville may be too late but we can try…..

Time (including travel time)	Venue/Location	Address	Site Contact & Contact Information
8:30 am to 9:00 am	CCRR Duncan	5856 Clements St	Myna Thompson

		Duncan	250-746-4135 Ext. 231
Walking Time 2 minutes to VIU			Walk over with CCRR staff
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Round Table		Myna Thompson 250-746-4135 Ext. 231
Driving Time			
10:15 am to 11:00 am	VISIT TBC		
Driving time 45 minutes	Drive to Nanaimo		
11:45 to 12:45	LUNCH in Nanaimo		
12:50 pm to 1:20 pm	CCRR Nanaimo	3156 Barons Rd Nanaimo	Scott Beam, ED, PacificCARE 250-756-2022
Driving Time 8 minutes			
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	Round Table	1135 Nelson St Nanaimo	Scott Beam, ED, PacificCARE 250-756-2022
Driving Time			
2:45 pm to 3:30 pm	VISIT TBC		
Driving Time			
3:45 pm to 4:30 pm	VISIT TBC		
Driving Time 40 minutes	Drive to Parksville		
5:15 pm to 5:45 pm	VISIT TBC		

Krista Cain
Director, Executive Operations | Client Relations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Children and Family Development
778.698.5089

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Privett, Don PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Emailing: PO Contact List - Mar-29-2018
Date: July 24, 2018 12:13:00 PM

Oh, also removing Maria! There may be others.. I just took a quick glance

-----Original Message-----
From: Privett, Don PREM:EX
Sent: July 24, 2018 12:11 PM
Subject: FW: Emailing: PO Contact List - Mar-29-2018

Attached is the updated PO Contact List.
I've taken over the administration of this list from Tamarra.
Any additions or corrections can be emailed to me.
Thanks,
Don

DON PRIVETT | Administrative Assistant | Premier's Office, Executive Branch

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Privett, Don PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Emailing: PO Contact List - Mar-29-2018
Date: July 24, 2018 12:12:00 PM

Hi Don,

Hope you're well.

You may want to remove Layne and add in Amber!

-----Original Message-----
From: Privett, Don PREM:EX
Sent: July 24, 2018 12:11 PM
Subject: FW: Emailing: PO Contact List - Mar-29-2018

Attached is the updated PO Contact List.
I've taken over the administration of this list from Tamarra.
Any additions or corrections can be emailed to me.
Thanks,
Don

DON PRIVETT | Administrative Assistant | Premier's Office, Executive Branch

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject:	Re: Entreprise Security App is good to install
Date:	July 5, 2018 9:51:29 AM

Thanks for checking Paula!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 9:50 AM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi all, think you will have all got the same request pop up on your phone as I did, asking to install an Entreprise Security app – Brett says we should go ahead and install, it's anti-virus. Paula

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Fax Line
Date: July 16, 2018 12:00:05 PM

Just worked with a 8 at the start. She did try varying numbers initially.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 16, 2018, at 11:58 AM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> <IMG_1166.jpg>
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> Sent from my iPhone

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject:	Re: FINALS: Tweet Suite for Child Care Awards
Date:	July 16, 2018 12:35:54 PM

IB is out at 2 pm today though?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2018, at 11:57 AM, Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Paula,
> I'm not a tweeter but I've included some suggestions below. The ministers can retweet each other's posts and also share the BC Gov Facebook post.
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> **From:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 11:40 AM
> **To:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** RE: FINALS: Tweet Suite for Child Care Awards
> Thanks very much Kirsten – any suggestions re: timing for the suite of tweets? I will schedule them for MKC.
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> **From:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 11:09 AM
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> **Cc:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** FINALS: Tweet Suite for Child Care Awards
> Hi All,
> Attached is the final IB to encourage Child Care Award nominations from the North. It will go out at 2pm today.
> << File: ECE 5-01.png >>
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>
> To support a more BC-wide approach, we've put together a tweet suite for both ministers to help raise profile of the awards over the next week or so. The ow.ly drives to the nomination page on our ministry site. You're welcome to use the image that the digital team put together (attached below).
> **MKC:**
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> *Today – 5pm:* There's still time to nominate an outstanding #childcare provider for a Child Care Award of Excellence! http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC

Wednesday – Noon: Is your daycare provider a star? Nominations for Child Care Awards of Excellence close July 29! http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC
Thursday – 7am: Know someone who goes above & beyond to help #BCkids achieve their best? Nominate them for a #Childcare Award of Excellence today! http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC
Friday – Noon: Nominations for #Childcare Awards of Excellence are open until July 29! Nominate an outstanding #ECE today! http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC

MSKC:
Tuesday – Noon: 2018 #Childcare Awards of Excellence honour outstanding #ECEs who help #BCkids thrive. Nominate an ECE today! http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC
Wednesday – 7am: Know an outstanding early childhood educator or child care provider? Nominate them for a #Childcare Award of Excellence – nominations close July 29. http://ow.ly/1sAQ30kYD6C #ChildcareBC
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And this effort will also be complemented by our Digital team, who is posting the following on the BC Gov page:

Do you know an Early Childhood Educator who works hard every day to make a difference? You have two weeks left to nominate an outstanding early childhood educator for the Child Care Awards of Excellence.

Nominations close midnight, July 29. https://www2.gov.bc.ca/…/…/child-care/child-care-awards-2018
<< File: 2018CFD0051-001409.pdf >>



Kirsten

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re:s.22
Date: July 4, 2018 5:03:34 PM

Sounds good! And yes we'll sort that out

Sent from my iPhone

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> **Sent:** Wednesday, July 4, 2018 9:44 AM
> **To:** Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
> **Subject:**s.22

Hey Krista,
For Nanaimo, we'd like to do the s.22
s.22

One contact for Nanaimo:
Doug Routley's CA
Sarah Miller – sarah.m.miller@leg.bc.ca
250-797-0318

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s.22

7 Victoria Rd, Nanaimo BC V9R 4N9

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Doug Routley's CA

Sarah Miller – sarah.m.miller@leg.bc.ca

250-797-0318

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: FOI discussion
Date: July 18, 2018 10:57:00 AM

I had a few questions. Wondering if I can take my opportunity now?

-----Original Appointment-----
From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: FOI discussion
When: July 18, 2018 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).
Where: Paula's office, we will call Carmen on cell

Hey Alisma isn't here today so wondering if it makes sense for just Carmen and me to talk about FOI management while I am away and then I can send a note to you and Alisma with any info she wants passed on?

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 10, 2018 3:13 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: FOI discussion
When: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).
Where: Paula's office, we will call Carmen on cell

Hi all, Carmen and I thought it would be good to have an FOI discussion s.22
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Re: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents
Date: July 23, 2018 3:52:20 PM

Great, thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

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> From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> Sent: July 20, 2018 10:15 AM
> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
> Subject: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents
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> From: KOSC Program Manager [mailto:koscpm@telus.net]

> Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:59 AM
> To: Capital Funding, MCF Child Care MCF:EX
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To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents
Date: July 20, 2018 10:58:00 AM

Thanks for the flag Brendan.

Paula and I will be chatting shortly regarding web content and we can also address the below.

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From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 20, 2018 10:49 AM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR INFORMATION: Child Care Communication to parents

Good job Brendan. You've covered off the comms bases I think. Will leave it to Paula and Jasleen as to alerting the affected mla / Kj

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Subject: RE: FOR QUOTE APPROVAL -- BCEHS news release - more paramedics for Trail
Date: July 23, 2018 2:09:00 PM

Wonderful, I'll give health a quick heads up as soon as I hear back!

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: July 23, 2018 2:09 PM
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On Jul 23, 2018, at 2:00 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> **Cc:** Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** s.13
> Hi Jasleen s.22
> s.13
> Thanks,
> Kass
> **Kassandra Dycke**
> Ministerial Assistant to
> Hon. Adrian Dix, Minister of Health
> Room 337| Parliament Buildings, Victoria, BC | V8W 9V1
> Office 250-953-3584 | Cell 778-678-3776
> kassandra.dycke@gov.bc.ca
>
> **New paramedic positions announced for Trail**
>
> **Vancouver** – BC Emergency Health Services (BCEHS) has announced the addition of three new paramedic positions and an additional ambulance to support the health of people living in Trail and the surrounding communities.
>
> The three new positions will double Trail's full-time paramedic staff. With six full-time paramedics the station can operate two dedicated ambulances 24-7, as well as an additional ambulance operating during peak daytime demand hours.
>
> The extra resources will also support the nearby communities of Rossland, Fruitvale and Salmo, where current on-call resources will be retained. The changes in Trail will help keep paramedic crews in their home communities, available to respond to medical 9-1-1 emergencies.
>
> The increased resources are part of an ongoing commitment by the Ministry of Health, the Provincial Health Services Authority and BCEHS to increase the number of permanent paramedic positions and improve ambulance services in urban, rural and remote areas of B.C.
>
> "We are committed to improving health care in smaller communities," said Health Minister Adrian Dix. "By doubling Trail's full-time paramedic staff and adding an additional ambulance, we are strengthening the emergency services the community depends on and ensuring paramedics will be there when people need them."
>
> As part of the *BCEHS Action Plan*, the community of Trail was identified as a priority in the ongoing review of where services are most needed to improve patient care. BCEHS also recently added full-time paramedics in the neighbouring community of

Castlegar, as well as in the Central Interior and Peace River region.

“Paramedic services are an increasingly important part of our integrated health care system,” said Linda Lupini, executive vice president of BCEHS. “By increasing the number of full time paramedics available in the Trail area, BCEHS can better support the needs of patients and respond to the most urgent 9-1-1 calls faster.”

BC paramedics benefit from these additional full-time jobs that come with regularly scheduled hours, consistent pay and benefits.

“The residents of Trail are pleased to welcome these new paramedic positions to the community,” said Katrine Conroy, MLA for Kootenay West. “Having additional dedicated emergency services will improve patient care in the Trail area where high call volumes can affect emergency coverage and response times. These additions also mean more skilled jobs for the region, and better services for our aging and growing population throughout the West Kootenay region.”

