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To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BC Gov News - B.C. blueberries featured at White Spot and Triple O's
Date: July 4, 2019 2:47:06 PM



B.C. blueberries featured at White Spot and Triple O's

British Columbians of all ages can look forward to the return of B.C. blueberries at over 100 White Spot and Triple O's participating locations this summer, as part of a new Buy BC partnership with the restaurants to promote this local ingredient.

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Subject: BC Gov News - BC Wildfire Service responds to new fires in Northwest
Date: July 8, 2019 2:17:07 PM



BC Wildfire Service responds to new fires in Northwest

Several new wildfires started in the Northwest Fire Centre over the weekend, due to lightning storms that have been moving through the region.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Climate action tax credit boost helps B.C. families
Date: July 2, 2019 9:17:31 AM



Climate action tax credit boost helps B.C. families

Nearly 50% of B.C. families will receive more for their climate action tax credit this week, putting money back in their pockets and helping make life more affordable.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Consultation on improved training for commercial truck operators underway
Date: July 4, 2019 1:01:54 PM



Consultation on improved training for commercial truck operators underway

Consultations to help develop mandatory entry-level training for Class 1 commercial driver's licences will begin this summer.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Crews respond to several lightning-caused wildfires in Northwest
Date: July 1, 2019 2:26:30 PM



Crews respond to several lightning-caused wildfires in Northwest

The BC Wildfire Service is responding to several wildfires following successive lightning strikes across the Northwest Fire Centre.

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Daylight saving time engagement generates huge response

Record numbers of British Columbians are sharing their views on whether the province should continue observing daylight saving time.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Finalists named for 2019 Premier's Awards for Excellence in Education
Date: July 3, 2019 9:02:01 AM



Finalists named for 2019 Premier's Awards for Excellence in Education

Thirty education professionals from throughout the province have been named as finalists in this year's Premier's Awards for Excellence in Education.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Forty new affordable homes open in Penticton
Date: July 5, 2019 2:50:27 PM



Forty new affordable homes open in Penticton

Families and individuals with moderate incomes now have access to 40 new affordable homes, as a new rental building with accessible units opens in the community.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Foundry Penticton officially opens its doors to young people
Date: July 4, 2019 10:16:52 AM



Foundry Penticton officially opens its doors to young people

Young people and their families in the Okanagan Valley now have a new Foundry centre in Penticton, which focuses on reaching young people early — before small problems become big ones.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Free tickets to symphony concerts around Lower Mainland
Date: July 7, 2019 8:32:12 AM



Free tickets to symphony concerts around Lower Mainland

Families will be treated to an array of free or low-cost concerts across the Lower Mainland for three years, thanks to a \$1-million grant to the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra (VSO).

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Subject: BC Gov News - Grandfathering extended for manufactured homes for immediate family in ALR
Date: July 4, 2019 12:46:37 PM



Grandfathering extended for manufactured homes for immediate family in ALR

The grandfathering period for manufactured homes for immediate family members in the Agricultural Land Reserve (ALR) has been extended to February 2020.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Highway intersection to see safer, improved traffic flow
Date: July 5, 2019 11:01:41 AM



Highway intersection to see safer, improved traffic flow

Work will soon start on a new roundabout to enhance safety and improve traffic flow at the intersection of Highway 16 and 37, replacing the four-way stop.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Leading-edge mental health supports coming for Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows students
Date: July 8, 2019 9:46:26 AM



Leading-edge mental health supports coming for Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows students

Students in the Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows School District will have a clearer, easier-to-understand path to mental health and substance use services.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Minister's statement on June's Labour Force Survey results
Date: July 5, 2019 10:02:34 AM



Minister's statement on June's Labour Force Survey results

Bruce Ralston, Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology, has issued the following statement on the release of Statistics Canada's Labour Force Survey for June 2019:

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Subject: BC Gov News - More choice, a stronger voice help seniors make long-term care decisions
Date: July 3, 2019 12:52:07 PM



More choice, a stronger voice help seniors make long-term care decisions

The Ministry of Health is changing how people access long-term care to make the process more client-centred, consistent and fair and to ensure seniors have greater choice in where they live.

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Subject: BC Gov News - More than 100 new affordable homes coming to Salmon Arm
Date: July 3, 2019 1:01:55 PM



More than 100 new affordable homes coming to Salmon Arm

More new affordable rental homes and housing with supports are on the way for Salmon Arm.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Partnership delivers new child care spaces for Vancouver parents
Date: July 4, 2019 11:17:12 AM



Partnership delivers new child care spaces for Vancouver parents

Approximately 2,300 new child care spaces are coming to schools, community centres and other public facilities across Vancouver, making routines easier for busy parents and helping young children transition smoothly into the school system.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Partnerships to deliver new licensed child care in Maple Ridge
Date: July 2, 2019 10:17:04 AM



Partnerships to deliver new licensed child care in Maple Ridge

A new community development will bring licensed child care spaces to Maple Ridge, offering a range of care options for young children and making morning routines easier by giving parents one convenient location to drop off and pick up their children.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Policy changes put people first
Date: July 3, 2019 2:46:55 PM



Policy changes put people first

For people struggling with poverty, small changes can make a big difference.

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To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BC Gov News - Premier's statement in honour of Canada Day
Date: July 1, 2019 8:58:15 AM



Premier's statement in honour of Canada Day

Premier John Horgan has issued the following statement to recognize Canada Day:

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Subject: BC Gov News - PreparedBC releases Wildfire Preparedness Guide
Date: July 2, 2019 1:31:53 PM



PreparedBC releases Wildfire Preparedness Guide

Wildfires have always been a reality in British Columbia, but in the past few years, their impacts on people, businesses and tourism have been increasing.

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Date: July 8, 2019 12:01:41 PM

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Province announces regulation and insurance policy for ride-hailing services

The B.C. government is delivering on its commitment to bring ride-hailing to B.C., with regulations in place that will focus on passenger, driver and company safety, and will allow companies to apply to the Passenger Transportation Board by the beginning of September 2019.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Summer lane closures on the Coquihalla Highway
Date: July 2, 2019 7:02:12 AM



Summer lane closures on the Coquihalla Highway

Lane closures will be in effect on Highway 5, approximately 25 kilometres north of Hope, beginning July 3, 2019, and continuing through to the end of October.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Support for seniors' gymnastics scores a perfect 10
Date: July 2, 2019 9:46:51 AM



Support for seniors' gymnastics scores a perfect 10

An innovative program that keeps seniors active and healthy by getting them on the gymnastics floor is receiving provincial support.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Training program helps people gain experience, secure forestry jobs
Date: July 8, 2019 2:31:22 PM



Training program helps people gain experience, secure forestry jobs

More than 100 people will get training and work experience in the forest sector, giving them opportunities for job success and improved lives, through \$3.3 million in provincial government funding.

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Subject: BC Gov News - Transportation survey asks B.C. travellers to share experiences
Date: July 5, 2019 8:01:47 AM



Transportation survey asks B.C. travellers to share experiences

The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure is inviting people to share their experiences with the Province's highways and services, to make travel better for everyone.

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Subject: BC Gov News - UVic, faculty members reach tentative agreement under mandate
Date: July 5, 2019 2:53:00 PM



UVic, faculty members reach tentative agreement under mandate

A tentative agreement has been reached between members of the University of Victoria (UVic) and the UVic Faculty Association, under government's Sustainable Services Negotiating Mandate.

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To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BC Gov News - West Vancouver K-12 support staff ratify agreement under mandate
Date: July 4, 2019 3:02:24 PM



West Vancouver K-12 support staff ratify agreement under mandate

The West Vancouver Municipal Employees' Association and the boards of School District No. 45 (West Vancouver) and the BC Public School Employers' Association have ratified a K-12 support staff agreement under government's Sustainable Services Negotiating Mandate.

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To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BC Gov News - Winners selected in CleanBC Better Buildings competition
Date: July 4, 2019 8:32:53 AM



Winners selected in CleanBC Better Buildings competition

Eleven building projects have been selected as winners in a juried competition to support the design and construction of energy-efficient buildings.

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To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BMO Spend Dynamics Statement Ready
Date: July 4, 2019 3:16:13 PM

Your BMO Statement is Available

We are pleased to advise that the statement for your corporate card is available for review.

To review your statement, simply click on the following link and select eStatement on the home page once you are logged in: <https://www.bmospenddynamics.com>

If you have any questions or require further support, please contact your organization's Card Program Administrator, or visit the help menu on the BMO Spend DynamicsTM home page once you're logged in.

Thank you for using BMO Spend Dynamics.

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Cc: [Lozano, Rebeca FIN:EX](#); [McKinstry, Cindy D FIN:EX](#); [Poldrugovac, Saija FIN:EX](#)
Subject: BMO Travel card program updates
Date: July 3, 2019 2:47:33 PM
Attachments: Guidebook - Cardholders FINAL_JUNE 28.pdf
Corporate Travel Entertainment Program Insurance Certificate FINAL.PDF

To: *BMO Travel cardholders*

On the weekend of July 12, 2019, BMO will be upgrading their card processing platform and rolling out new features and changes to the card program.

BMO Spend Dynamics online will be unavailable between Saturday July 13th, 2019 @ 9pm and Monday July 15th @ 9pm.

Please review the attached documents which outline the updates:

- 1) **Guidebook** with all of the changes to the Travel card program. Please note there are changes noted in this guidebook that apply to the BMO purchase card and BTA, please disregard.
- 2) **Corporate Travel Entertainment Program Insurance Certificate** – This is a new Certificate of Insurance for all Travel cardholders.

There were a few questions that BMO has answered:

Q: Will new and existing BMO Travel cardholders have this new insurance?

A: Yes, effective July 12/19, the current travel insurance changes to the “Corporate Travel & Entertainment Program” Insurance

Q: Will cardholders be using Mobile Wallets?

A: This is in the works at BMO and they are exploring what the implications are for the Province of BC.

Q: For the new PIN reset feature by phone, what questions will BMO ask the cardholder to confirm identity?

A:

- Cardholders full name,
- Name of Corporation and Activation code (this is the information you would have used to activate your card)
- Your address on file with BMO (where you receive your monthly statements)

Q: How does a cardholder go about making a claim with the new Insurance?

A: Cardholders will phone the Insurance provider – phone number on the back of the card. They will assist with processing the claim and if the claim is valid, they would apply the credit back to your card/account.

Let me know if you have any further questions.

Thank You.

Sheila Cleaver

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From: [Groves, Joanna LASS:EX](#)
Subject: Constituency profiles and community investments
Date: July 3, 2019 2:01:06 PM

Hello everyone,

This is a reminder that caucus has created community profiles for most constituencies, as well as documents that outline all of our government's investments for each constituency/region. You can request these for your own constituencies or when going out on tour by contacting your RCO, Ed May or myself. Advanced notice is helpful in case updates are needed.

Also a reminder that these are living documents. If you notice something is incorrect or missing, please let us know so that we can make updates.

Thank you,

Joanna

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From: [Employee News PSA:EX](#)
Subject: Executive Message from Okenge Yuma Morisho and Donna Evans: New Social Media Guidelines
Date: July 5, 2019 10:17:21 AM
Attachments: image002.png

BC Public Service Executive Message | July 5, 2019



New Social Media Guidelines

Social media plays an expanding role in the everyday lives and work of public service employees. Our social media activity, whether as an individual or in an official capacity, can impact public trust and confidence. Our use of social media in official capacities also impacts the quality and responsiveness of service we provide for citizens.