The new paramedic positions will be awarded based on the hiring standards in the CUPE 873 Collective Agreement with BCEHS.

BC Emergency Health Services (BCEHS) *is responsible for the delivery and governance of pre-hospital emergency medical care and inter-facility patient transfer services through the BC Ambulance Service and the BC Patient Transfer Service. BCEHS is supported by the Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA). For more information, please visit www.bcehs.ca or follow us on Twitter @BC_EHS.*

The Provincial Health Services Authority *(PHSA) plans, manages and evaluates selected specialty and province-wide health care services across BC, working with the five geographic health authorities to deliver province-wide solutions that improve the health of British Columbians. For more information, visit www.phsa.ca or follow us on Twitter @PHSAofBC.*

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For more information or to arrange an interview contact:
Shannon Miller
BCEHS Communications Officer
Phone: 604.660.2968 or PHSA Media Line: 778.867.7472

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Subject: RE: FOR QUOTE APPROVAL -- BCEHS news release - more paramedics for Trail
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We're good to go!
Thanks,
Jasleen

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To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX <Alisma.Perry@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: FOR QUOTE APPROVAL -- BCEHS news release - more paramedics for Trail
Hi Jasleen. Attached is a NR from BCEHS for 9:30 a.m. on Wed. It includes a quote from Minister Conroy, to be approved.
Thanks,
Kass

Kassandra Dycke
Ministerial Assistant to
Hon. Adrian Dix, Minister of Health
Room 337| Parliament Buildings, Victoria, BC | V8W 9V1
Office 250-953-3584 | Cell 778-678-3776
kassandra.dycke@gov.bc.ca

New paramedic positions announced for Trail

Vancouver – BC Emergency Health Services (BCEHS) has announced the addition of three new paramedic positions and an additional ambulance to support the health of people living in Trail and the surrounding communities.

The three new positions will double Trail's full-time paramedic staff. With six full-time paramedics the station can operate two dedicated ambulances 24-7, as well as an additional ambulance operating during peak daytime demand hours.

The extra resources will also support the nearby communities of Rossland, Fruitvale and Salmo, where current on-call resources will be retained. The changes in Trail will help keep paramedic crews in their home communities, available to respond to medical 9-1-1 emergencies.

The increased resources are part of an ongoing commitment by the Ministry of Health, the Provincial Health Services Authority and BCEHS to increase the number of permanent paramedic positions and improve ambulance services in urban, rural and remote areas of B.C.

“We are committed to improving health care in smaller communities,” said Health Minister Adrian Dix. “By doubling Trail’s full-time paramedic staff and adding an additional ambulance, we are strengthening the emergency services the community depends on and ensuring paramedics will be there when people need them.”

As part of the *BCEHS Action Plan*, the community of Trail was identified as a priority in the ongoing review of where services are most needed to improve patient care.

BCEHS also recently added full-time paramedics in the neighbouring community of Castlegar, as well as in the Central Interior and Peace River region.

“Paramedic services are an increasingly important part of our integrated health care system,” said Linda Lupini, executive vice president of BCEHS. “By increasing the number of full time paramedics available in the Trail area, BCEHS can better support the needs of patients and respond to the most urgent 9-1-1 calls faster.”

BC paramedics benefit from these additional full-time jobs that come with regularly scheduled hours, consistent pay and benefits.

“The residents of Trail are pleased to welcome these new paramedic positions to the community,” said Katrine Conroy, MLA for Kootenay West. “Having additional dedicated emergency services will improve patient care in the Trail area where high call volumes can affect emergency coverage and response times. These additions also mean more skilled jobs for the region, and better services for our aging and growing population throughout the West Kootenay region.”

The new paramedic positions will be awarded based on the hiring standards in the CUPE 873 Collective Agreement with BCEHS.

BC Emergency Health Services (BCEHS) *is responsible for the delivery and governance of pre-hospital emergency medical care and inter-facility patient transfer services through the BC Ambulance Service and the BC Patient Transfer Service. BCEHS is supported by the Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA). For more information, please visit www.bcehs.ca or follow us on Twitter @BC_EHS.*

The Provincial Health Services Authority *(PHSA) plans, manages and evaluates selected specialty and province-wide health care services across BC, working with the five geographic health authorities to deliver province-wide solutions that improve the health of British Columbians. For more information, visit www.phsa.ca or follow us on Twitter @PHSAofBC.*

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For more information or to arrange an interview contact:
Shannon Miller
BCEHS Communications Officer
Phone: 604.660.2968 or PHSA Media Line: 778.867.7472

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Follow-up Media Request: Statement re: prototype sites
Date: July 6, 2018 5:14:59 PM

With Paula's suggestions...

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 6, 2018, at 5:14 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Brendan,
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> We're good on the below!
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> Best,
> Jasleen
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> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Jul 6, 2018, at 4:31 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> > Have you had response from Niki or Jasleen Brendan?
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> > Sent from my iPhone
> >
> > On Jul 6, 2018, at 3:36 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
> >
> > > Hi all,
> > > CBC have sent a request for more information on the prototype spaces after the story they ran last week. Advice from Karen and program is to hold the application numbers for now and give a more general response.
> > > Bullets below have been approved by program and Karen.
> > > Please let me know if you have any concerns. Hoping to get this back before the end of the day.
> > > Thank you,
> > >
> > > Brendan
> > > *On the question of application numbers:*
> > > - *We have had a very positive response to this program, and expect to reach our target of 1,800 spaces.*
> > > - *Providers may continue to submit applications until*

11:59 pm on July 9.

- *Confirmation of the approved providers will be available in the coming weeks.*

On the issue of wages/fees:

- *When a provider is approved as a Universal Child Care Prototype Site, they will sign an 18-month contract with the Ministry.*
- *As part of this, providers must agree to cap their fees at a maximum of $200/month for full time enrolment for the duration of the contract term.*
- *In return, the Ministry will provide enhanced operational funding to cover a provider's reported sources of revenue (as included in their application to the Ministry), plus additional top-up funding to support quality enhancements.*
- *This includes operational expenses such as staff wages/benefits.*
- *In addition, sites will have the opportunity to indicate any planned wage/benefits enhancements over the course of the 18 month contract term that will need to be covered under the terms of their operating agreement with the Ministry.*
- *The intent is to provide stable funding to each eligible site in order to support their continued operation and test the introduction of universal child care in a diverse range of communities and provider types.*

From: Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:44 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Follow-up Media Request: Statement re: prototype sites

Reporter

Rafferty Baker, Reporter
CBC - Vancouver
rafferty.baker@cbc.ca
604-662-6887 c: 778-317-6423

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter is asking for updated application and participant numbers for the pilot project to follow up on story filed last week.

Also had a note from a provider stating that facilities that apply are required to freeze their fees for the next 3 years

as well as take a wage cut for staff in order to operate the facilities.

Background

Recommendation

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Number of school districts offering child care (Diane Strandberg, Tri-City News)
Date: July 12, 2018 1:13:04 PM

This is pretty straightforward, thanks Brendan.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2018, at 12:43 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Looks good to me. Jasleen?
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> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 12, 2018 12:34 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Number of school districts offering child care (Diane Strandberg, Tri-City News)
> Hi all,
> We had a question from a reporter earlier in the week asking about school districts/boards taking advantage of capital funding to deliver child care directly. This has been reviewed by program and Karen. Please could you let me know if you have any concerns/edits?
> We're a little late on the deadline for this. I did let the reporter know that it might take some time to gather the information, but I would like to get back to her today if possible.
> Thank you,
>
> Brendan
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> **From:** Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Monday, July 9, 2018 3:19 PM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** CFD Media Request: Number of school districts offering child care
> **Reporter**
> Diane Strandberg , Reporter
> Tri-City News
> dstrandberg@tricitynews.com
> 604-472-3031
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> **Deadline** Tuesday, July 10, 2018 11:00 AM
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> **Request**
> Reporter is interested in:
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> - What was previously offered to school districts through major capital?
> - How many school districts have applied for major capital funding?

- How many school districts offer child care?

Background

Recommendation

The Ministry recently announced a $221m investment through the Childcare BC New Spaces Fund to support the creation of around 22,000 new licensed child care spaces across the province. Working in partnership with public sector organizations such as local governments and school districts is a key part of our *Childcare BC* plan.

That's why for the first time public sector organizations who are working in partnership with a non-profit child care provider are eligible for up to $1 million to develop new licensed child care spaces in their communities. Strengthening these partnerships will allow government to rapidly increase the number of child care spaces by leveraging existing infrastructure and resources.

Public sector organizations including school boards, Indigenous organizations and child development centres, are eligible for 100% of the total cost of their project to create new child care spaces, up to a maximum of $500,000. Previously school boards were only eligible for 90% of the total cost of their project.

Other non-profit organizations remain eligible for up to 90% of the total cost of their projects, up to a maximum of $500,000 while private child care providers remain eligible for 75% of the total cost of their project, up to a maximum of $250,000.

What was previously offered to school districts through major capital?

Under the previous intake, child care providers who were looking to create facilities on school grounds were eligible for 90% of the total cost of their project, up to $500,000 for a non-profit organization ($250,000 for a private provider). That included school boards who were looking to create child care spaces.

Under the Childcare BC New Spaces Fund, school boards are eligible for 100% of the total cost of their project, up to a maximum of $500,000. If they apply to deliver child care in partnership with a non-profit, they may apply for up to $1 million.

How many school districts have previously applied for major capital funding?

Five school districts have previously applied for major capital funding, all under intake 4 in 2017:
- SD 42 (Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows) received more than $3.4m for eight projects to create 352 new child care spaces (160 preschool, 192 school-age);
- SD 49 (Central Coast) received $415, 698 to create 28 spaces (8 infant/toddler, 8 for 3 -5 year olds, 12 school-age spaces)
- SD 60 (Peace River North) received $500,000 to create 37 spaces (12 infant/toddler, 25 for 3-5 year old)

- SD 93 (Conseil Scolaire Francophone de la Colombie-Britannique) received $472,405 to create 40 spaces (16 for 3 -5 year olds, 24 school-age spaces).

Note that these numbers are only for school districts that have applied for capital funding. The numbers do not include child care providers – both private and non-profit – who deliver child care on school grounds.

How many school districts offer child care?

While the ministry tracks the number of spaces on school grounds, it does not distinguish if these are delivered by school boards or other organizations. To find out which districts offer child care, please contact them directly.

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Date:	July 17, 2018 3:33:00 PM

Hi all,
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From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 3:05 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Ok –Brendan will send. We've had another request for comment from Richard Zussman - kj

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:03 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
Approved from Jasleen and me – we added 2 words to the last line.

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:01 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Up to the MO's now. Program has provided advice.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2018, at 2:47 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> See highlighted line below which is what Christine is more comfortable with. kj
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> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:39 PM
> **To:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
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> **From:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:38 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
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> Hi all,
> Here's an updated version of the response, reviewed by Christine. I've tried to capture feedback so far.
> Let me know if you're happy with this response.
> Thanks,
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> Brendan
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> **From:** Brendan Wright [mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca]
> **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
> **To:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan
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> **Reporter**
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> Carol Xu, Reporter
> Fairchild TV
> jiawenx@hotmail.com
> 778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: IB_Child Care Awards 2018 Reminder_ July2018_ DR3
Date: July 13, 2018 1:40:09 PM

Looks good to me. Paula may have thoughts.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 13, 2018, at 1:13 PM, Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi All,
> Here's the draft Information Bulletin to remind people there's still time to nominate an outstanding ECE/child care professional for a Child Care Award of Excellence.
> Please review the attached – this is scheduled to go out on Monday at 2pm to northern B.C. outlets as there are no nominations from northern communities yet.
> To also get the word out to others in B.C., we have drafted a suite of tweets than can go out over the next week, and HQ will also post to government's Facebook page to spread the word that way as well. We will share the tweets once the IB has been finalized.
> Thanks,
> Kirsten

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc:	Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Date:	July 17, 2018 9:48:00 AM

Seems to be a typo at the top of the last paragraph, guessing it was meant to be "When"
Looks great other than that – nice touch with the $1 to $6! Thanks all!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 9:38 AM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Nicely done Brendan! I have made one change, which actually reduces the word count – if all ok, let's get this out ASAP.

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 9:20 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Hi both,
I've tried to bring in both the Conference Board of Canada and the Bank of Canada lines that we've been using. I've had to cut a little more than suggested to fit this in – I've left track changes on so you can see what I've removed. This is exactly 250 words.
Let me know if you're happy with these changes and we can get this finalised and to the TC.
Thanks,
Brendan

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 8:07 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
That would be fine, as long as we can mention both

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2018, at 6:06 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> We could shorten the current second paragraph by saying something to the effect of UBC research supports our approach to affordability, targeting both lower and middle class families" and then do a line about how the Conference Board of Canada and Bank of Canada endorses universal childcare.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2018, at 5:27 PM, Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> We can if you can identify what can be cut out as well. We have a max 250 word limit and the latest version is maxed.
>
> Kirsten Lauvaas
> 250 213-5572
> Sent from my iPhone
>
> On Jul 16, 2018, at 4:48 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Can we incorporate Conference Board of Canada and Bank of Canada Governor's words on childcare (universal cc, Quebec)?
> >
> > **From:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> > **Sent:** July 16, 2018 3:06 PM
> > **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject:** RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
> > This one is 250 words – on the nose.
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> > **From:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> > **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 2:47 PM
> > **To:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
> > **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
> > **Subject:** RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
> > Looks good to me – is there room to put in the 85% opt in rate for the fee reduction? I would ideally like to say that in making our childcare plan we made sure we learned from other cc models …
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> > **From:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> > **Sent:** Monday, July 16, 2018 1:47 PM

To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

Hi All,

Here's the draft LTE on yesterday's TC column, for your review and approval. Maximum word count for letters is 250. This one is at 230.

Thanks,

Kirsten

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Date: July 16, 2018 3:47:00 PM

Quickly running by MSKC as well

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:46 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
So all good to send, or do you still need to show it to MKC/MSKC?

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 3:42 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
Yes I saw, all good

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:41 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX <Marg.LeGuilloux@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
See Paula's suggestion. I think it works. If MSKC can review this afternoon and we can get it to the TC before 430pm then that would be great. If not – we can send first thing tomorrow- kj

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 3:39 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
That's fine. Thanks Karen

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 3:38 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX <Marg.LeGuilloux@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4
The latest draft mentions Quebec as well as UBC. We need to get this out shortly in order to maximize chances of getting picked up. I asked Christine this am what we used as part of the policy work done on child care BC. We've used what she offered and still come in at 250 words which is the max we are allowed on a response. My advice is to get Kirstens most recent draft up to Ministers for review. If we need more room then I have to call the TC and see if I can get an op ed. Please advise - kj

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 3:26 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson,

Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

Yes, the secondary piece that Paula mentioned, learning from other models.. UBC is good but what else?

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 2:47 PM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX <Kaitlin.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

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From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 1:47 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR REVIEW: LTE_Universal Care_July 16 2018_DRAFT 4

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Thanks,

Kirsten

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: QUOTE -- NR_North Island College ECEs (Comox) July 10
Date: July 9, 2018 5:19:40 PM

This is good!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 9, 2018, at 4:27 PM, Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> So this?
> "Most of a child's brain development happens in the first six years of life, and that's why it's so important to give children access to quality early learning experiences," said Katrina Chen, Minister of State for Child Care. "That's also why providing access to education for more ECEs who are committed to caring for young children – especially infants and toddlers – is so important. These 24 new seats mean that more B.C. parents will be able to access high-quality care for their kids."
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> **From:** Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 9, 2018 12:12 PM
> **To:** Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** FOR REVIEW: QUOTE -- NR_North Island College ECEs (Comox) July 10
> **Importance:** High
> Hi All,
> Here is the draft quote for tomorrow's Comox ECE seats news release. Apologies on the delay in getting this to you. It's similar to the other ones we've put together recently (but not the same).
> "Most of a child's brain development happens in the first six years of life, and that's why it's so important to give children access to quality early learning experiences," said Katrina Chen, Minister of State for Child Care. "That's also why training more ECEs who are committed to caring for young children – especially infants and toddlers – is so important. These 24 new seats mean that more B.C. parents will be able to access high-quality care for their kids."
> Thanks,
> Kirsten

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: FOR REVIEW: Website updates for ACCB review of website
Date:	July 20, 2018 9:45:00 AM

Thanks Brendan, Paula and I can chat and we'll get any changes to you soon!

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 20, 2018 9:41 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
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Brendan

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Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 9:32 AM
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Cc: Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX <Marnie.Mayhew@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: MO review of website

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Thanks

Kim

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: Website updates for ACCB review of website
Date: July 20, 2018 11:58:00 AM

Give me a call whenever you can!

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Cc:	Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: FOR REVIEW: Website updates for ACCB review of website
Date:	July 20, 2018 3:43:00 PM

Hi Brendan,
Thanks for taking on the feedback, let us know what's doable.
We're okay otherwise.
Best,
Jasleen

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Sent: July 20, 2018 3:15 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW: Website updates for ACCB review of website
Hi both,
I've passed on your feedback to the team working on the website. They're currently looking to see what is possible to do quickly and what will take a little bit more time.
Did you have any other concerns about the content, or good to go live on Monday at 9am?
Thank you,

Brendan

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX
Subject: RE: Friday: Announcement
Date: July 4, 2018 9:22:00 AM

Hey Matt,
We'll definitely sort out an emcee role! That would be great.
Not a problem – I'll let folks know.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 2:56 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Friday: Announcement

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To: Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject: Re: FYI: Thursday meetings
Date: July 6, 2018 3:53:29 PM

Gotcha, not a problem.

Everything would get shared with Niki as we're both on the file. Paula tends to be involved as well and if she's not, we're sure to update her if it's relevant.

That all sounds good, Niki is away for two weeks so I can update her accordingly!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 3:46 PM, Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX <Tiffany.Nelson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Just an FYI. I want Karen to be comfortable before I contact you directly and she may prefer that any stakeholder news come through her shop or the ADM. Would you then determine what is shared with Nikki and Paula? Ideally, we'll get you a full update on the Thursday calls to reduce email traffic. And again, before next week's call we'll get you the ACCB stakeholder comms plan and walk through it.
>
> **From:** Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 5, 2018 3:41 PM
> **To:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Subject:** RE: Thursday meetings
> Was Lesli once a part of the weekly MO calls? I'll raise this with Marnie Monday as I need to be involved in the stakeholder strategy she's developing (and exec meetings that were closed) if reporting on it but overall will discuss with Marnie the value of her taking part.
> For ACCB specifically, we're meeting with Anne's team tomorrow to update the ACCB stakeholder plan, which I've told Kirsten I can feed into the master I understand you're creating (adding media, marketing, social media plans). Had Marnie committed to presenting that plan today (was it Paula or Nikki asking about it today)? I want to send it to them before the call next Thursday. Who is best to send stakeholder materials to MO: you guys, us, ADM?
> For your question about BCCOA's social media activity, we have only just started to track online activity and will be preparing a weekly summary of highlights, unless there are issues to flag in the moment. I'll add stand-out social media info to the weekly calls.
> One thing I didn't raise (again, should I to MO or would you?): Anne held a call with CCRRs this morning, requesting their support to identify/recruit families to participate in the ACCB soft-launch testing. She'll hold another call in two weeks to walk them through the portal and the webinar recorded this week to assist.
> Tiffany
> 250 858-4680
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> **From:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
> **Sent:** Thursday, July 5, 2018 2:52 PM

To: Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Thursday meetings

Will leave it to you on how you wish to use Lesli's time. Thanks - kj

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From: Lesli Boldt [mailto:lesli@boldtcommunications.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Thursday meetings

Hi, Karen -

I'm not even sure you're having those calls anymore! However, I've exited those meetings since my brief until my contract is over now is to get the long-term plan completed, which is what I'll be focusing my time on through 'till the end (and will be working on this summer ;)

Talk soon,

Les

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To:	Bond, Allison MCF:EX
Cc:	Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Devenny, Denise MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items
Date:	July 24, 2018 10:34:00 AM

It sounded like Elizabeth was not aware of a meeting being planned but would welcome further communication and a meeting.