As employees, we are responsible to ensure our social media activities comply with the Oath of Employment, [Standards of Conduct](#) and other policies and regulations we follow as public service employees.

To help understand these obligations and support you in making informed choices, new personal-use and updated government-use guidelines have been developed.

Personal use

The BC Public Service Agency is launching the new [Social Media Guidelines for BC Public Service Employees](#) to inform your personal use of social media as a public servant. While the guidelines for personal use are new, the expectations they reflect are not. They focus on the principles that will help you make informed choices about your online activity that won't conflict with your commitments to the BC Public Service. They don't prevent you from using social media – they are just intended to help you ensure you're using social media consistent with the Standards of Conduct and other corporate policies.

If you have questions about appropriate professional or personal use of social media, [review the resources available on MyHR](#), and then talk to your supervisor or your ministry ethics advisor.

Government use

Government Communications and Public Engagement has updated the [Guidelines for Government Use of Social Media by B.C. Public Servants](#). The revised guidelines focus on official government use of social media like setting up and managing social media accounts and engaging in citizen consultations. In addition, the guidelines establish clear processes and best social media practices for supporting key priorities across government.

Thank you for your attention to this very important matter.

Okenge Yuma Morisho
Deputy Minister
BC Public Service Agency

Donna Evans
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Subject: Finalized Materials | Grad Order RMF signed ministerial order
Date: July 3, 2019 5:16:37 PM
Attachments: 211929 IBN-MRF Grad Program Order package.pdf
211929 Attachment 1a - Ministerial Order - MRF signed.pdf
211929 Attachment 1b- Ministerial Order - MRF signed.pdf
211929 Attachment 2 a- Regulatory Impact checklist - MRF signed.pdf
211929 Attachment 2b - Regulatory Impact Checklist -MRF signed.pdf
211929 Attachment 3 - Redline version of Grad program order package - for Info.pdf
211929 attachment 4 - Legislative authority - for Info.pdf

Hi Veronica,

As per MRF's briefing last Friday, June 29, please see attached finalized materials for the Grad Order program for your office's records and filing.

Thank you-

Kelly Henderson | Documents Coordinator

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Subject: FOR MRF INFO | Bountiful Elementary School Society Certification
Date: July 8, 2019 12:56:26 PM
Attachments: 212783 -IBN-MRF BESS certification.pdf
212783 Attachment 1 BESS Timeline.pdf
212783 Attachment 2 BESS Compliance Process.pdf
212783 Attachment 3 BESS Inspector Letter.pdf

Hi Veronica,

Attached a briefing note for Minister's information regarding a potentially uncertified school in Bountiful BC.

The DM is recommending we brief Minister on this issue, so I will work with Lisa to find a suitable time for this.

Regards,

Laura Sampson | Senior Executive Assistant

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Subject: For MRF INFO | K-9 Reporting Pilot
Date: July 3, 2019 4:06:04 PM
Attachments: 211876 IBN - MRF_K-9 Reporting.pdf
Draft K-9 Student Reporting Policy.pdf
K-9 Student Reporting Policy Pilot Participants.pdf

Hi Veronica,

Following up from the conversation DM and MRF had re: K-9 Reporting yesterday, please see attached materials on the subject for MRF 's info (including the list of participants for the pilot project).

Thank you –

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Subject: FW: 0.0_20190705_ANNOTATED City-SD-Ministry_Agenda July 5 2019 FINAL.pdf
Date: July 4, 2019 4:27:54 PM
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Updated annotated agenda for summit meeting tomorrow

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And here's the updated annotated agenda (no Joel) for MRF/MAs.

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To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93765 | Due July 11, 2019
Date: July 3, 2019 2:58:14 PM
Attachments: CFR EDU-2019-93765.pdf

Hi Melissa and Scott,

Let me know if either of you hold any responsive records to this one or if you can think of anywhere else I should check.

Thanks!

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Subject: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93765 | Due July 11, 2019

Hi

Please see the call for records below and return back to this email address by **July 11, 2019**.

Call for Records: All notes and minutes from the May 31, 2019, meeting between the BCSTA and EDUC executive – reference Cliff # 211285. (Date Range for Record Search: From 05/27/2019 To 06/03/2019)

Legislated Due Date: August 12, 2019

Thx.

Carrie P.

From: Boyd, Melissa <Melissa.Boyd@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 28, 2019 11:17 AM

To: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX <EDUC.FOI@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Call for Records EDU-2019-93765

Hello,

Please find attached a formal request made under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA). Your analyst for the attached request will be Aaron Hofman.

Request Due Date: August 12, 2019

You should be aware that FOIPPA obligates us to assist the applicant and to respond without delay, openly, accurately, and completely. In the event that the ministry must defend the adequacy of its search to the Information and Privacy Commissioner at Inquiry, those involved in searching for records may be required to sign affidavits to prove that they have conducted an adequate search for relevant records.

Please do not hesitate to contact your analyst to discuss:

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- whether staff would be available to discuss the request with the applicant, if the applicant is agreeable;
- ways in which an applicant may want to narrow/focus their request to reduce potential fees; and/or
- any other questions or concerns relating to this request.

Thank you,

Health / Education Team
Information Access Operations

From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93819 | Due July 15, 2019
Date: July 3, 2019 2:10:21 PM
Attachments: CFR EDU-2019-93819.pdf

Hi Melissa and Scott,

I believe you were both MAs during the requested time period

Let me know when you've had a chance to upload your emails to the folders and I will ask Carrie to create a pdf for us.

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator

The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming

Minister of Education

Legislative Assembly of British Columbia

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From: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX

Sent: July 3, 2019 1:51 PM

To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX

Cc: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX ; Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX

Subject: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93819 | Due July 15, 2019

Hi

Please see the call for records and return back to this email address by **July 15, 2019**. I have created a sub-folder in the Minister's inbox for you or staff to add their records.

Call for Records: Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed (Date Range for Record Search: From 03/01/2019 To 03/31/2019)
XGR request

Legislated Due Date: August 14, 2019

Thx.

Carrie P.

From: Joyce, Sasha <Sasha.Joyce@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: July 3, 2019 12:06 PM

To: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX <EDUC.FOI@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Call for Records EDU-2019-93819 Due July 17, 2019

Hello

Please find attached a formal request made under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA). Your analyst for the attached request will be Derek Turkington

Please send the records to FOI.Health.Education@gov.bc.ca by July 17, 2019.

Request Due Date: August 14, 2019

You should be aware that FOIPPA obligates us to assist the applicant and to respond without delay, openly, accurately, and completely. In the event that the ministry must defend the adequacy of its search to the Information and Privacy Commissioner at Inquiry, those involved in searching for records may be required to sign affidavits to prove that they have conducted

an adequate search for relevant records.

Please do not hesitate to contact your analyst to discuss:

- whether the records may be routinely releasable;
- whether the information is being prepared for public release or is already publicly available;
- whether staff would be available to discuss the request with the applicant, if the applicant is agreeable;
- ways in which an applicant may want to narrow/focus their request to reduce potential fees; and/or
- any other questions or concerns relating to this request.

Thank you,

Sasha Joyce, FOI Analyst
Health / Education Team
Information Access Operations

From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93901 | Due July 16, 2019
Date: July 5, 2019 1:52:12 PM
Attachments: CFR EDU-2019-93901.pdf

I believe this would also apply to you two if you have any correspondence with MLA Weaver

Lisa Grant

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From: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX
Sent: July 5, 2019 11:52 AM
To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
Cc: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX ; Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX
Subject: Call for Records | EDU-2019-93901 | Due July 16, 2019

Hi

Please see the call for records and return back to this email address by **July 16, 2019**.

Call for Records: Copies of all communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff. Restrict search to the Premier/Minister/Minister of State Offices. (Date Range for Record Search: From 02/01/2019 To 06/30/2019)

XGR request

Legislated Due Date: August 15, 2019

Thx.

Carrie P.

From: Joyce, Sasha <Sasha.Joyce@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: July 5, 2019 11:46 AM
To: EDUC FOI EDUC:EX <EDUC.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Call for Records EDU-2019-93901

Hello

Please find attached a formal request made under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA). Your analyst for the attached request will be Aaron Hofman.

Request Due Date: August 15, 2019

You should be aware that FOIPPA obligates us to assist the applicant and to respond without delay, openly, accurately, and completely. In the event that the ministry must defend the adequacy of its search to the Information and Privacy Commissioner at Inquiry, those involved in searching for records may be required to sign affidavits to prove that they have conducted an adequate search for relevant records.

Please do not hesitate to contact your analyst to discuss:

- whether the records may be routinely releasable;
- whether the information is being prepared for public release or is already publicly available;

- whether staff would be available to discuss the request with the applicant, if the applicant is agreeable;
- ways in which an applicant may want to narrow/focus their request to reduce potential fees; and/or
- any other questions or concerns relating to this request.

Thank you,

Sasha Joyce, FOI Analyst
Health / Education Team
Information Access Operations

From: [Hahn, Andra PSSG:EX](#)
To: [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Confirmed: National Car Rental Reservation at VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73 on July 4, 2019
Date: July 3, 2019 11:38:14 AM
Attachments: ATT00002.png

Over to you, Lisa.

Andra

Andra Hahn

Senior Executive Assistant

Deputy Solicitor General's Office, Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General

PO Box 9290 Stn Prov Gov't, Victoria, BC V8W 9J7

Phone: 778-974-5971

From: National Car Reservations
Sent: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 11:36 AM
To: Hahn, Andra PSSG:EX
Subject: Confirmed: National Car Rental Reservation at VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73 on July 4, 2019



Confirmation:
s.17

Your Reservation is Confirmed.

Thanks for choosing National. You reserved a Intermedio class vehicle on July 4, 2019 at **VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73**.

Your confirmation number is: ^{s.17}

Itinerary

PICK UP

VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73

Thu, July 4, 2019

11:30 AM

999 CANADA PL

Sun,Sat

8:00 AM-3:00 PM

VANCOUVER BC V6C 3B5 CA

Mon-Fri

8:00 AM-6:00 PM

Hours subject to change. Please call to verify.

(833) 792-3294

VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73 Arrival Instructions

Upon arrival, please proceed to the National Car Rental counter

RETURN

VANCOUVER PAN PACIFIC 73

Fri, July 5, 2019

4:30 PM

Vehicle

Intermedio

Hyundai Elantra or similar
Auto Unspecified Drive



RATES & CHARGES

Vehicle

TIME & DISTANCE	2 DAILY @ 66.00 CAD	132.00 CAD
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Mileage

Unlimited

Taxes and Fees

PROV VEHICLE RENTAL TAX \$1.50/DAY	3.00 CAD
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VLF REC 1.10/DAY	2.20 CAD
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PROVINCIAL SALES TAX (7.0%)	9.39 CAD
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GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (5.0%)	6.86 CAD
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Estimated Total

153.45 CAD

(includes taxes and fees)

Total may vary slightly at time of rental based on the election of prepaid gas, optional coverage items or changes in taxes, surcharges and fees.