From: Bond, Allison MCF:EX
Sent: July 24, 2018 10:33 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX ; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX ; Devenny, Denise MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Rob has had a discussion with both myself and the DM at MIRR. There is a meeting planned with the teams from both ministries. Everything is progressing forward and there is a desire to work together. There is nothing at this time getting in the way as far as I understand it. Denise – what is the status?

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Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Hi Alison,

Wanted to flag the below – communication from MCFD and MIRR would be appreciated.

Happy to chat via phone.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Elizabeth Cull [mailto:Elizabeth.Cull@hkstrategies.ca]
Sent: July 23, 2018 9:38 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fw: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Hi, Jasleen. I got Paula's s.22 email this evening.

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Elizabeth

From: Elizabeth Cull
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 9:34 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fw: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

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From: Rob Botterell <rbotterell@telus.net>
Sent: Friday, July 13, 2018 7:21 AM
To: Devenny, Denise MCF:EX; Donaldson, Nedinska IRR:EX
Cc: Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Scheiber, Alex MCF:EX; Robert Dennis; Kathy Waddell; Trudy Warner; Kim Baird; Rob Botterell; A House; Maegen Giltrow; Maria.Coley@gov.bc.ca; Sheila Charles; Jennifer Dehoney
Subject: Huu-ay-aht First Nations Public Health Emergency - BC and Huu-ay-aht July 12th Meeting Action Items

Denise and Nedinska,

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>>>> From: "Damaso, Joseph (AADNC/AANDC)" <joseph.damaso@canada.ca>
>>>> Subject: DRAFT: Working Copy of Huu-ay-aht Recommendations Funding Table
>>>> Date: April 19, 2018 at 2:49:46 PM PDT
>>>> To: "'Devenny, Denise MCF:EX'" <Denise.Devenny@gov.bc.ca>, "'Hamilton, Tiffany MCF:EX'" <Tiffany.Hamilton@gov.bc.ca>
>>>> Cc: 'Rob Botterell' <rbotterell@telus.net>, Kim Baird <kimcbaird@gmail.com>, Kathy Waddell <kathy.w@huuayaht.org>, "MacDonald, Jean (AADNC/AANDC)" <jean.macdonald@canada.ca>, "McArthur, William (AADNC/AANDC)" <william.mcarthur@canada.ca>
>>>>
>>>> Hi Denise and Tiffany,
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>>>> As promised, attached is a copy of the spreadsheet that contains HFN's 30 recommendations. This spreadsheet resulted from the bilateral workout between HFN and ISC on April 13, 2018. We took all of the recommendations and discussed possible sources of funding, where funding is identified in the recommendations. This workout was conducted subsequent to HFN presenting their project and recommendations to ISC's ADM of Indigenous Services and Director General of Children and Families Branch in HQ on March 29th and subsequent to their request for pilot funding.
>>>>
>>>> Both HFN and ISC acknowledge that the workout was done without the presence of BC and understand that this document is a starting point for conversation, particularly where BC is identified as a source of funding.
>>>>
>>>> Rob et al.,
>>>> Please feel free to add anything that I might have missed.
>>>>
>>>> See you all tomorrow,
>>>>
>>>> Joseph Damaso MA
>>>> Program Advisor – CFS Engagement and Reform
>>>> Department of Indigenous Services Canada
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>>> On Jun 12, 2018, at 4:54 PM, Devenny, Denise MCF:EX <Denise.Devenny@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hi folks. My sincerest apologies to everyone for the late notice but the BC team is suggesting to either reschedule or cancel our workplanning meeting on Thursday. There are a couple of reasons for this: most of our MIRR colleagues will not be able to attend the meeting, but more significantly, there is internal work that the BC team is needing more time to fully address in order to continue making effective progress on this important work.
>
> Thank you Rob for circulating a draft agenda. BC may request some additions or changes as we approach the next meeting date. At this point we'd appreciate hearing from Huu-ay-aht whether you would like us to try finding a time to reschedule this meeting, or whether you prefer to cancel this meeting and resume with our next scheduled workplanning meeting on July 12.
>
> I appreciate your understanding and again, apologize for the late notice and cancellation.
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> Denise Devenny
> Executive Lead, Indigenous Engagement
> Deputy Minister's Office, MCFD
> Direct (778) 698-4956
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To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: RE: incoming from Wayne Robertson - Provincial Child Care Council
Date: July 16, 2018 11:34:00 AM

Happy to take this on.

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 11:15 AM
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Brown, Kendra MCF:EX
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Hi Jasleen and Edena,
Attached is a scanned letter we rec'd via blue bag, addressed to both Ministers.
Over to you both to determine response.
Thanks,
Rhea

Rhea Kuharic | Manager | Client Relations | Executive Operations | T: 778 698-8845 I M: 778 676-7544

From: CC Minister MCF:EX
To: Minister, MCF MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; CC Minister MCF:EX
Cc: Brown, Kendra MCF:EX
Subject: RE: incoming from Wayne Robertson - Provincial Child Care Council
Date: July 17, 2018 3:37:00 PM

Hi everyone,
I don't see the attachment!
Best,
Jasleen

From: Minister, MCF MCF:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 11:31 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX ; CC Minister MCF:EX
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Thanks Rhea,
I will leave this for Jasleen to give her direction.
Jasleen… let me know if you think differently or if there is more of a MCFD role.
Cheers,
Edena

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Cc: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Brown, Kendra MCF:EX
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Hi Jasleen and Edena,
Attached is a scanned letter we rec'd via blue bag, addressed to both Ministers.
Over to you both to determine response.
Thanks,
Rhea
Rhea Kuharic | Manager | Client Relations | Executive Operations | T: 778 698-8845 | M: 778 676-7544

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Cc:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.
Date:	July 18, 2018 10:40:00 AM

Thanks Brendan, appreciate it!
Wondering about the 47,000 spaces approved? This has gone through Christine?

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 10:24 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX ; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.
Here you go Jasleen. I've put together some general bullets on where we are with the different Childcare BC initiatives, and added our statement from yesterday so that the Minister has that too. Let me know if I'm missing anything or you'd like more details on anything.
Thanks,
Brendan

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 8:14 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.
A few bullets would be great!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2018, at 8:04 PM, Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> Lele in media relations has been working to set up an interview with Minister Chen for Omni TV. Cherie has confirmed this for 2.30pm tomorrow.
> They have just sent their questions over - see below.
> Is the Minister comfortable talking about the plan & next steps, or would you like me to send some bullets in the morning?
> Thank you,
> Brendan
>
> Sent from my iPhone
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> Begin forwarded message:
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> > **From:** "Truong, Lele GCPE:EX" <Lele.Truong@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Date:** July 17, 2018 at 7:43:16 PM PDT
> > **To:** "Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX" <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.

Hi Brendan, Cherie
Please see the interview questions below.

Thanks,
Lele

From: Charlene Ling [mailto:Charlene.Ling@omnitv.rogers.com]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 7:40 PM
To: Truong, Lele GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.

Hi Lele,
Thank you for setting up the interview for us. Unfortunately, I am not able to confirm with the reporter's name. But I will tell you once we work it out. Sorry about that!
Please see below for questions for the interview:
Minister Chen has been working in new roles this year. So there are some question for her:

1. What is the most satisfied part for this year? What achievements have you made?
2. What is the most regretful part for this year? What need to improve?
3. What is your next goal?
4. There is suggestions that Chinese MLA should form a focus group, because it helps to present voices for Chinese Canadians better. What do you think?

For the childcare plan review:

1. What is the most updated progress for the program? Can you give us a brief review of how NDP government has been working on the childcare program this year?
2. The B.C. Liberals say that the childcare plan will lead providers shutting down and reducing the number of available spaces. What do you think?
3. What is the next step for the plan?

Thank you!
Best,
Charlene

From: Truong, Lele GCPE:EX <Lele.Truong@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: July 17, 2018 4:05 PM
To: Charlene Ling <Charlene.Ling@omnitv.rogers.com>
Subject: Interview with Minister Chen confirmed.

Dear Ms. Ling,
As per our phone conversation, I am writing to confirm the interview will take place at **2:30 pm tomorrow (July 18th)** in Minister Chen's constituency office. The address is Unit #3 - 8699 10th Avenue Burnaby,

BC V3N 2S9.
Please kindly provide the questions and the reporter's name at your earliest convenience.
If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me directly.

Thank you,
Lele
Lele Truong
Media Relations Officer
Government Communications & Public Engagement
778-676-5555

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Subject:	RE: July 18th - Updated Calendar
Date:	July 18, 2018 2:53:00 PM
Attachments:	July 18 2018 Updated.docx

Hi all,
An updated calendar.
Feel free to adjust accordingly.
Lastly, Karen, Kirsten, and Clare if we can chat about what social will look like over the next while? Particularly before September.
Best,
Jasleen

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Great, talk soon all

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Not a problem BUT I'd like to suggest we start our conversation with analysis of efforts so far. I remain concerned about the number of followers. We need to get it up in order for new content to have its intended impact and reach. Clare can guide us through that. kj

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 3:42 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: July 18th - Updated Calendar
Yes!

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 18, 2018 2:58 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Nelson, Tiffany MCF:EX <Tiffany.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX <Marnie.Mayhew@gov.bc.ca>; Walton, Clare GCPE:EX <Clare.Walton@gov.bc.ca>
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Might be good to have some childcare tweets we can schedule ahead of time for when we are between announcements, and when ministers on vacation – is that what you are thinking Jasleen?

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> **Cc:** Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
> **Subject:** Updated Calendar

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX
Cc: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Papik, Stephanie PREM:EX; Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX; Truong, Lele GCPE:EX; Ranjan, Ramesh TAC:EX; Dick, Jolleen IRR:EX; Lo, Reamick ENV:EX; Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX; Hold - 181207 - Tounsi, Marielle GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Infante, James SDPR:EX; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX; Kang, Gurbrinder LASS:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Maartman, William EDUC:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Avendano, Christian AEST:EX; Biazi, Mahdiyar LASS:EX; Gill, Goneet LASS:EX; Sam, Anne-Marie IRR:EX; Virk, Rajmeet LASS:EX; Gardea, Daniela MAH:EX; Liens, Raymond MMHA:EX; Yano, Brady LASS:EX
Subject: Re: July BIPoC Staff Meeting
Date: July 6, 2018 3:15:46 PM

Hi all,

Just a reminder to fill in the doodle poll if you haven't already!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2018, at 5:30 PM, Sihota, Manveer <Manveer.Sihota@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hello everyone!
> As we discussed in our previous staff meeting, we will be holding another meeting at the end of this month to discuss progress.
> Please find attached a doodle poll for times that work best for you:
> https://doodle.com/poll/h5x8iueq7wd6q3mc
> I'll be in touch shortly with an agenda. If there is anything you would like me to add to it, please feel free to give me a shout!
>
> ---
> **Manveer Sihota** | Research & Communications Officer | c: 604.512.6433 | Manveer.Sihota@leg.bc.ca | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
> www.bcndpcaucus.ca | www.facebook.com/johnhorganbc

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Date: July 12, 2018 2:47:55 PM

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Jasleen

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> **Subject:** Updated Calendar

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: Re: June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.
Date: July 10, 2018 1:22:59 PM

Do we still have a couple minutes?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 10, 2018, at 12:03 PM, Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hey,
> These minutes can't wait for your approval tomorrow. They need to be approved by today as it is on the Cabinet agenda tomorrow morning.
> Sorry.
> Sincerely,
> **Cherie Wilson**
> *Administrative Assistant to*
> **The Hon. Katrina Chen**
> Minister of State for Child Care
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> Room 027 ¦ Parliament Buildings ¦ Victoria ¦British Columbia ¦ V8W 9E2
> Phone: 250-356-5781¦ Fax: 250-356-0201¦ Email: Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca
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> **From:** Lennox, Brenda PREM:EX
> **Sent:** Monday, July 9, 2018 12:27 PM
> **To:** Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
> **Cc:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
> **Subject:** June 26 CCWG minutes for approval due by return if possible.
> **Importance:** High
> Hi Cherie
> s.13
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> For the Chair's review and approval; appreciate a response soonest.
> Many thanks
> Brenda
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> ---
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> **Brenda Lennox** | Director
> Cabinet Operations | Work (250) 387-7380 | Cell (250) 882-5356 | **Brenda.Lennox@gov.bc.ca**
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To:	Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
Date:	July 23, 2018 10:47:00 AM
Attachments:	image001.png

Perfect, thank you.

From: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Sent: July 23, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Jasleen,

These bullets are due July 26th and will send them over as soon as they are ready and approved.

Thanks!

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 10:35 AM
To: Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Rhea,

Anything I can provide?

Best,

Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 23, 2018 9:03 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Any news?

Heather Smith
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Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:57 AM
To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Thank you for clarifying.

Looks like this should be okay for a response, if there are any concerns I'll most definitely reach out.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

I did a consent form from the person that is the Daycare Chair that reached out to our office. The Daycare is made up of volunteers? Would you please clarify "writer"?

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To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Hope you're well.

It looks like it is the provider that is reaching out? Would you be able to provide a consent form from the writer? We'll then be able to send a response to your office. As it is case by case and a back and forth is required at times it may be helpful if the provider reach out to us directly – cc.minister@gov.bc.ca.

I'll leave this with you and please feel free to send me the consent form if that is the route the provider prefers to take.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:27 AM
To: Smith, Heather LASS:EX <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Since this is a childcare issue I have cc'ed Ministerial Assistant Jasleen Arora. Jasleen handles all childcare MLA office questions and case files.

If you have any questions please let me know.

Cheers,

Edena

Edena Brown
Executive Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development and Minister Responsible for CBT, CPC and CRT
Cell: 250-480-8627 Email: Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca

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From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 10:20 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Kids on Campus Daycare

Good Morning

Our community, like most, has a shortage of daycare available. The Kids on Campus Daycare is in dire need of assistance to increase their rates. They have lost 4 staff and need to have their application to increase their daycare rates looked at sooner than 6 weeks. When speaking to the CCOF customer Service rep they were told it could take 6 weeks and everyone has an emergency.

40 families rely on this service. Is it possible to look at their application sooner than later in order to retain the staff they have and recruit additional. Their staff have left for higher paying daycare jobs.

Thank you.

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Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RicohScan

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Smith, Heather LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
Date: July 25, 2018 3:48:00 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Heather,
Hope you've been well.
Nothing just yet as it was put through last week.
I'll keep you posted!
Best,
Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 25, 2018 2:16 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare
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Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:57 AM
To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Thank you for clarifying.

Looks like this should be okay for a response, if there are any concerns I'll most definitely reach out.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

I did a consent form from the person that is the Daycare Chair that reached out to our office. The Daycare is made up of volunteers? Would you please clarify "writer"?



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Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:52 AM
To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,

Hope you're well.

It looks like it is the provider that is reaching out? Would you be able to provide a consent form from the writer? We'll then be able to send a response to your office. As it is case by case and a back and forth is required at times it may be helpful if the provider reach out to us directly – cc.minister@gov.bc.ca.

I'll leave this with you and please feel free to send me the consent form if that is the route the provider prefers to take.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX
Sent: July 19, 2018 10:27 AM
To: Smith, Heather LASS:EX <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Kids on Campus Daycare

Hi Heather,
Since this is a childcare issue I have cc'ed Ministerial Assistant Jasleen Arora. Jasleen handles all childcare MLA office questions and case files.
If you have any questions please let me know.
Cheers,
Edena

Edena Brown
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Minister of Children and Family Development and Minister Responsible for CBT, CPC and CRT
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From: Smith, Heather [mailto:Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 10:20 AM
To: Brown, Edena MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Kids on Campus Daycare

Good Morning
Our community, like most, has a shortage of daycare available. The Kids on Campus Daycare is in dire need of assistance to increase their rates. They have lost 4 staff and need to have their application to increase their daycare rates looked at sooner than 6 weeks. When speaking to the CCOF customer Service rep they were told it could take 6 weeks and everyone has an emergency.
40 families rely on this service. Is it possible to look at their application sooner than later in order to retain the staff they have and recruit additional. Their staff have left for higher paying daycare jobs.
Thank you.

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From: ricohmfd@leg.bc.ca [mailto:ricohmfd@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Smith, Heather <Heather.Smith@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RicohScan

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc:	Massey, Christine MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject:	RE: Let"s discuss
Date:	July 17, 2018 12:09:00 PM

Sounds good

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 12:08 PM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Massey, Christine MCF:EX ; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Let's discuss

Works for me, will you send the call in info Kirsten?

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:04 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Massey, Christine MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Let's discuss

Can this be a call instead? We have a 1:30 in KJ's office

Kirsten Lauvaas
250 213-5572
Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2018, at 12:03 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Great, thanks
>
> **From:** Massey, Christine MCF:EX
> **Sent:** July 17, 2018 12:00 PM
> **To:** Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Cc:** Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Re: Let's discuss
>
> Karen and I can come by to see you at 1
>
> cm
>
> On Jul 17, 2018, at 11:53 AM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> > Can we discuss the following as soon as possible?
> >
> > **From:** Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
> > **Sent:** July 17, 2018 11:26 AM
> > **To:** Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> > **Subject:** Let's discuss
> >
> > http://bcliberalcaucus.bc.ca/blog/newsreleases/bc-ndp-childcare-plan-

threatening-8100-spaces/

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Dhaliwal, Gurveen LASS:EX
Cc: Chen, Katrina
Subject: Re: List
Date: July 19, 2018 5:08:10 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Sorry Gurveen, it's been a bit of a day. I can take a look first thing in the morning

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 19, 2018, at 4:35 PM, Dhaliwal, Gurveen <Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Jasleen/Katrina,
> Our volunteer is going to schedule Katrina's decal meets tomorrow for Tuesday, are there any issues with any of them? It will be at most 10 minute drop ins
> Thanks!!
> Gurveen Dhaliwal
> **Constituency Assistant**
> **Hon. Katrina Chen, MLA Burnaby-Lougheed**
> #3 8699 10th Avenue, Burnaby
> **Phone:** 604-660-5058 | Fax: 604-660-5074
>
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> **From:** "Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX" <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
> **Date:** Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 9:48 AM
> **To:** "Dhaliwal, Gurveen" <Gurveen.Dhaliwal@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** List

Facilty Name	Address
Univercity Childcare	130 - 8960 University High Street V5A 4Y6
Verdant Early Learning Center	9191 University Cres V5A 0A1
Angels Playhouse Multi-Age Childcare (Kentwood)	7650 Kentwood St V5A 2E7
Burquitlam Childcare	9847 Lyndhurst Street Burnaby, BC V3J 1E9
Harmony Family ChildCare	7750 Newcombe St, Burnaby, BC V3N 3W4
Beyond Care	8350 11Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2P4
Puddle Splashers Child Care Society	7231 Frances St, Burnaby, BC V5A 1H1
Forest Grove Child Care Center	8650 Cinnamon Dr, Burnaby, BC V5A 4H7
Village Day Care	3290 Ganymede Dr, Burnaby, BC V3J 1A4
Golden Apple Daycare	2181 Sperling Ave V5B 4K6
Sophia Child Care Facility	8007 19th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 1G2
Babes N'Tots Daycare	5227 Chesham Ave **Burnaby** V5B 4K6
Broadway Daycare Center	6644 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5B 2Y5
Three Bears Daycare	9887 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 1M3
Rising Starts Daycare	8098 11th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2N7
Morning Star Family Child Care	1345 Aldrin Pl V5A 2N9
Grace Montessoir Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Grace Montessori Daycare	7588 Cariboo Rd V3N 4A9
Kidz Zone	8546 16th Ave V3N 1S5
Almighty Love and Family Day Care	8546 16TH AVE, V3N 1S5

Starlight Child Care Center	8187 12th Ave, Burnaby, BC V3N 2L3
Cameron Children's Center	9838 Cameron St, Burnaby, BC V3J 0B4
Spring Childcare	7050 Broadway, Burnaby, BC V5A 1R8
Kids Link Out Of School care	7502 2nd St,V3N 3R5
Baby Smart Child Care Center	6905 Hycrest Dr, Burnaby, BC V5B 2X3
Birchwood Day Care Center	7328 Dunvegan Crt, Burnaby, BC V5A 3R5
Brightstart Children's Acdemy Ltd	2830 Bainbridge Ave, Burnaby, BC V5A 2S7

Would this be a complete list without any university locations?