PAYMENT

Pay at counter

DRIVER INFORMATION:

Driver Name: MELISSA FARRANCE

Emerald Club #: s.17

Phone: (•••) •••-1432
Email: a••••n@gov.bc.ca
Reward Preferences: Credits
Arriving Airline: HARBOUR AIR LTD

CORPORATE ACCOUNT DETAILS

Contract Name: EMERALD CLUB MEMBERS

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There's still time to add SiriusXM to your rental. Ask to include it at the counter.

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Important Toll Road Information

You may be renting or driving in an area with toll roads. We offer optional TollPass products at participating locations that allow you to breeze through tolls without stopping to pay cash. Some toll plazas are electronic only and do not offer a cash payment option.

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Rental Policies

Arrival Directions

From Street Level - The National counter is located inside Canada Place, Level G, just past the Pan Pacific Hotel valet desk.

From Cruise Terminal - After exiting Port of Vancouver Security, please make your way down to Parking Level P1 inside Canada Place and locate our rental counter near parking section B11.

Renter Requirements

All renters and additional drivers must be 21 or older, have a valid driver's license and a major credit card in their name. Driver's licenses are accepted from any USA state or territory, from a Canadian province or from an international country. Licenses from outside the USA or Canada also may require an international driver's permit. International driver's permits are valid only if presented with the original local license. Individuals with learner's permits are not eligible to rent. U.S. government employees ages 18 or older will not incur a young driver surcharge when renting for authorized government travel. This is only a summary. For additional details, please reference the Driver's License Information

Policy.

AGE –

The underage surcharge for drivers between the ages of 21 and 24 is \$20 per day. Renters between the ages of 21 and 24 may rent the following vehicle classes: Economy through Full Size cars and Compact SUVs.

NON CREDIT CARD DEPOSITS –

This location will only accept US and International Debit Cards at the time of rental with a round trip travel ticket, e-ticket, or travel itinerary that shows the renter's name and discloses the return date and flight itinerary; Canadian Debit Cards are NOT accepted. Renters using a debit card as a deposit may rent the following vehicle classes: Economy through Full Size cars.

DEPOSIT AMOUNT –

A deposit including an additional \$200 more than the cost of the rental will be taken at the time of rental, and the funds will not be available for use until after the vehicle has been returned. Cash, and prepaid cards are not acceptable forms of rental deposit. This location is not responsible for any overdraft fees incurred.

Forms of Payment

Acceptable forms of payment include VISA, MasterCard, American Express, Traveler's checks and Money Orders. Please review the Renter Requirements for additional information.

Additional Driver

Additional drivers must meet same rental qualifications as the renter. Additional drivers must appear at the rental counter with the primary renter. An additional daily fee may apply for any additional drivers.

Loss Damage Waiver

Loss Damage Waiver (LDW) is not insurance. The purchase of LDW is optional and not required in order to rent a vehicle.

You may purchase optional LDW for an additional fee. If you purchase LDW we agree, subject to the actions that invalidate LDW listed on the rental agreement, to contractually waive your responsibility for all or part of the cost of damage to, loss or theft of, the vehicle. DW does not apply to damage occurring in Mexico.

When deciding whether or not to purchase DW, you may wish to check with your insurance representative or credit card company to determine whether, in the event of damage to, or theft of, vehicle, you have coverage or protection for such damage or theft and the amount of your deductible or out-of-pocket risk.

Damage Waiver

Optional Damage Waiver -DW- for this branch ranges between 9.99 and 49.99 CAD per day, depending on the vehicle rented. DW is offered at the time of rental for an additional daily charge. If the renter accepts DW, National waives or reduces the renter's responsibility for loss of, damage to, the rental vehicle, including but not limited to towing, storage, impound and administrative fees subject to the terms and conditions of the rental agreement and applicable laws. DW is not insurance. The purchase of DW is optional and not required to rent a car. The protection provided by DW may duplicate the renters existing coverage. National is not qualified to evaluate the adequacy of the renters existing coverage; therefore, the renter should examine his or her credit card protections, automobile insurance policies or other sources of coverage that may duplicate the protection by DW.

Personal Accident Insurance / Personal Effects Coverage

Personal Accident Insurance - Personal Effects Coverage - PAI-PEC - is offered at the time of rental for an additional daily charge. If accepted the PAI contained in the policy provides renter and renters passengers with accidental death, accident medical expenses and ambulance expense benefits. The PEC contained in the policy insures the personal effects of the renter, additional drivers, or any member of the renters immediate family who permanently resides in the renters household and who is traveling with the renter against risks of loss or damage. Benefits are payable in addition to any other insurance coverage the renter or passengers may have. This is a summary only. PAI-PEC is subject to the provisions, limitations and exclusions of the PAI-PEC policy underwritten by Chubb Insurance Company of Canada. The purchase of PAI-PEC is optional and not required to rent a car. The coverage provided by PAI-PEC may duplicate the renters existing coverage. National is not qualified to evaluate the adequacy of the renters existing coverage, therefore the renter should examine his or her personal insurance policies or other sources of coverage that may duplicate the coverage provided by PAI-PEC. The PAI-PEC for this branch is 6.99 CAD per day.

Roadside Protection

Renter may purchase Roadside Plus (RSP) from Owner for an additional fee. If Renter purchases RSP, Owner agrees, subject to the actions that invalidate Loss Damage Waiver, to contractually waive Renter's responsibility for the cost to provide 24/7 roadside assistance (where available) which includes replacement of lost keys (including remote entry devices), flat tire service (if no inflated spare is available, the vehicle will be towed. Cost of a replacement tire is not covered by RSP), lockout service (if the keys are locked inside the vehicle), jumpstarts, and fuel delivery service for up to 3 gallons (or equivalent liters) of fuel if Vehicle is out of fuel. Roadside Plus services are only available in the United States and Canada. If Renter does not purchase RSP, or RSP is invalidated as set forth above, roadside assistance will be available, but standard charges will apply. RSP does not apply in Mexico. For roadside assistance call 1-800-268-9711.

Roadside Assistance PLUS

Renter may purchase Roadside Plus (RSP) from Owner for an additional fee. If Renter purchases RSP, Owner agrees, subject to the actions that invalidate Loss Damage Waiver, to contractually waive Renter's responsibility for the cost to provide 24/7 roadside assistance (where available) which includes replacement of lost keys (including remote entry devices), flat tire service (if no inflated spare is available, the vehicle will be towed. Cost of a replacement tire is not covered by RSP), lockout service (if the keys are locked inside the vehicle), jumpstarts, and fuel delivery service for up to 3 gallons (or equivalent liters) of fuel if Vehicle is out of fuel. Roadside Plus services are only available in the United States and Canada. If Renter does not purchase RSP, or RSP is invalidated as set forth above, roadside assistance will be available, but standard charges will apply. RSP does not apply in Mexico. For roadside assistance call 1-800-268-9711.

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From: [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting
Date: July 4, 2019 1:17:45 PM
Attachments: 3.1 _20190705_City-SD-Ministry_Agenda July 5 2019 DRAFT - CoS Edit.docx

Hi Melissa,

City of Surrey made some minor edits to the agenda for the summit meeting tmr, just wanted to flip over to you so you had a chance to look it over

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator
The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming
Minister of Education
Legislative Assembly of British Columbia
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From: Kesteven, Blair
Sent: July 4, 2019 11:52 AM
To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Sorry, the ^{s.15} as corrected in this document.
The ^{s.15} so, that's likely where the confusion occurred.
Cheers,
Blair

From: Kesteven, Blair
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:26 AM
To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>; Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>
Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Hi Lisa,
Thanks for circulating. Surrey is good with the attached agenda; minor tracked edits have been made.
Please note that the ^{s.15}
Best,
Blair

From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: July 3, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>; Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>
Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Good morning Blair,
I have attached the most recent copy of the agenda for your review/information. I apologize for the delay in sending.
Looks like refreshments for 26 should be enough.
Cheers,

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator
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From: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>

Sent: July 2, 2019 10:43 AM

To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>; Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Good Morning Lisa and Gurdeep,

I hope you enjoyed the long weekend!

In advance of Friday's meeting, I'll have a refreshments order placed today and from my count, there will be 13 CoS attendees, 8 SD36 attendees, and based on the last meeting, 5ish from EDUC; for a total of 26 – does that sound ok?

Looking at the agenda from the February 2019 meeting (below), can I assume that the general topics haven't changed?

Agenda:

1. Review of Commitments from Sept 2018 [*UPDATE to Feb 2019?*]
2. Progress and Successes
3. Projects in Progress
4. School Site Acquisitions
5. New Goals and Commitments

Best,

Blair

From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 27, 2019 9:11 AM

To: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>; Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Hi Blair,

I have not received a draft agenda yet.

I will ask ministry staff if there is a copy we can circulate and send as soon as possible.

Cheers,

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator

The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming

Minister of Education

Legislative Assembly of British Columbia

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From: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>

Sent: June 27, 2019 9:04 AM

To: Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Hi Lisa and Gurdeep,

Just checking-in on this one after being out of the office. Lisa, is there a draft agenda that I can float to senior management for any potential topic additions? And could that draft include a current list of attendees? I'm looking for numbers to put in an order for light refreshments.

Best,

BLAIR KESTEVEN | INTERGOVERNMENTAL LIAISON

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From: Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>

Sent: June 24, 2019 2:24 PM

To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Hi Lisa and Blair,

Would you please add Trustee Laurae McNally to our contingent. Thank you.

Also, is there an agenda available for circulation yet?

Thanks again.

Gurdeep Diogan

Executive Assistant

Office of the Secretary-Treasurer

School District No. 36 (Surrey)

Tel: 604-595-6304 | Fax: 604-595-6307

E-mail: diogan_g@surreyschools.ca

From: Gurdeep Diogan

Sent: June 17, 2019 8:52 AM

To: 'Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX' <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: 'Kesteven, Blair' <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Good morning –

Dave Riley, Director, Capital Projects Office, will also be in attendance. Thanks.

Regards,

Gurdeep Diogan

Executive Assistant

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From: Gurdeep Diogan

Sent: June 13, 2019 4:05 PM

To: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>

Subject: RE: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Hi Lisa,

From our end it will be:

Chairperson Laurie Larsen

Vice Chairperson Terry Allen

Trustee Garry Thind

Trustee Gary Tymoschuk

Superintendent Dr. Jordan Tinney

Secretary-Treasurer Greg Frank.

Regards,

Gurdeep Diogan

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From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 13, 2019 3:27 PM

To: Kesteven, Blair <Blair.Kesteven@surrey.ca>; Gurdeep Diogan <diogan_g@surreyschools.ca>

Subject: Confirming attendees for July 5 Summit Meeting

Good afternoon Blair and Gurdeep,

I am hoping to confirm attendees and their titles from the School District and the City of Surrey for our agenda.

If you could please let me know who will be attending on your end at your earliest convenience it would be much appreciated.

Kind regards,

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator

The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming

Minister of Education

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From: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Merry, Kathleen EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#); [Drew, Rob EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Letter from Minister Rob Fleming
Date: July 2, 2019 2:09:41 PM
Attachments: 212439 Jackson Outgoing.pdf
d EDUC Quesnel Junior School signed DL.pdf

FYI – CWS is working on updating and resending this letter.

Ally Lee | Writing Services and Documents Coordinator
Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Education

From: Drew, Rob EDUC:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 1:34 PM
To: Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Letter from Minister Rob Fleming

Good Afternoon,

I noticed the a small error in this letter. It states the District contribution to the project is \$175,000 when it should read \$150,000. I have attached the Decision Note from TB which shows the required District contribution to this project.

Can this be updated and resent to all parties?

Rob Drew | Regional Director

Capital Management Branch | Ministry of Education
Mobile: 250-893-1127 | Email: rob.drew@gov.bc.ca
Address: 620 Superior Street, Victoria, BC V8W 9H1

From: Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 12:28 PM
To: gloriajackson@sd28.bc.ca
Cc: SueEllenMiller@sd28.bc.ca; BettinaKetcham@sd28.bc.ca; Palmer, Joel EDUC:EX
<Joel.Palmer@gov.bc.ca>; Drew, Rob EDUC:EX <Rob.Drew@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Letter from Minister Rob Fleming
Please find attached a letter from the Minister of Education.

From: [Maartman, William PSSG:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford
Date: July 8, 2019 11:05:50 AM

Hi Melissa – can you have someone in your office follow up with this? MLA Plecas is reaching out on behalf of a constituent.. Mr. Plecas called me directly on Friday so it would be great if someone from the MO can reach out to his constit office. Let me know if you need any more details.

Will

From: Born, Amber
Sent: July 5, 2019 2:30 PM
To: Maartman, William PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Great thanks!

Amber Born
Constituency Assistant to
Honourable Darryl Plecas, Speaker
MLA for Abbotsford South

From: Maartman, William PSSG:EX [<mailto:William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Friday, July 5, 2019 2:27 PM
To: Born, Amber <Amber.Born@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Thank you Amber.

I actually work in the PSSG office now but don't mind getting this request to the right place and an answer back for Darryl. I will have someone from the education office follow up next week.

Best,

Will Maartman
Sr. Ministerial Assistant | Assistant to the House Leader
Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General
778-679-4952

From: Born, Amber <Amber.Born@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: July 5, 2019 2:25 PM
To: Maartman, William PSSG:EX <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi Will,

Passing this along for Darryl. It is to do with the telephone conversation you had with him earlier today. Please see below.

Regards,

Amber Born
Constituency Assistant to
Honourable Darryl Plecas, Speaker
MLA for Abbotsford South

From: Doug Primrose <Doug.Primrose@abbyschools.ca>
Sent: July 5, 2019 10:06 AM
To: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: Mullen, Alan <Alan.Mullen@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi guys,

Just wondering if any developments at all with getting any government funding at all for this student conference coming to Abbotsford?

Thanks again

From: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: June 18, 2019 9:06 AM

To: Doug Primrose

Cc: Mullen, Alan

Subject: RE: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi Doug. I will check with Alan on this today as I know he has been connecting with the Minister of Education on the issues going back to when we first talked about it. Regards, Darryl.

From: Doug Primrose <Doug.Primrose@abbyschools.ca>

Sent: June 18, 2019 8:58 AM

To: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Mullen, Alan <Alan.Mullen@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi Guys,

Just wondering if there is any development with the BC Government with support for the big Canadian Student leadership Conference coming to Abbotsford.

We have sold out which is great and have over 1000 students and teachers attending! Even as far away as Northern Labrador and Nunavut!

If education does not want to support would there be another area that may? Tourism, Economic Development?

We also promote French as well for this conference and we have a big cultural night planned celebrating Indo-Canadian culture.

There will also be a workshop on Reconciliation and we have an Aboriginal Cultural moment planned.

Here is a video of what happened in Edmonton last year at the conference (2nd one down).

The Provincial Government donated \$50,000 to the conference which helped with the success.

Thanks again - anything would help!

<https://studentleadership.ca/>

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From: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: January 7, 2019 3:50 PM

To: Doug Primrose

Subject: RE: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford
Great. See you then and there at 4pm tomorrow Doug. Darryl.

From: Doug Primrose <Doug.Primrose@abbyschools.ca>

Sent: January 7, 2019 3:31 PM

To: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford
Yes if we could meet at Yale that would be awesome.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 7, 2019, at 2:28 PM, Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

How about meeting at 4pm Doug. I could meet you at Yale if that is most convenient....or you could come by my office at #304- 2031 McCallum Rd (Building #2 in Gateway complex at corner of Marshall and McCallum Rd). Thanks, Darryl.

From: Doug Primrose <Doug.Primrose@abbyschools.ca>

Sent: January 7, 2019 2:16 PM

To: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi

Thanks for getting back quickly. I am at Tale teaching then have a meeting till 3:45.

I could make some time during the day with coverage or meet after 3:45?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 7, 2019, at 1:52 PM, Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Doug. I am around tomorrow if that would work for you. Just name the time and place, and I will be there....or you could come to my office. Whatever works best for you. Thanks, Darryl.

From: Doug Primrose <Doug.Primrose@abbyschools.ca>

Sent: January 7, 2019 1:23 PM

To: Plecas.MLA, Darryl <Darryl.Plecas.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Fw: Student Leadership Conference in Abbotsford

Hi Mr. Plecas

I am a teacher in the Abbotsford School district and the co-chair of the Canadian Student Leadership Conference 2019 which will be hosted in Abbotsford Sept 24-28, 2019.

The host is the Abbotsford school district. We have students and teachers coming together to put this amazing conference together. It will be the 35th annual and it brings about over 1000 students and teachers from all across Canada to develop their leadership skills.

I was wondering when you are in your office here in Abbotsford I could chat with you more about it? We would love to have attend the opening ceremonies and see what it is all about. One thing I wanted to chat with you about is how we can get the word out to everyone

that this conference is coming. I think the more we can get the word out the better when it comes to getting sponsorship.

Here is our conference video and another video showing more about what CSLC is. Our website below shows the amazing keynote speakers we already have booked.

Thank you for your time look forward to hearing back.

Our website with video:

<https://cslc2019.studentleadership.ca/>

cslc2019.studentleadership.ca - CSLC-CCLE
2019 | Empowering Inner Resources :
Développement des ressources intérieures

cslc2019.studentleadership.ca

2019 Spirit Leaders presenting to the Abbotsford School Board about their experience at CSLC 2018!

About the conference and a video showing what the conference is:

<https://studentleadership.ca/what-we-do-2/what-we-do/cslc/>

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\(CSLC\)](https://studentleadership.ca)

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days to learn
leadership skills and
activities, make new
connections with
peers across the
country, exchange
ideas and have fun!

From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Child Care Forum
Date: July 2, 2019 4:58:17 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX
Sent: June 27, 2019 12:14 PM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Filion@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Child Care Forum

This is ***not*** urgent but wanted to send before I forget!

Program staff are asking if the Child Care Forum can take place in the first week of November rather than late October as they are jammed with other stakeholder events at that time.

I said I would pass it on – can discuss another time.

Thanks!

Sean Leslie

Communications Manager

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From: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#); [Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX](#); [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#); [Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX](#); [Henderson, Kelly EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: MRF Materials | Composition Data
Date: July 8, 2019 3:26:47 PM
Attachments: 208554 IBN-MRF Class Composition Data.docx
Attachment - Class_Size_Composition.xlsx

Hi Veronica,

Please find attached the materials for tomorrow's Composition Data briefing. Unfortunately the DM has not had a chance to approve these materials but we don't foresee him having any issues with them.

Best,

Laura Sampson | Senior Executive Assistant
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From: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#); [Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: Powers out
Date: July 4, 2019 3:35:36 PM

Hi all - powers out at our building and staff are being sent home.

Zita is online at home and I'll be online again at home in about 25 mins.

If you need to call me later my cell is^{s.17}

Thanks,
Laura

Sent from my iPhone

From: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Cliff # 212444
Date: July 8, 2019 3:43:39 PM

Definitely. Is there a date you would like this out by?

Thanks!

Ally

Ally Lee | Writing Services and Documents Coordinator
Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Education

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 8, 2019 3:28 PM
To: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Subject: Cliff # 212444

Hi folks,

Can you please re-direct Cliff #212444 to a rush draft-minister?

Thanks!

Melissa Farrance

Ministerial Assistant
Minister of Education
250-213-1432

From: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Direction Needed | Letter - Funding Model Review
Date: July 4, 2019 1:15:17 PM

Thanks Melissa – will do. Sorry for all of the emails.

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 1:13 PM
To: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Subject: Re: Direction Needed | Letter - Funding Model Review

Hey Carrie, yes we reply the same to all the board FMR submissions. I thought it was meant to be toggles as batch - but if that isn't the case, then please do action accordingly. Thanks much!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2019, at 12:54 PM, EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX <EDUC.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Melissa
This was toggled as batch. s.13
s.13

Thx.
Carrie P.

From: Erin Gorman <egorman@sd83.bc.ca>
Sent: June 28, 2019 9:24 AM
To: Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX <EDUC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: shigginson@bcsta.org; Peter Jory <pjory@sd83.bc.ca>; Alanna Cameron <acameron@sd83.bc.ca>; Trustees s.22
Subject: Letter - Funding Model Review

Dear Minister Fleming:

Attached is a letter from Marianne VanBuskirk, Chairperson for the Board of Education, School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap) regarding the Funding Model Review.

Yours sincerely,

Erin Gorman

Executive Assistant to the Superintendent/CEO
School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap)
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PO Box 129
Salmon Arm, BC V1E 4N2
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From: Hop Wo, Hilary GCPE:EX
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Subject: RE: green caucus question: funding formula working group
Date: July 3, 2019 4:08:53 PM

thanks

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 4:08 PM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX ; Hop Wo, Hilary GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: green caucus question: funding formula working group

Hi Hilary,

Here is the link to the latest on the funding model. <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/administration/resource-management/k-12-funding-and-allocation/funding-model>

Let me know if there is anything else I can do.

Thanks!

Melissa

From: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 11:41 AM
To: Hop Wo, Hilary GCPE:EX <Hilary.HopWo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: green caucus question: funding formula working group

Hi Hilary,

s.22 Melissa (cc'd here) can help.

We are still a bit far out from a final report back from the working groups, but there was recently an interim report posted that they can review.

Best,

Veronica

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 3, 2019, at 2:31 PM, Hop Wo, Hilary GCPE:EX <Hilary.HopWo@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Veronica,

Greens are asking for a status update re the working group on the education funding formula. They'd like to know status, timeline, whether they could get an advance copy.

Can you help?

Thanks,

Hilary Hop Wo

Manager, Policy and Consultation

Confidence and Supply Agreement Secretariat

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From: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Letter Regarding the potential expansion of Ecole Hammond Bay in Nanaimo
Date: July 3, 2019 11:04:10 AM

Sounds good, just wanted to make sure I didn't hit a random toggle

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 10:55 AM
To: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Cc: Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX
Subject: Re: Letter Regarding the potential expansion of Ecole Hammond Bay in Nanaimo
Yep, I was just confirming some details before you take it out of the inbox. Just hold it for now.
Thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 3, 2019, at 10:45 AM, EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX <EDUC.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hey Melissa
This has been toggled as HOLD and Draft Director, I just want to confirm this is correct.
Thx.
Carrie P.

From: Goeller, Neil FLNR:EX
Sent: June 27, 2019 10:10 AM
To: Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX <EDUC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Letter Regarding the potential expansion of Ecole Hammond Bay in Nanaimo
Mr. Fleming
Please find attached a letter regarding the proposed school expansion at École Hammond Bay in Nanaimo BC. Thank you, in advance, for any time you and/or your staff take to read and reply to this letter.
Regards,

Neil

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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX](#); [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Maple Ridge School District announcement - Opportunity for a quote for Minister Fleming?
Date: July 3, 2019 3:00:51 PM

Absolutely.