Jasleen Arora
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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	"Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene"
Subject:	RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th
Date:	July 5, 2018 9:00:00 AM

We'll definitely do that, thanks for the heads up!

From: Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene [mailto:Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca]
Sent: July 5, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th

Hi Jasleen,

Just a suggestion, this place is usually very busy so might want to book ahead.

Cheers,

Pauline

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 4:44 PM
To: Routley.MLA, Douglas <Douglas.Routley.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene <Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th

Hi all!
Changed the lunch location to s.22
Best,
Jasleen

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I'll keep everyone posted once we confirm that.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene; Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th
Date: July 5, 2018 12:28:00 PM

Hi all,
Looks like the site visit will be at 3 pm now instead of 3:15 pm
Still locking that down though!
Best,
Jasleen

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Sent: July 5, 2018 10:48 AM
To: 'Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene' ; Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX
Subject: RE: Lunch Location Changing - July 9th
Hi all!
Lunch reservation has been made and an itinerary is below:
As you can see we're just figuring out the site visit at 3:15 pm and Premier Horgan may join.

11:45 to 12:45	LUNCH in Nanaimo s.22	
12:50 pm to 1:20 pm	CCRR Nanaimo	101-3156 Barons Rd Nanaimo
Driving Time 8 minutes		
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	Round Table	Nanaimo CDC 1135 Nelson St Nanaimo
2:30 to 3:00 pm	DO NOT BOOK	
Driving Time		
3:15 pm to 3:45 pm	VISIT TBC	

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Best,
Jasleen

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: "Liza Yuzda"
Subject: RE: Major capital funding announcement --
Date: July 3, 2018 12:59:00 PM

Sorting something out, Karen will reach out!

-----Original Message-----
From: Liza Yuzda [mailto:liza@cknw.com]
Sent: July 3, 2018 10:51 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Major capital funding announcement --

I am asking to speak with the minster when the information comes out.
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From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 10:49 AM
To: Liza Yuzda
Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Major capital funding announcement --

So you are looking to get and publish this announcement before anyone else?

Sent from my iPhone

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The Minster mentioned that it was likely coming this week. So, hoping we can arrange ahead of time that I can speak with her about the details.

Thanks -- Liza

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: White, Emily MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MCF - Approval needed by July 27 - June Calendar - Conroy
Date: July 24, 2018 12:11:00 PM

Hey Emily,
s.13

From: White, Emily MCF:EX
Sent: July 24, 2018 11:38 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: FW: MCF - Approval needed by July 27 - June Calendar - Conroy

Hi Jasleen –
s.22 I'm sending this to you for your approval. Please let me know if you have any questions.
Thank you ☺
Best,

Emily White
Administrative Coordinator
The Hon. Katrine Conroy
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From: CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 4:41 PM
To: White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX
Cc: CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX
Subject: MCF - Approval needed by July 27 - June Calendar - Conroy

Thank you for sending your calendar(s) to Open Information for the month of June 2018. Your calendar(s) has been reviewed by an Open Information analyst and any information that required redaction has been removed.

Please review and approve the attached redline version of your calendar(s).
Please reply to this email to CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP (Open.InfoGroup@gov.bc.ca) by July 27, 2018 indicating your approval for publication. If you identify any redaction revisions, please indicate this in your email.
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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact any member of the Open Information team directly or through reply to this email address.
Many thanks,
IAO Open Information Team
Ryan Schumm
Neil Frelick

Matthew Prodan, A/Manager

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Re: MCFD MO coverage for week of July 23-27 (and possibly beyond)
Date: July 24, 2018 9:10:58 AM

I know! s.22

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 24, 2018, at 8:40 AM, White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

s.22

Thank you for helping out Jasleen. If you need any extra help on my end, please let me know.

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 1:47 PM
To: Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Cain, Krista A MCF:EX; Kuharic, Rhea MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Brown, Edena MCF:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Morton, Kaitlin MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Parte, Maura PSA:EX
Subject: MCFD MO coverage for week of July 23-27 (and possibly beyond)

Hello everyone, as most of you know s.22
s.22 the plan was to have Alisma provide coverage in the office for all things MCFD (non-childcare) for MKC s.22
s.22

I have discussed the situation with Maura, our contact at the PSA, and have developed **a new plan for MO coverage, at least for next week**:
Edena is the contact for MKC next week: 250-4808627 s.22
s.22

<!--[if !supportLists]-->¡¤<!--[endif]-->she is travelling with the Minister starting Monday night so is the best way to reach MKC (except note that they will be often out of cell range on Thursday and Friday)
<!--[if !supportLists]-->¡¤<!--[endif]-->as Edena will not be able to stay on top of the MCF inbox during this week, Kaitlin and Rhea will work together to direct

correspondence until she is back. Thank you both!

Niki and Jasleen are both in the office next week and will sign off any Childcare related items including any that need to be done on behalf of MKC.

In addition, **Jasleen has agreed to be a point person for MCFD MO**, for media and other requests, and for any E-App that needs to be approved within this first week. Thank you very much Jasleen!

However there is one more wrinkle - Jasleen is not in the office Friday, **so Niki will be the MCFD MO contact on Friday the 27th**. I am not able to contact Niki to even ask about that, so Jasleen if you could please let her know on Monday and pass on our thanks!)

s.22 Maura said she may deploy an MA from another MO fyi.

I will not have my workphone with me but will leave an emergency contact number with Emily and Kaitlin so if there is anything that someone absolutely needs to talk to me about (though I will be out of cell range frequently).

Thanks all, Paula

Paula Gunn
Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy
Minister of Children and Family Development
British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
250-387-1977

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing
Date: July 16, 2018 2:37:00 PM

Thank you!

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: July 16, 2018 10:14 AM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Thanks, Jasleen. I will forward this advice on tour Ministry staff and let you know when they are feeling prepared to meet so that we can schedule the briefing.

Cheers,

kass

Kassandra Dycke
Office 250-953-3584 | Cell 778-678-3776
kassandra.dycke@gov.bc.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2018 9:27 AM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Kassandra,

Hope you're well.

We're hoping to set up a meeting regarding licensing regarding the following pieces:

1. High level understanding
2. Share feedback we've received regarding licensing from our site visits, tours, discussions - Learning more about occasional licensing and how F/T or P/T is defined and Licensing officers discretion around exemptions
3. Jurisdiction regarding licensing and where that my land down the road

Let me know if you need anything else from me.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 11:51 AM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX <Kassandra.Dycke@gov.bc.ca>; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi all,

Cherie, let's chat as I was waiting on some information from ministry staff before getting back to Kassandra!

Thanks for following up everyone.

Best,

Jasleen

From: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Sent: July 3, 2018 11:48 AM
To: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX <Cherie.Wilson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX <Emily.White@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Cherie,

I am happy to reach out and coordinate a meeting. However, I still require direction regarding the focus of the meeting – a list of topics to be covered. Jasleen and I had spoken about this in some detail, and she followed up with additional verbal direction. We had finished with an agreement that she would provide a written list of topics that the Ministers wish to have addressed. This was requested by our staff to assist them in preparing a briefing that will be appropriate.

MoH and MCFD staff have been working on a list of topics they are guessing might be of interest, but are not adequately prepared to brief at this time. In order to accommodate absences of key staff and have adequate time to prepare, I would suggest we look at the week of 7 August. Jasleen had stressed that the briefing was not urgent – hopefully this timing will be satisfactory.

Please let me know how you'd like to proceed.

Cheers,

Kassandra

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kassandra.dycke@gov.bc.ca

From: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 10:42 AM
To: Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX
Cc: White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: Meeting request re: Child Care Licensing

Hi Kassandra,

Following up with your office on scheduling a meeting regarding Child Care Licensing. Minister Conroy and Minister Chen's offices are hoping we could schedule this meeting via call July 11th from 2:15pm 2:45pm? We are aware that MOH staff and MCFD staff had a meeting about material.

Please let us know if this works on your end. ☺

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

Cherie Wilson
Administrative Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Meeting with Amber
Date: July 26, 2018 1:56:42 PM

Hi Amber,

Thank you for reaching out. I appreciate the quick follow up!

Unfortunately s.22 I've cc'd my lovely colleagues and fellow BIPOC members. They will reach out with a few days and times that will work best.

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 1:32 PM, Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen,
> I'd like to confirm a meeting with BIPOC and Amber Hockin next week. Are you able to help confirm a time that will work?
> Suggesting Tuesday at 1pm.
> Amber (filing in for Debbie Wade)
> **Amber Nash**
> Executive Coordinator | Office of the Premier | Tel: 250 – 356-0210 | Cell: 778-584-3330 | E: amber.nash@gov.bc.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX
Subject: Re: Minister Chen visit to Nanaimo on July 9 -Jasleen 778-584-0267
Date: July 4, 2018 12:17:33 PM

Wonderful, thanks Pauline.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2018, at 12:06 PM, Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene <Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hello Jasleen,
> Leonard is happy to attend any and all subject to the Premier's agenda which would take priority!
>
> All the best,
>
> Pauline Carroll
> Constituency Assistant
> Leonard Krog, MLA Nanaimo
> 4-77 Victoria Crescent
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>
> ---
>
> **From:** Krog.MLA, Leonard Eugene <Leonard.Krog.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
> **Date:** July 4, 2018 at 10:25:09 AM PDT
> **To:** Krog, Leonard Eugene <L.Krog@leg.bc.ca>
> **Subject:** Minister Chen visit to Nanaimo on July 9 -Jasleen 778-584-0267
> Hi Leonard,
> Jasleen just phoned and would like to know by tomorrow which events you can attend:
> 11:45 am – Lunch at s.22 with Doug Routley & Katrina Chen
> 12:50 to 1:20 pm – CCR meeting at Pacific Care
> 1:30 – 2:30 pm – Round Table CDC
> 2:30 pm Early Childhood Educators meeting
> 3:15 to 3:45 – Aboriginal Friendship Centre

Cheers,

Pauline Carroll
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharon Gregson
Subject: Re: Minister Duclos" visit and set up a meeting
Date: July 18, 2018 9:12:10 AM

45,000 spaces - applied to opt in!