From: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 2:48 PM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX ; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX ; Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX ; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Maple Ridge School District announcement - Opportunity for a quote for Minister Fleming?
Hello does MRF want a quote in the below?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Grewal, Preet GCPE:EX" <Preet.Grewal@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 3, 2019 at 2:38:13 PM PDT
To: "Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX" <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Arkus, Irma GCPE:EX" <Irma.Arkus@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: **Maple Ridge School District announcement - Opportunity for a quote for Minister Fleming?**

Hi Sean,
Attached is a draft of our news release for our Maple Ridge School district announcement on Monday for your team's review and a spot for a quote from Minister Fleming, if he would like.
It's also still going through reviews on our side but we wanted to share it with you asap.
Please let us know if you need anything further on this.
Thanks,
Preet
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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#); [Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#); [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#); [Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX](#); [Henderson, Kelly EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Minister's Action Follow up | July 2
Date: July 2, 2019 4:38:37 PM

This looks great - thanks, Laura.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2019, at 4:11 PM, Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX <Laura.Sampson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Melissa,

Here is the summary and action items from today's Minister's Council. Please let me know if I've noted anything incorrectly.

Thanks,

Laura Sampson | Senior Executive Assistant

Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Education

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From: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Modular meeting July 22
Date: July 4, 2019 12:04:43 PM

Thanks! I'll chat with the DM about this one.

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Modular meeting July 22

From: Viaud, Chantille MCF:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 7:46 PM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Modular meeting July 22

I believe that our ministry asked your ministry for who would be the best to attend this meeting convened by the 10aDay advocates on modular child care in Vancouver on July 22. MSKC will be there. Modular Child Care is normally the quickest and easiest option especially when we're talking about building on school grounds

Are there some folks (staff etc) that you'd recommend are there? Draft invitation is attached.

Cheers,
Chantille

From: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Henderson, Kelly EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#); [Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX](#); [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#); [Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: MRF Info | SD8 Media Release: Public Notice of Censure
Date: July 2, 2019 4:53:52 PM

Here are some related articles as well that GCPE highlighted...just for your info:

<https://www.crestonvalleyadvance.ca/opinion/elitism-in-our-public-schools/>
<http://www.summit107.com/news/east-kootenay-news/explicit-safer-sex-guide-mistakenly-offered-to-elementary-students-in-creston/>
<https://www.bclocalnews.com/news/teachers-association-protests-committee-appointment-process/>

From: Henderson, Kelly EDUC:EX
Sent: June 28, 2019 3:10 PM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX
Cc: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX ; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX ; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX ; Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX ; Teng, Zita EDUC:EX ; Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX ; Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX
Subject: MRF Info | SD8 Media Release: Public Notice of Censure

Hi Veronica,

DM asked us to share the attached with your office as FYI.

Thanks-

Kelly Henderson | Documents Coordinator

Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Education

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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#); [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#); [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#); [Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Re: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM
Date: July 4, 2019 6:24:39 PM

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I'll run it by MRF in the morning, but I don't foresee an issue. Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2019, at 5:40 PM, Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello, Marg is back with a suggested edit to MRF's quote.^{s.13}
s.13

Lots of time on this – rest of the NR is fine so if you're good with it, we'll just make the final change to MRF's quote as you see fit, and add in the Elizabeth May quote when it comes.

Thanks!

Sean

From: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 4:43 PM
To: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Filion@gov.bc.ca>; Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX <Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM
Hi Sean.
Thx for this.
Just one comment/request pls –s.13

s.13

Thx Sean.

Marg LeGuilloux

Executive Director
Communications - Social Ministries
GCPE
778-584-1259

From: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 3:23 PM
To: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX <Marg.LeGuilloux@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Filion@gov.bc.ca>; Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX

<Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM

Hello Marg, welcome back!

Attached for your review is our draft NR for EDUC-92717, due for release Monday July 8th at 2:45pm.

Please note we have been working with the fine folks at Government House on this one per protocol and just got it back today with their edits. Also waiting on one more quote (from MP May).

Please let us know if you'd like any changes – thanks!

Sean Leslie

Communications Manager

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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Please advise | Request to Access Ministry of Education Restricted Capital Funding
Date: July 4, 2019 9:30:26 AM

Hi Carrie,^{s.13}
other advice that I should be aware of, please let me know. Thanks!

If Joel has any issue or

From: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:24 AM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Cc: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Subject: Please advise | Request to Access Ministry of Education Restricted Capital Funding
Hi Melissa
See attached.
Thx.
Carrie P.

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:14 AM
To: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX <EDUC.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Please advise | Request to Access Ministry of Education Restricted Capital Funding
Hi Carrie, I'd like to see the letter first before providing direction. Thanks!

From: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:02 AM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX <EDUC.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Please advise | Request to Access Ministry of Education Restricted Capital Funding
Hi Melissa

Prior to you toggling this incoming as Draft-Minister, the division prepared a response for executive director's signature. RMD has advised the draft has been approved by Joel Palmer, Executive Director and ready to be sent. Might this be an option to send the response from Joel or would you prefer to continue with a draft for Minister's signature. If would like to see a copy of the draft, please let me know.

Thx.
Carrie P.

From: McBurney, Nita <NMcBurney@sd61.bc.ca> **On Behalf Of** Green, Shelley
Sent: June 26, 2019 8:17 AM
To: Palmer, Joel EDUC:EX <Joel.Palmer@gov.bc.ca>; Crowell, Damien EDUC:EX <Damien.Crowell@gov.bc.ca>; Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX <EDUC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stride, Katrina <kstride@sd61.bc.ca>; Morris, Chuck <cmorris@sd61.bc.ca>; Hentze, Angie <ahentze@sd61.bc.ca>; Ferris, Tom <tferris@sd61.bc.ca>; Leonard, Elaine <eleonard@sd61.bc.ca>; Mcnally, Diane <dmcnally@sd61.bc.ca>; Duncan, Nicole <nduncan@sd61.bc.ca>; Paynter, Rob <rpaynter@sd61.bc.ca>; Painter, Ryan <rpainter@sd61.bc.ca>; Watters, Jordan <jwatters@sd61.bc.ca>; Whiteaker, Ann <awhiteaker@sd61.bc.ca>
Subject: Request to Access Ministry of Education Restricted Capital Funding
Request letter, as attached.

Kind regards,
Nita McBurney, Executive Assistant
for Shelley Green
Superintendent of Schools
The Greater Victoria School District No. 61
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Victoria, BC
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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Provincial School Police Guidelines Joint Minister Briefing
Date: July 5, 2019 11:04:13 AM

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2019, at 10:40 AM, Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi all,

Just wondering how urgent this briefing is, ^{s.22}
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We won't have an opportunity to do a meeting while both ministers are in the same city but if it needs to happen before both ministers are back I can book a conference call next week. Let me know your thoughts.

Lisa Grant

<!--[if !vml]--><!--[endif]-->Administrative Coordinator

The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming

Minister of Education

Legislative Assembly of British Columbia

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From: Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX

Sent: July 2, 2019 4:52 PM

To: Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX <Nicole.E.Hansen@gov.bc.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Provincial School Police Guidelines Joint Minister Briefing

Hi Nicole/Lisa –

MRF agreed to do a joint briefing with PSSG in Minister's Council today. ^{s.13}

s.13

.keep me

posted!

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX

Sent: July 2, 2019 12:46 PM

To: Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX <Laura.Sampson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: McCrea, Jennifer EDUC:EX <Jennifer.McCrea@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Provincial School Police Guidelines Joint Minister Briefing

Hi folks,

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Potential

for MMF to have suggestions for other Police Chiefs to include in roll out as well.

Thanks!

Melissa Farrance

Ministerial Assistant

Minister of Education

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From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [EDUC FOI EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Question | Sudden termination of Vancouver Norma Rose Point school math contests and meetings inquiring and questions
Date: July 3, 2019 12:56:44 PM
Attachments: image003.png
image005.png

s.13 Sorry, didn't read the whole chain.^{s.13}
s.13 Thanks Carrie!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 3, 2019, at 12:49 PM, EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX
<EDUC.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Melissa

This was toggled as direct reply. Based on the email chain, it appears VSB has answered the writers questions/concerns. I'm not really sure if staff can provide further info. If you would still like a response, might you please provide some direction of what you are looking for in the response.

Thx.

Carrie P.

From: s.22

Sent: June 26, 2019 11:31 PM

To: Minister, EDUC EDUC:EX <EDUC.Minister@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Sudden termination of Vancouver Norma Rose Point school math contests and meetings inquiring and questions

Dear Honourable minister of Education Mr. Fleming,

Our Norma Rose Point school has wonderful math club that did extremely well in many math contests for example, winner of BC math challengers fourth years in a row. But the school suddenly decided to stop all meetings and end all math contests.

Please help. Thank you!

Sincerely,
s.22

From: s.22

Sent: June 25, 2019 8:49:10 PM

To: Aaron Davis

Cc: janet.fraser@vsb.bc.ca; shoffman@vsb.bc.ca

Subject: Re: inquiring and questions

Dear Mr. Davis, Dr. Fraser and Ms. Hoffman,

Thank you for taking your time to respond to my inquiries.

I believe that the students should not be the victims of Norma Rose Point school administrator's mistakes. About one fourth of middle school students came out to challenge themselves with math club's orientation test last October. The NRP school administrator has already taken away two math contests (Gauss math and Math League math contest)

Yes, I understand that these opportunities are not under BC curriculum requirements. Nerveless, it is a decision that I believe is totally against VSB's mission statement, " To enable students to reach their intellectual, social, aesthetic and physical potential in challenging and stimulating settings which reflect the worth of each individual and promote mutual respect, cooperation and social responsibility."

Sincerely,
s.22

From: Aaron Davis <adavis@vsb.bc.ca>

Sent: June 4, 2019 8:06:33 PM

To: s.22

Subject: Re: inquiring and questions

Dear^{s.22}

Thank you for providing me with your name and address.

I will respond to two issues you raised in your correspondence with me, Dr. Fraser, Chair of Vancouver School Board and Ms. Hoffman, Superintendent, Vancouver School District. The issues include Norma Rose Point PAC meeting minutes and the Math Challenge Club at NRP.

Norma Rose Point Meeting minutes

With regards to the minutes of NRP's PAC, it is the responsibility of the PAC secretary to produce meeting minutes and make available to the school community. I spoke with Ms. Fazio, NRP's principal yesterday and she assured me the edited April minutes are now available for review. Below is a direct link to the NRP PAC website.

<https://nrppac.wordpress.com/pac-documents/minutes/>

If you have any questions regarding the minutes, please contact Ms. Fazio or email the Norma Rose Pointe PAC chair at rosepointpac@gmail.com.

Math Challenge Club

In April, Ms. Fazio provided a comprehensive review of the Math Challenge Club history at Norma Rose Point, outlining requirements for the club to participate in the math challenge competition and the administration's rationale to discontinue their sponsorship of the club. Attached is a copy of Ms. Fazio's letter dated April 16, 2019 for your reference. Any school supported extra-curricular event or club requires the sponsorship of a Vancouver School District employee. In addition, the

Math Challenge Club participation in competitions, as outlined by the competition organizations, requires the coach/organizer responsible for testing be school staff. Unfortunately, staff members at NRP no longer volunteer to sponsor the Math Challenge Club. Because the Math Challenge Club is an extracurricular opportunity and not a curriculum requirement, the school district cannot mandate that a staff member sponsor the club. Therefore the club cannot enter mathematics competitions requiring a VSB staff sponsor.