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 18, 2018, at 8:13 AM, Sharon Gregson <sgregson@telus.net> wrote:
>
> Hi Jasleen,
>
> Can you tell me what number to now use as far a children/spaces approved for opting-in - 40,000 or 45,000 or?
>
> Thank you
> Sharon
>
>> On Jul 17, 2018, at 12:48 PM, Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>>
>> Hi Sharon,
>>
>> Would you have a moment to call me - 778-548-0267?
>>
>> Best,
>> Jasleen
>>
>> Sent from my iPhone
>>
>>> On Jun 28, 2018, at 8:26 AM, Sharon Gregson <sgregson@telus.net> wrote:
>>>
>>> Good morning Minister, Niki and Jasleen,
>>>

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>>>
>>> It looks like your tours outside of Metro Vancouver have been going very well and recent announcements are generating positive interest.
>>>
>>> We are hoping you might you be available for a meeting soon.
>>> Thank you very much
>>>
>>> Sharon Gregson
>>>
>>> Support the $10aDay Child Care Plan for BC....solution to the current child care crisis.
>>> www.10aDay.ca
>

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharon Gregson
Subject: Re: Minister Duclos" visit and set up a meeting
Date: July 17, 2018 12:48:49 PM

Hi Sharon,

Would you have a moment to call me - 778-548-0267?

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 28, 2018, at 8:26 AM, Sharon Gregson <sgregson@telus.net> wrote:
>
> Good morning Minister, Niki and Jasleen,
>
> As you might expect there is considerable consternation locally and nationally regarding the federal minister's visit to a CEFA site this week. Coincidentally, I'm in discussion with a group of CEFA parents from the Brentwood site which has been refused opt-in status because of massive fee increases. The parents are organizing for media attention to CEFA's high fees.
>
> It looks like your tours outside of Metro Vancouver have been going very well and recent announcements are generating positive interest.
>
> We are hoping you might you be available for a meeting soon.
> Thank you very much
>
> Sharon Gregson
>
> Support the $10aDay Child Care Plan for BC....solution to the current child care crisis.
> www.10aDay.ca

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Cameron R. Wardell
Cc: Scott, Samantha AG:EX
Subject: Re: Minister Eby and the CBABC Meeting in January
Date: July 13, 2018 11:06:21 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Cameron,

Hope you've been well.

I no longer work in the AG's office but I've cc'd my lovely colleague Samantha Scott who will be able to assist.

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 13, 2018, at 10:53 AM, Cameron R. Wardell <CWardell@mathewsdinsdale.com> wrote:

> Hi all,
> You might remember me as the co-chair of the CBABC Civil Litigation (Vancouver) Section from this past year. Minister Eby spoke for us on January 29, but we may have missed having him sign off on the speaker authorization form, attached (typically the CBA has speakers sign these at the event or earlier). Could you kindly ask Minister Eby to execute and return this to me?
> On another note, I will be returning as the Section's Chair next year and would be happy to extend an invite to Minister Eby to speak for us again on a topic or topics of his choosing? I know that the Section has a great many lawyers who are very interested in hearing from him and matters relating to the development of the law in BC.
> Thanks again,
>
> **Cameron R. Wardell**
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
Date: July 18, 2018 9:24:35 AM

Glad it's moving along!

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 18, 2018, at 9:16 AM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Good news - Jasleen your extra email seems to have had an effect! Or maybe they were waiting for today's cabinet shuffle in Ottawa :)
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:16 AM
> To: 'shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca'; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Great news, thanks so much Shannon. Best, Paula
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
> Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 8:41 AM
> To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Morning! I understand the Director level call has been set up for Friday between our departments on IELCC!
>
> Thanks!
>
> Shannon Zimmerman
> Tel: 819-654-5567
> Cell : 613-291-9370
> shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: July 17, 2018 1:19 PM
> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Cc: Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Hi Ayesha and Shannon,
>
> Thank you for following up, it was lovely to meet you as well Ayesha.
>
> My apologies for the late response, we had a few busy weeks. I can see Paula has already been in touch, I believe we haven't heard from staff in regards to IELCC. We're looking forward to providing any input so please do keep us posted!
>
> Thanks again,
> Jasleen

>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
> Sent: July 12, 2018 7:24 AM
> To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
> Cc: shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Hey Paula and Jasleen,
>
> I hope you're both well. It was lovely to meet you both in person in your beautiful province!
>
> I wanted to follow up with you on some of the things we discussed in the meeting.
> Firstly, I will connect you with our colleagues from Labour to discuss the LMDAs that we chatted about in our meeting.
>
> Also, this is a link for the ELCC agreements signed across the country which we agreed to share:
> https://www.canada.ca/en/early-learning-child-care-agreement/agreements-provinces-territories.html
>
> With respect to having follow ups on IELCC, I believe Shannon is already in touch with you Paula on that account. Obviously not much has changed on our part as we haven't yet announced but Shannon is your best point of contact for all things IELCC.
>
> Please be in touch if we can offer any other support and again appreciate you taking the time from your cabinet retreat to meet with us.
>
> Sincerely,
> Ayesha
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: June-26-18 2:16 PM
> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
> Cc: Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Hi everyone,
>
> Just a FYI.
>
> Unfortunately MLA Brar can no longer make it to today's event. However, MLA Begg and Minister Sims will still be attending.
>
> Best,
> Jasleen
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Sent: June 25, 2018 12:03 PM
> To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca' <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>
> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Yes we can make that work Ayesha, it isn't too bad a drive to Coquitlam actually (in a Lower Mainland context anyway!) Is there a specific room number we should have?
>
> -----Original Message-----

> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
> Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 9:37 AM
> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Hey Paula,
>
> This is the closest Service Canada, does this work?
>
> South Surrey SCC, 103-15295 Highway 10, Surrey, V3S 0X9
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: June-25-18 12:36 PM
> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Our ministers coming from Vancouver and Burnaby and have to be in Coquitlam by noon, so hopefully we can find a location that works for everyone.
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
> Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 9:29 AM
> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; shannon.zimmerman@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
> Subject: RE: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Double checking with the department on locations Paula!
>
> Ayesha
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: June-25-18 12:26 PM
> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Zimmerman, Shannon S [NC]
> Subject: Ministers' meeting on the 27th
>
> Hi Ayesha, do you have options for the location of the meeting of our Ministers with Minister Duclos on Wednesday? Paula
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
>> On Jun 22, 2018, at 12:24 PM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca> wrote:
>>
>> Hey Jasleen,
>>
>> Location and time are correct.
>> I did want to clarify that there's no formal announcement planned - more of a local media opportunity to engage on ELCC.
>> We don't have any planned remarks but just a more general visit with local media.
>>
>> Happy to chat if you'd like more information.
>>

>> Thanks,
>> Ayesha
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX [mailto:Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-22-18 3:16 PM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Hi Ayesha,
>>
>> Hope you've been well.
>>
>> Confirming that the event is taking place June 26th at 3:30 pm at CEFA Fleetwood.
>>
>> Is there a particular contact number I can provide to folks that can attend? It looks like Minister Sims, MLA Brar, and BLA Begg will be able to join.
>>
>> Best,
>> Jasleen
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Sent: June 22, 2018 11:16 AM
>> To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca'
>> <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>
>> Cc: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Thank you Ayesha, and I am now adding Minister of State Chen's MA Jasleen Arora to the conversation, as she is coordinating with our Surrey MLAs. Please include her for any more info on logistics etc.
>>
>> One question we had, we are thinking our MLAs will be there on behalf of our Ministers and just wanted to confirm that that is the understanding on your side too and will be reflected in any speaking notes etc.?
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Friday, June 22, 2018 11:07 AM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Just reaching out to the centre to confirm on their end so didn't want to preemtively say anything but the location is:
>>
>> http://cefa.ca/find-school/surrey-fleetwood/
>> Cefa - Fleetwood
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-22-18 2:05 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Hi Ayesha, any update on the location for your event?
>>
>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 12:39 PM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> We had a meeting with our department today on details and we advised them that we had reached out to you on the initial date, and we finalized details today which they were going to communicate to the department.
>> The delay comes from moving parts, the location wasn't confirmed and we were just advised the Fleetwood Place Children's Centre can't host us.
>>
>> So we're still confirmed on the initial date and time I proposed, but we are working on the location. We would be ecstatic to have the MLA join us, and I'll communicate the location as soon as we have one nailed down.
>>
>> I'll be running in and out of the office for the next little while but
>> don't hesitate to call me at 613 852 4615 anytime (or shoot me a
>> text!)
>>
>> With respect to the meeting with the Ministers, we could make closer to 10:25 work? I am just trying to air on the side of caution as I would hate to make your Ministers wait in the case our announcement is running late/we hit traffic. Completely understandable if the ministers have to leave a little earlier than 11. Thank you for being accommodating to our schedule.
>>
>> Looking forward to meeting you in person, Ayesha -----Original
>> Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-21-18 2:55 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> By department do you mean the ministry comms staff is contacting our comms staff? I just spoke with our comms people and they didn't know anything about this so you know.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 11:20 AM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Apologies Paula, our department said they were going to get in touch regarding the event.
>>
>> The ELCC event is still slated on June 26th at 3:30PM at the Fleetwood Place Children's Centre, Surrey.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-21-18 2:18 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> One more question Ayesha, should I be letting our MLAs know about the event from 9 to 10?
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 10:33 AM
>> To: 'ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca'
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th

>>
>> Let me talk to my team members who are from Vancouver and see if my travel times are overly pessimistic, perhaps we can split the difference and do 10:15 to 10: 45 or 10:30 to 10:50.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 10:11 AM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Unfortunately we have an announcement slated from 9-10 and we wouldn't want to commit to ten, and if we're running late have the Ministers both wait on us. Additionally, the location of our announcement is a construction site and wouldn't have any meeting space available.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-21-18 12:16 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> They have to be in Coquitlam for 12 sharp so that meeting time will be a bit too late, given travel times in the Lower Mainland. !0 to 10:30 would work though.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 9:07 AM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Sincere apologies I meant 27th! Typed the wrong date because I was thinking about the next date.
>> We also checked with our department and they're going to try and find us a Service Canada location that would be able to host us all which I can turn around to you soon.
>>
>> Does the time for the 27th work?
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-21-18 12:03 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> The 28th the Ministers are in an all day Cabinet meeting, it was the morning of the 27th that had opened up Ayesha.
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
>> [mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca]
>> Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 8:18 AM
>> To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>> Subject: RE: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Hey Paula,
>>
>> It would be great for the Ministers to be able to meet. The morning of the 28th we will be in Surrey and we would have an opportunity to meet with both Ministers between 10:30AM - 11:00AM.