I recognize this is disappointing and not the response you had hoped. Although you question if closing the Math Challenge Club is "the path of do better," it is the decision the school must make to be in compliance with competition rules. In the future, if a staff member at NRP decides to sponsor the Math Challenge Club, then the club can continue and participate in future competitions.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Aaron Davis

Director of Instruction – School Services

Office of the Superintendent

[School District #39 \(Vancouver\)](#)

1580 West Broadway Vancouver BC V6J 5K8

phone: 604-713-5097.

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From: s.22

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at 11:12 AM

To: Aaron Davis <adavis@vsb.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: inquiring and questions

Dear Mr. Davis,

Thank you for your email and thank you for taking up the responsibility to responding to the issue.

At the end of Principle Fazio's letter, "Over the years, I was unaware of math competition rules and so they were overlooked. However, as Maya Angelou states, "Do the best you can until you know better. Then when you know better, do better." My question is closing down math club and end all math contests is the path of "do better"?

Is this decision in line with VSB mission statement of "VSB's vision is to inspire student success by providing innovative, caring and responsive learning environments. The strategic plan guides how the district will achieve this vision through to 2021."

On May first NRP PAC meeting, almost 30 parents came out to support "edits to draft PAC April's minutes". I am surprise to see so many inaccuracies in the PAC April minutes.

You can investigate on <https://nrppac.wordpress.com/2019/04/>

We all voted to approved proposed edit version. My question is why PAC released six inaccurate information in April's minutes at first place. The math club volunteer parents was asking for PAC and school administrators to support University of Waterloo Gauss contest to take place but it was recorded inaccurately as asking the math club to continue. Now I still can not find the corrected version of April minutes in NRP PAC documents.

My name is s.22

Thank you for your help and support for all Vancouver Public school's students to "inspire students to success by providing innovative, caring and responsive learning environments."

Sincerely,
s.22

From: Aaron Davis <adavis@vsb.bc.ca>

Sent: May 28, 2019 12:27:52 AM

To: s.22

Subject: Re: inquiring and questions

Dears.s.22

My name is Aaron Davis, Director of Instruction – School Services for the Vancouver School District. As the Director responsible for Norma Rose Point, I will respond on behalf of Ms. Janet Fraser and Ms. Suzanne Hoffman regarding your email send on May 16, 2019

Before I send you my response, can you please provide me with your full name and address?

Sincerely,

Aaron Davis

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From: s.22

Date: Thursday, May 16, 2019 at 12:15 PM

To: Janet Fraser <Janet.Fraser@vsb.bc.ca>, "Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent)" <shoffman@vsb.bc.ca>

Cc: Aaron Davis <adavis@vsb.bc.ca>

Subject: inquiring and questions

Dear Dr. Fraser and VSB superintendent Ms. Hoffman,

I want to thank Norma Rose Point school principal Ms. Fazio for her open and transparent review about Math Challengers club. I will like to reiterate that I am a NRP parent and I not an upset MCC parent coach. Many of us went to the office and wanted

to share our concerns and hoping to find a solution but it seems that school administrators has already made the decision.

Yesterday was suppose to have another math contest organized by University of Waterloo.

<https://www.cemc.uwaterloo.ca/contests/contests.html>

NRP students has been participating in the Gauss math contest for many years even before there was a Math Challengers Club. Yet this year all the students who wish to participate in loose the chance to.

I question that if this is the right decision. The students are caught up in the middle between school administrators and MCC parent coaches. I am pleasing with you to step in and to mediat for the students. Last October, there were more than 110 students participated in Math Challengers club's orientation test. Many students like the challenge of problem solving. Please be the voice of voiceless students.

Thank you!
s.22

From: Rosa Fazio <rfazio@vsb.bc.ca>

Sent: April 17, 2019 12:51:32 AM

To: Janet Frasers.22 Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent); Jennifer Reddy

Cc: Aaron Davis

Subject: Re: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear Janet, Jennifer and Suz:

My apologies for the many emails that have come your way! Neither PAC (who also received emails) nor I know who s.22 is. They have not come to speak with us, nor provided their first name or their child's name for reference.

I wrote a response letter reviewing the Math Challenge Club issues and sent it to NRP PAC Exec (s.22) and the Math Challenge Club parent coachess.22 I have included it as an attachment for reference only (s.22).

All the best and sorry for the inconvenience.

Rosa Fazio

Principal

p: (604) 713-5950

e: rfazio@vsb.bc.ca

t: @collabtime @RosePointSchool

App: Rose Point School

From: Janet Fraser <Janet.Fraser@vsb.bc.ca>

Date: Monday, April 15, 2019 at 4:40 PM

To: s.22

Cc: "Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent)" <shoffman@vsb.bc.ca>, Rosa <rfazio@vsb.bc.ca>, Jennifer Reddy <Jennifer.Reddy@vsb.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear s.22

My apologies as I meant to refer to Norma Rose Point School but took the incorrect school name from the subject line. I did copy the Norma Rose Point principal and Trustee Reddy is the liaison trustee for Norma Rose Point.

Sincerely,

Janet

Janet Fraser

Chair, Vancouver School Board

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From: s.22

Sent: April 15, 2019 2:37 PM

To: Janet Fraser

Cc: Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent); Rosa Fazio; Jennifer Reddy

Subject: Re: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear Vancouver School Board chair Dr. Fraser, Superintendent Ms. Hoffman and Ms. Fazio,

Thank you for your email.

This is NOT about University Hill school. This issue is about a successful Norma Rose Point school math club that is being terminated suddenly. Now the students are even missing out on a upcoming math contest on this Wednesday.

<http://mathematica.ca/eng/>

I have asked for help in many email without any response. Now I ask for appeals to change admin's decision, for the sake of the students PLEASE.

Sincerely,

s.22

From: Janet Fraser <Janet.Fraser@vsb.bc.ca>

Sent: April 15, 2019 9:24:58 PM

To: s.22

Cc: Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent); Rosa Fazio; Jennifer Reddy

Subject: Re: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear s.22

My appreciation for volunteers is that they commit their time and effort for students and I do also appreciate your commitment.

However any school sponsored activities must also provide the appropriate

supervision and support for students and this must be arranged in collaboration with the principal and must comply with the relevant district administration procedures. I am not familiar with the arrangements at University Hill and encourage you to discuss this with the principal and note that can also reach out to the liaison trustee Jennifer Reddy.

With regards,
Janet

Janet Fraser

Chair, Vancouver School Board

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From: s.22

Sent: April 9, 2019 11:23 AM

To: Eby.MLA, David; Rosa Fazio; Tina Smith; jennifer@onecityvancouver.ca; joyce.murray.c1a@parl.gc.ca; Jennifer Reddy; Janet Fraser; Allan Wong; newsroom@globeandmail.com; newstips@globaltv.com; Suzanne Hoffman (Superintendent); Aaron Davis; Jessie Fogell; chair@mathchallengers.ca; rosepointpac@gmail.com; vantips@postmedia.com; vancouver@dailyhive.com; Van24News@postmedia.com; CampusResident@myuna.ca

Cc: hmunro@postmedia.com

Subject: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear VSB Trustee Chair Dr. Fraser,

Thank you so much for your email with word of support and your encouragement to Norma Rose Point school math club parent volunteers and UHill secondary student volunteers. Your words mean a lot to each one of them.

I want to share the photos from the Math challengers event

<https://nrpmathchallengeclub.wordpress.com/2019/04/07/math-challengers-provincial-champion-4-years-in-a-row/>

Please help with

First, acknowledge and thank all our math club coaches Sun, and student coaches s.22
s.22 and all the parent volunteers.

Second, please help Math club to stay open. NRP Math Club only need NRP to support by provide space to meet after school. Is it too much to ask for?

Third, please continue all the on going math contest for the students; for example the up coming Gauss math contest on May 15,2019 Again, please provide only a class room.

<https://www.cemc.uwaterloo.ca/contests/contests>

Sincerely,

s.22

From: s.22

Sent: April 7, 2019 2:34:29 AM

To: Eby.MLA, David; rfazio@vsb.bc.ca; tsmith@vsb.bc.ca; jennifer@onecityvancouver.ca; joyce.murray.c1a@parl.gc.ca; jennifer.reddy@vsb.bc.ca; janet.fraser@vsb.bc.ca; allan.wong@vsb.bc.ca; newsroom@globeandmail.com; newstips@globaltv.com; shoffman@vsb.bc.ca; adavis@vsb.bc.ca; jfoggell@vsb.bc.ca; chair@mathchallengers.ca; rosepointpac@gmail.com; vantips@postmedia.com; vancouver@dailyhive.com; Van24News@postmedia.com; CampusResident@myuna.ca

Subject: Congratulations to Norma Rose Point elementary and middle school and University Hill secondary school

Dear Honourable Joyce Murray, Honourable David Eby, Math Challenge chair Mr. Branch and all the Vancouver School Board administrators and Rose Point PAC,

I want to share a good news from Vancouver Norma Rose Point school with you. Today NRP students won FOURTH years in a row, the British Columbia Math Challenger grade eight champion 2019.

Soon results will be in <https://www.egbc.ca/Math-Challengers/Competitors/Results>

University Hill secondary school also won the grade ten team and the transition program won the grade nine team.

We want to thank all the volunteer coaches. They are all amazing and deeply committed to the Norma Rose Point school's math club. The coaches dedicated lots of time in providing caring and learning experiences in learning math.

Hopefully, Norma Rose School administrators can continue to support the math club. Please don't terminate math club. Please continue to support different math contests and music program at NRP.

Thank you for VSB's
Vision of

We inspire student success by providing an innovative, caring and responsive learning environment.

Sincerely,
s.22

From: [Giuliano, Angela LASS:EX](#)
To: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Quick chat
Date: July 8, 2019 9:24:32 AM

Hi Melissa,
s.22 Do you still need to speak to me?
Tks, Angela

-----Original Message-----

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, July 4, 2019 5:28 PM
To: Giuliano, Angela <Angela.Giuliano@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Quick chat

Hi Angela, can we have a quick chat tomorrow?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX](#); [Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Scan From MPS5431
Date: July 8, 2019 4:12:17 PM

Hi Laura, Looks like an external referral to me. Thanks, Melissa

From: Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX
Sent: July 8, 2019 2:21 PM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Cc: EDUC Correspondence EDUC:EX ; Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX
Subject: FW: Scan From MPS5431
Hi Melissa,

A letter addressed to MRF was sent to the DMO. I've attached a copy here for your review. Please let CWS know what kind of response you'd like.

Thanks,

Laura

From: LSAMPSON <Laura.Sampson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: July 8, 2019 2:20 PM
To: Sampson, Laura EDUC:EX <Laura.Sampson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Scan From MPS5431

From: [BC News On Demand GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: BC Gov News - More choice, a stronger voice help seniors make long-term care decisions
Date: July 3, 2019 12:52:59 PM



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The Ministry of Health is changing how people access long-term care to make the process more client-centred, consistent and fair and to ensure seniors have greater choice in where they live.

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Subject: BC Gov News - More than 100 new affordable homes coming to Salmon Arm
Date: July 3, 2019 1:02:34 PM



More than 100 new affordable homes coming to Salmon Arm

More new affordable rental homes and housing with supports are on the way for Salmon Arm.

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Inside Government

No Activities for Saturday, July 6, 2019

Sunday, July 7, 2019

Events, Speeches & Releases

Sun Jul 7	Lead	Activity/Details	RLS	CC ID#
9:15 AM NEW	PREM	SOOKE -- Premier John Horgan speaks at the Scouts Canada Pacific Jamboree at Camp Barnard	-	PREM-94515
3:15 PM	TAC	VANCOUVER -- MLA Janet Routledge speaks at Carnaval de Sol on behalf of Minister Beare: Biggest Latin festival in Pacific Northwest (June 27-July 7, 2019). Festival parade takes place from 2:00-3:30pm	-	TAC-94472
8:10 PM CHANGED	TAC	VANCOUVER -- Minister Lisa Beare speaks at Vancouver Symphony Orchestra 100th Anniversary Concert and makes funding announcement: Third-party outdoor event with regional TAC news release scheduled for 8:30am	BCGov NR 8:30 am	TAC-93877

Monday, July 8, 2019

Events, Speeches & Releases

Mon Jul 8	Lead	Activity/Details	RLS	CC ID#
9:30 AM CHANGED	MMHA	MAPLE RIDGE -- Minister Judy Darcy makes Mental Health Strategy follow-up announcement with school and community leaders: Event with provincewide news release. UPDATE: MLAs Lisa Beare and Bob D'Eith also participate. EVENT LEAD: Marlene Behrens, (RESULTS)	BCGov NR 9:45 am	MMHA-93923
10:45 AM	MAH	BOWEN ISLAND -- PS Bowinn Ma speaks at TransLink event introducing educational campaign on service additions starting July 1: The "Bowen on Demand" app allows people to book a trip on their smartphones, rather than following a fixed bus route. The pilot project launched in May	3rd party NR	MAH-93813
11:00 AM TBC CHANGED	CITZ	Information bulletin, web post only -- Government facilities management contract awarded. UPDATE: Tentative time only, waiting on approvals	BCGov IB	CITZ-94503
12:00 PM	TRAN	Provincewide news release -- TRAN Regulations (coincides with OICs) Media Avail by Teleconference to follow with MLA Ma on behalf of Minister Trevena at 1:00 p.m.	BCGov NR	TRAN-94203
2:30 PM	SDPR	Regional news release -- Project-based labour market training for Advanced Forestry Skills announcement	BCGov NR	SDPR-94483
2:45 PM	EDUC	VICTORIA (Government House) -- Minister Rob Fleming gives opening remarks at International Schools Debates: Four-day conference features debates between students from around the world. This year's theme is "Life on Land". Joint news release to be issued by ministry. LG Austin speaks at 2:15pm; MP Elizabeth May gives keynote at 2:25pm	Joint NR 3:00 pm	EDUC-92717

ISSUES AND REPORTS

Date	CC ID#	Activity/Details	Category	Rls
Jul 8 Time TBD	MAH-94287	Surrey -- 1st and 2nd reading for modular housing project: City of Surrey will hold reading for project proposed for 13245 King George Blvd. (Peterson Place) in Surrey. This project was announced by the Province in Feb. 2019 (RESULTS)	Issue	-
s.13		Site C - BC Hydro Quarterly Progress Report No. 15: BC Hydro files its next Site C Quarterly Progress Report covering Jan. 1 to March 31, 2019, with the B.C. Utilities Commission and posts a redacted version of report to its website	Issue	Report

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In the News

Mon Jul 8	CC ID#	Activity/Details	Category	Rls
8:30 AM	HLTH-94445	Providence Health Care news release -- Heart disease in young people: The Journal of the American Heart Association will publish a involving Cardiac Services BC data, the researchers, including Providence's Dr. Liam Brunham (co-principal author) and Dr. Karin Humphries, found that while the incidence of heart disease has declined in the past two decades, it has only stabilized for young people	FYI	3rd party NR
9:30 AM	HLTH-94492	Vancouver -- BC Cancer Foundation donor celebration event: Small donor event to celebrate a \$1M dollar donation from the Pan Family for the upgraded PET/CT machine in Vancouver. Will be pitched to Chinese media outlets. Health Authority involved. No Provincial Reps participating	FYI	3rd party NR
10:00 AM	MMHA-94475	Island Health release -- BC Health Care Awards: Island Health has been honoured with two awards at the 2019 BC Health Care Awards: A Gold Apple Awards for Collaborative Solutions, shared with our partners, and a Health Care Hero award. The BC Health Care Awards celebrate excellence and innovation by recognizing teams and individuals whose achievements and actions inspire others. An independent panel of 19 judges made up of leaders from BC's business, academic and health care communities selected the winners	FYI	3rd party NR
1:00 PM CHANGED	HLTH-94481	Island Health news release -- Planting of traditional plant garden in Campbell River: Opening of garden scheduled for July 5 from 8:30am to 2pm at North Island Hospital Campbell River Campus, no media invited. A Traditional Plant Working Group, consisting of local Elders, has brought this vision to life by designing a garden that will create a healthy and relaxing environment for patients, their families and staff; and provide an opportunity for community members to learn more about traditional plants that grow within the traditional territories of the Laichwiltach peoples.	FYI	3rd party NR

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7:40 AM NEW	HLTH	RADIO -- Minister Dix on CBC on the Island with Gregor Craigie	-	HLTH-94495
8:30 AM	EMPR	Provincewide news release -- 11 Net Zero Energy Ready Challenge (formerly Better Buildings BC) winners announced	BCGov NR	EMPR-94234
10:00 AM CHANGED	MMHA	PENTICTON -- Minister Judy Darcy makes Foundry Penticton opening announcement: Follow-up Mental Health Strategy announcement. Event with regional news release (RESULTS)	BCGov NR 10:15 am	MMHA-94217
10:40 AM	AGRI	VANCOUVER -- Minister Lana Popham speaks at 'Habitat Restoration and Innovations in the New Restoration Economy' Workshop	-	AGRI-94458
11:00 AM CHANGED	CFD	VANCOUVER -- Premier John Horgan, Mayor Kennedy Stewart and Minister of State Katrina Chen participate in new child care spaces announcement: Event with provincewide news release EVENT LEAD: Sian Madoc-Jones, (RESULTS)	BCGov NR 11:15 am	CFD-94191
12:00 PM NEW	AGRI	Provincewide news release -- Hold for AGRI (coincides with OIC)	BCGov NR	AGRI-94486
1:00 PM	TRAN	Provincewide news release -- Class 1 Licences announcement. Will also be translated to Punjabi	BCGov NR	TRAN-94150
2:30 PM	AGRI	VANCOUVER -- Minister Lana Popham speaks at Buy BC event at White Spot's culinary training centre: Event with provincewide news release	BCGov NR 2:45 pm	AGRI-92790

Outside Government

In the News

Thu Jul 4	CC ID#	Activity/Details	Category	RLs
Thu Jul 4	IGRS-93585	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA National Day: Reception to take place on July 16th in Vancouver	FYI	-

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Subject: End of Day Media Request Report - July 3
Date: July 3, 2019 4:35:13 PM

Media Request

Reporter: Keith Baldrey

Issue: Bargaining – BCTF claims

Response: Sent this statement from Minister Fleming:

“We want the parties to reach a deal that works for students and parents. I am pleased the parties are working with a mediator, and I understand that the mediator has requested a media blackout so that they can focus on the process and on getting a deal. We want to respect the mediator’s request. I’m optimistic that the parties will find solutions and reach a deal that works for students, teachers, and everyone in the school system.”

In Progress:

Tracy Sherlock - Vancouver Observer
Issue: Coroner's report

Andrew MacLeod - The Tyee
Issue: BCTESG

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Cc: [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#); [Sorochan, Craig GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: FW: FYI - BREAKING: Investigators on scene at Ruth King Elementary School in Langford - Doesn't look like any students involved, something that happened overnight there
Date: July 2, 2019 9:26:41 AM

FYI on the below.

Sean

From: Beddall, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 9:16 AM
To: Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX <Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>; McCrea, Jennifer EDUC:EX <Jennifer.McCrea@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FYI - BREAKING: Investigators on scene at Ruth King Elementary School in Langford - Doesn't look like any students involved, something that happened overnight there

Hi Kerri, Sean and Jenn,

Some additional information from Sooke SD on this one.^{s.22}

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They don't have information on the identity of the person who committed the assault, but sounds like he may no longer be in the K-12 system. SD is working with police to support the ongoing investigation, and support some of their students of concern over the summer. I have offered our assistance, and they will keep us posted if they need any help or receive further updates.

Cheers,

Scott

P.S. I have passed this info along to SST too

From: Beddall, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: June 27, 2019 12:27 PM
To: Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX <Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>; McCrea, Jennifer EDUC:EX <Jennifer.McCrea@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FYI - BREAKING: Investigators on scene at Ruth King Elementary School in Langford - Doesn't look like any students involved, something that happened overnight there

Thanks Kerri. I'm checking in with the SSC to confirm that no students were involved. Will let you know if I hear otherwise.

Cheers,

Scott

From: Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX

Sent: June 27, 2019 10:04 AM

To: McCrea, Jennifer EDUC:EX <Jennifer.McCrea@gov.bc.ca>; Beddall, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Beddall@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FYI - BREAKING: Investigators on scene at Ruth King Elementary School in Langford - Doesn't look like any students involved, something that happened overnight there

<https://www.sookenewsmirror.com/news/breaking-investigators-on-scene-at-ruth-king-elementary-school-in-langford/?fbclid=IwAR1qrvtSzcWIs-0J3cwwmqBzH6K7vCobCvtVgnJdTngyUAFNoq39djVwhps>

From: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Olsen, Darcy LASS:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Messaging request -s.22 - Request to contact Sheila
Date: July 4, 2019 9:45:12 AM

Hi Darcy,

The information below may be helpful in replying to your constituent's concerns.

- Independent schools are regulated by the *Independent School Act*, which enables independent schools to define the community they serve, and to develop enrolment policies in alignment with their particular school identity. The *Independent School Act* also enables independent schools to offer educational programs from a diverse range of perspectives.
- The *Human Rights Code* provides an exemption from the Code's requirement not to discriminate in specific circumstances to faith-based not-for-profit schools.
- Both the Supreme Court of Canada and the BC Human Rights Tribunal have upheld the applicability of section 41 of the *Human Rights Code* to permit actions taken by religious organizations such as faith-based schools to promote their religious beliefs.
- BC independent schools are regularly evaluated through an inspection cycle to ensure that they are meeting the requirements of their classification.
- No independent schools may offer a program that would, in theory or practice, promote or foster doctrines of:
 - racial or ethnic superiority or persecution,
 - religious intolerance or persecution,
 - social change through violent action, or
 - sedition.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Best regards,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Fleming
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From: Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 9:29 AM
To: Olsen, Darcy LASS:EX
Cc: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX ; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Subject: RE: Messaging request -s.22 - Request to contact Sheila

Morning Darcy,

Just wanted pass on that I will be CC'ing MA's Scott Andrews and Melissa Farrance.