>>
>> I'm still in the process of confirming our location which I can send to you as soon as possible but would that work for your teams?
>>
>> Ayesha
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX [mailto:Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca]
>> Sent: June-20-18 9:07 PM
>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>> Subject: Re: ELCC on June 26th
>>
>> Hi Ayesha, I just let Shannon know this too, the morning of the 27th has opened up as Cabinet now starting at noon. The ministers have to be in Coquitlam for noon so may be some logistical hurdles (also trying for a face to face meeting of the 3 ministers) but is the best window.
>>
>> Sent from my iPhone
>>
>>> On Jun 20, 2018, at 2:30 PM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca> wrote:
>>>
>>> Hey Paula!
>>>
>>> Thank you for your response. Yes we were looking at Surrey! Fleetwood more specifically.
>>>
>>> Ayesha
>>>
>>> Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Bell network.
>>> Original Message
>>> From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
>>> Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 1:17 PM
>>> To: Chughtai, Ayesha A [NC]
>>> Subject: Re: ELCC on June 26th
>>>
>>>
>>> Hi Ayesha, the Minister of State for Childcare has constituency events in the 26th that I wasn't aware of, sorry it's just that this is rather last minute! Our local MLAs could possibly be available - is it still Surrey you are thinking of?
>>>
>>> Sent from my iPhone
>>>
>>> On Jun 19, 2018, at 6:51 AM, "ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca<mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>" <ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca<mailto:ayesha.chughtai@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca>> wrote:
>>>
>>> Hey Paula,
>>>
>>> Hope you're well.
>>> As a follow up to yesterday's call we are hoping to organize an ELCC event on June 26th to best accommodate everyone.
>>>
>>> Would you be able to chat today about logistically that would look like and we can start the planning?
>>>
>>> Thank you kindly,
>>>
>>> Ayesha Chughtai
>>> Special Assistant, West & North / Adj. spéciale, l'Ouest et nord
>>> Cabinet de l'hon. Jean-Yves Duclos, Ministre de la Famille, des

>>> Enfants et du Développement social Office of the Hon. Jean-Yves
>>> Duclos, Minister of Families, Children and Social Development
>>> Tel: 819-654-5578
>>> Cell : 613-852-4615
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>>> g
>>> c.ca>
>>>

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: missed calls
Date: July 25, 2018 3:58:00 PM

Hi Marnie,
Not a problem at all.
We can also chat tomorrow, feel free to call me any time. We'll also have our chat at 3 pm.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX
Sent: July 25, 2018 12:58 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: missed calls
Importance: High

Hi Jasleen,
My sincere apologies for missing your calls yesterday and today. It has been particularly meeting heavy for me over the past couple of days. I just left you a voice mail which you can ignore as I wasn't sure who the number belonged to…but now I do!
If you have an opportunity to call me this afternoon I will step out of whatever meeting I am in. I understand you want to talk about the decals/letters?
Regards,
Marnie
Marnie Mayhew
Director, Stakeholder Engagement and Division Services
Early Years and Inclusion Division
Ministry of Children and Family Development

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Re: MSKC tour info for Friday Senior MA meeting
Date: July 5, 2018 4:59:57 PM

Hi all!

July 9th: Duncan, Nanaimo, Parksville
July 10th: Qualicum, Courtney, Comox

Those are the final dates that are upcoming for July!

- August we put on pause due to announcements

Sept 17th: Powell River

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 4:31 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Hi Jasleen, Alisma is going to go to the Senior MA meeting for me tomorrow as don't think I will make it back to VCO in time after our event. Can you send her the most final list of MSKC tour dates for July and August so she can make sure they have the accurate info on the Corporate calendar? She says any time before 9:45 is good. (I gave her the July I had, but don't think it was the final? And no August!)
> Paula

From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject:	RE: Nanaimo Issue
Date:	July 5, 2018 12:57:00 PM

Yes, both are.

From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 12:57 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX ; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX ; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX ; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issue

Are these in Nanaimo?

From: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Nanaimo Issue

FYI - I have asked staff to look in to this.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** Sharon Gregson <sgregson@telus.net>
> **Date:** July 5, 2018 at 7:16:53 AM PDT
> **To:** niki.sharma@gov.bc.ca
> **Subject: Nanaimo Issue**
>
> Hi Niki,
>
> We're getting a lot of calls about Jolly Giant and Katie's Corner. The fees were $950 then in April went up to$1350 and in September will be $1550. For under 3 care. Families are outraged at a $600 increase and want to know how these providers were approved to opt-in.
>
> Can you shed any light?
> Thx
> Sharon

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To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Nanaimo July 9
Date: July 4, 2018 11:47:01 AM

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> **Subject:** RE: Nanaimo July 9
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Cc: Cain, Krista A MCF:EX
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Subject: RE: Nanaimo July 9
Date: July 3, 2018 2:29:00 PM

Yes, I'll call soon!

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: nanaimo news now will come to s.22 but will call you first
Date: July 9, 2018 12:14:22 PM

All sorted! :)

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On Jul 9, 2018, at 10:49 AM, Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX <Gayle.Mavor@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

> Nanaimo New Now will call you. I told them you'd be at s.22 at 11:40.
> ***Gayle Mavor***
> *Public Affairs Officer*
> *Government Communications and Public Engagement*
> *Ministry of Children and Family Development*
>
> ***Mobile:*** *250.818.6372*
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Chen.MLA, Katrina LASS:EX
Subject: SFU event - robot
Date: July 6, 2018 11:31:38 AM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Subject: SFU Meeting
Date: July 6, 2018 3:46:39 PM

Hi Christine,

Hope you're well.

Minister Chen and I were at an event at SFU today and I met Sobhana Madhavan - Associate Vice-President, External Relations at SFU. She mentioned you're already getting together for a meeting but asked whether it would fit between your schedules to have Minister Chen join the meeting in Vancouver or Victoria? I realize everyone's schedules are quite busy so let me know if it is an option!

Best,
Jasleen

Sent from my iPhone

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Subject: Support at Event - Sat, July 7th
Date: July 3, 2018 2:59:00 PM

Hi Stephanie,
Hope you're well.
Hoping Minister Chen can get some support at an event this Saturday from 7:30-8:30 am from Lele Truong.
Happy to chat further via phone – 778-548-0267.
Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Tentative Itinerary - Nanaimo
Date: July 4, 2018 12:12:00 PM

Nanaimo:

11:45 am – Lunch with MLA Routley and MLA Krog

12:50 – 1:20 pm – Meeting with local CCRR, PacificCARE Family Enrichment Society: 3156 Barons Rd, Nanaimo BC V9T 4B5

1:30-2:30 – Roundtable at the Nanaimo Child Development Centre Society: 1135 Nelson St, Nanaimo BC V9S 2K4

3:15 pm – 3:45 pm

- Uxwin Mimne Daycare Centre – has not responded

Considering:

- Nanaimo Integrated Childcare Centre

  OR

- Aboriginal Head Start

*MLA Routley and Krog may join all meetings

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Gordon, Stephanie EDUC:EX
Subject: Tentative: Apres Work Catch Up?

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s.22 I can let you know that week

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Test
Date: July 6, 2018 4:37:00 PM

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: kidsparkc@gmail.com
Subject: Thank You!
Date: July 24, 2018 3:35:39 PM
Attachments: ATT00001.txt
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ATT00004.txt
ATT00005.txt

Hi Yuni,

I hope you've been well.

I wanted to thank you for having myself and Minister Chen join you at your wonderful childcare centre in Parksville. Thank you for sharing your thoughts and feedback! I also wanted to send along a few pictures.

Best,
Jasleen

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To: Leonard.MLA, Ronna-Rae LASS:EX
Subject: Tour on 10th
Date: July 4, 2018 5:12:24 PM

Hello,

I didn't receive any information regarding contacts for our tour on the 10th. We had to go ahead and book meetings.

If you end up getting information for tomorrow, please send it over and we can see what we can incorporate in.

I think in future having that information at least two weeks prior will be key in order to help make the tour a success for both parties. The last minute organizing proves to add stress and an increased workload days prior to touring for staff, hoping to avoid that!

Thanks,
Jasleen

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From:	Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
To:	Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Cc:	Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Sihota, Manveer LASS:EX; Infante, James SDPR:EX
Subject:	Welcome
Date:	July 16, 2018 12:16:00 PM

Hi Amber,

Hope you had a great weekend.

I wanted to take a moment to welcome you to the team and to introduce myself as I wasn't able to make the previous MA meeting. My name is Jasleen Arora and I'm the MA for the Ministry of State for Childcare.

I'm reaching out on behalf of the BIPoC group (Black, Indigenous, People of Colour) – we are a fairly new group and have been providing feedback to the Premier's office over the past few months. Our main point of contact was Layne Clarke who was a wonderful support and advocate. We're hoping we can continue to move forward on our work as the transition of roles takes place.

We'd like to explain in further detail the role we hope to hold and how we can work together. Would it be possible to meet for a half hour at some point this week?

Best,

Jasleen