One of them will get back to you.

Thank you,

Nicole Hansen

Administrative Assistant
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Minister of Education
Legislative Assembly of British Columbia
P: 250-356-8247 | E: Nicole.E.Hansen@gov.bc.ca

From: Olsen, Darcy <Darcy.Olsen@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: July 2, 2019 9:13 AM

To: Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX <Nicole.E.Hansen@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Messaging request ^{s.22} Request to contact Sheila

Hi Nicole,

Sheila has asked for me to get some messaging before I set up a meeting. Below are the points he will be talking to, and further down is his original email. Thank you for any help you can provide.

Sincerely,

Darcy Olsen | Constituency Assistant | Sheila Malcolmson, MLA Nanaimo | She/Her

401-495 Dunsmuir Street, Nanaimo

Tel: (236)-362-0012

Fax: (250)-714-0859

Email: darcy.olsen@leg.bc.ca

Website: bcndpcaucus.ca/mla/sheila-malcolmson

The purpose of my request to contact Mrs. Malcolmson is to address the following issues:

- 1. Publicly funded private businesses are discriminating against the sexual preferences and religions of tax-paying citizens seeking employment.*
- 2. There is evidence for deeply routed institutional biases in these schools and a social and historical precedent that it is likely not limited to discrimination of only sexual, and religious preference.*
- 3. Private citizens are asked, formally and informally as well as prior and post hiring, to such questions as, "Who do you live with? Where do you live? Are you sexually active? Are you pregnant? Are you gay?" (CBC 2019).*
- 4. The methodologies used by these organizations to collect information about these preferences on potential employees is not done in an objective or non-discriminatory fashion. In the case of my partner the principle of the school informed her he was informed of us, "living together out of marriage" by "someone who knows her."*
- 5. It is very likely that current employees of these schools are unable to exercise the freedoms provided to them by the Canadian Charter of Human Rights and Freedoms without fearing loss of gainful income, as well as loss of personal and professional reputation. This is a direct threat to the mental and physical well-being of Canadian citizens by discrimination.*
- 6. There is a strong case that the public (~69%) is directly opposed to the use of provincial subsidies for faith-based private schools (The Tyee 2019).*

From: ^{s.22}

Sent: Thursday, June 27, 2019 6:02 PM

To: Olsen, Darcy <Darcy.Olsen@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Follow up email ^{s.22} - Request to contact Sheila

Hey Darcy,

Thanks for taking my call today.

As requested I have detailed my request to speak with Sheila re: an issue about the private funding of faith-based institutions in BC.

Issue:

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Legal and Moral Grounds for the issue:

I understand that it is the current legal right for a religious school to discriminate against those who

do not share in strict adherence to their dogma.

However, it seemingly violates Article 15 of the Canadian Charter of Human Rights and Freedoms which states:

Equality before and under law and equal protection and benefit of law

• **15.** (1) Every individual is equal before and under the law and has the right to the equal protection and equal benefit of the law without discrimination and, in particular, without discrimination based on race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, sex, age or mental or physical disability.

Implications within our province, and society:

This issue is not isolated to this community, but to the province, and country as a whole.

Below are two articles detailing discrimination against individuals based on sexual preference:

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/former-surrey-christian-school-teacher-urges-province-to-quash-discriminatory-contracts-at-religious-schools-1.5048824>

<https://arpacanada.ca/news/2017/09/19/sex-parents-christian-schools-ontario-human-rights-tribunal/>

Use of hundreds of millions of dollars in public funds to subsidize private schools in BC:

In 2018 BC's private religious schools received the majority of \$426 million dollars in **PUBLIC FUNDS** to subsidize their educational programs. (Vancouver Sun 2018)

Not only this, but private schools receive exemptions from property tax benefits at the expense of public funds. (Vancouver Sun 2018)

This subsidization of elite private schools, with discriminatory practices based on religion and sex comes at the expense of an **already arguably underfunded public school system**.

Polling as reported by the Vancouver Sun (2018) states that, "public funding for private schools is very unpopular. Polling shows that **63 per cent of British Columbians oppose funding secular private schools** (and even more oppose funding religious private schools). Opposition to funding elite private schools in particular would likely be higher still."

Purpose and Intent of the Request to Contact MLA:

The purpose of my request to contact Mrs. Malcolmson is to address the following issues:

1. Publicly funded private businesses are discriminating against the sexual preferences and religions of tax-paying citizens seeking employment.
2. There is evidence for deeply routed institutional biases in these schools and a social and historical precedent that it is likely not limited to discrimination of only sexual, and religious preference.
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5. It is very likely that current employees of these schools are unable to exercise the freedoms provided to them by the Canadian Charter of Human Rights and Freedoms without fearing loss of gainful income, as well as loss of personal and professional reputation. This is a direct threat to the mental and physical well-being of Canadian citizens by discrimination.
6. There is a strong case that the public (~69%) is directly opposed to the use of provincial subsidies for faith-based private schools (The Tyee 2019).

I believe the current legal ability for religious private schools to receive public funds and discriminate against citizens is morally, and legally reprehensible. As such, I formally request that Mrs. Malcolmson pursue the issue with her caucus, as well as with the newly re-established BC Human Rights Commission.

Please find the references cited in-text below.

Thank you in advance for your time.

Regards,

s.22

References:

(Vancouver Sun 2018) <https://vancouversun.com/opinion/op-ed/alex-hemingway-private-schools-receive-public-funds-while-special-needs-students-go-without>

(CBC 2019) <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/christian-school-forces-resignation-over-community-standards-policy-1.5035804>

(The Tyee 2019) <https://thetyee.ca/News/2019/06/03/British-Columbians-Want-End-To-Private-School-Subsidies/>

From: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX](#)
Cc: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX](#); [Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) Consultations with PS Kahlon
Date: July 4, 2019 4:34:36 PM
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Hi team,

I thought that maybe Minister Fleming could attend the Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) on July 16th after the VSB roundtable in the morning. The OARH event starts at 1pm, so I think it could work with the schedule.

Cheers,

Scott

From: Ranjan, Ramesh TAC:EX
Sent: June 28, 2019 2:49 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX <Nimmi.Takkar@gov.bc.ca>; Sam, Anne-Marie IRR:EX <AnneMarie.Sam@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Liu, Ange FIN:EX <Ange.Liu@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX <Kelly.Newhook@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) Consultations with PS Kahlon

Hi all,

The Province's Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) program is undergoing a revamp, given the rise in hate crimes in BC and the need for a more coordinated approach to responding to said crimes.

Parliamentary Secretary Ravi Kahlon will be going around the province to have conversations with OARH communities. The purpose of these conversations is to discuss local, emerging issues on racist and hate incidences, how they are being addressed, what is working, and what more could be done.

For quick background on the program, go here:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/multiculturalism-anti-racism/anti-racism/oarh>

PS Kahlon would like to invite your respective Ministers and PS Dean to attend a consultation meeting that works for their respective schedules. Attached is a nearly-confirmed itinerary. Exact locations within each community are still being determined. Please get back to me soon if your Minister/PS is able and willing to attend one of these!

Ramesh

Ramesh Ranjan, Ministerial Assistant

Hon. Minister Lisa Beare's Office
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for Sport
and Multiculturalism
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From: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Routley,MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Question
Date: July 8, 2019 8:59:38 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Sarah,

Further information on Extension Elementary is below.

- Extension Elementary School is located at 2120 Ryder Street, in the Nanaimo-Ladysmith School District (the District).
- The building became unoccupied in 2001 and is on a Crown Land Grant site.

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If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out.

Best regards,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Fleming
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From: Routley.MLA, Douglas <Douglas.Routley.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: June 26, 2019 1:12 PM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Question

Hi Melissa,

I just had a constituent in my office who wanted to talk about Extension school here in Nanaimo. The school was closed many years ago, and the building itself is over 100 years old. The school is placed in a small community (unofficially called Extension) on the outskirts of Nanaimo. Years ago there was a deal in the works to give the school to the community who has plans of restoring it as a heritage building to be used for community purposes (events/emergency shelter/gatherings) but (from what I have heard) the Regional District got involved and the plan between the district and the community fell through. The district is now awaiting or applying for funding to tear the school down and we have heard from a few in the community who would still like to see it restored given the age and history of the building. The constituent stated that the money for demolition should just be given to the community to restore- and I explained why that was not possible as the funding comes from a certain revenue stream. However I wanted to see if you have ever run into any similar situations, with older schools in districts being restored with other possible revenue streams or if the Ministry's position is only look at tear downs?

The school itself is very small but in pretty rough shape (here are some pictures I found on Flickr <https://www.flickr.com/photos/gabriolaisland/albums/72157626158658815/>)

Any insight you can provide would be much appreciated!

Sarah M Miller | Constituency Assistant | **Doug Routley**, MLA Nanaimo-North Cowichan
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From: [BC News On Demand GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: MEDIA ADVISORY – Ministry of Mental Health and Addictions – Maple Ridge; teleconference
Date: July 5, 2019 10:10:57 AM

For Immediate Release

July 5, 2019

Ministry of Mental Health and Addictions

MEDIA ADVISORY

MAPLE RIDGE - Media are invited to join Judy Darcy, Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, Lisa Beare, MLA for Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows, Bob D'Eith, MLA for Maple Ridge-Mission, and students for an announcement about a new initiative to improve access to child and youth wellness supports in schools.

Event date: Monday, July 8, 2019

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location:

Kanaka Creek Elementary school
Library
11120 234a St.
Maple Ridge

Media unable to attend in person are invited to dial in to listen to the event via teleconference, followed by a question-and-answer session.

Dial-in instructions:

From Greater Vancouver: 604 681-0260

From elsewhere in the Canada and the U.S., toll-free: 1 877-353-9184

Participant pass code: 31341

To avoid delays, media are asked to begin dialing in at 9:20 a.m.

Contact:

Preet Grewal
Ministry of Mental Health and Addictions
778 698-825

From: [BC News On Demand GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: MEDIA ADVISORY – Office of the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, Ministry of Education – Victoria
Date: July 8, 2019 7:40:55 AM

For Immediate Release

July 8, 2019

Office of the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia
Ministry of Education

MEDIA ADVISORY

VICTORIA - Approximately 200 students, teachers and parents from around the world will gather in Vancouver and Victoria for the ninth-annual Trust for Sustainable Living International Schools Essay Competition and Debates, July 8-12, 2019.

Students aged seven to 17 will share their perspectives on the role youth can play in protecting and restoring life on land for the benefit of future generations and engage in a forum on United Nations Sustainable Development Goal No. 15: Life on Land.

The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, will serve as chair of the Debates Host Committee 2019. Other host committee members include representatives of the Trust for Sustainable Living, Government House, the Ministry of Education, Victoria Foundation, Vancouver Foundation, VanDusen Botanical Garden and Coastal First Nations.

This is the first time the event is being hosted in the Americas.

Event date: Monday, July 8, 2019

Time: 2 p.m.

Location:
Government House
1401 Rockland Ave.
Victoria

There will be an opening ceremony that is open to the media. Remarks will be made by Austin; Judith Guichon, former lieutenant governor; Karl Hansen, executive director, Trust for Sustainable Living; Elizabeth May, MP for Saanich-Gulf Islands; and Rob Fleming, Minister of Education. There will be a performance by the Le-La-La Dancers.

Event date: Thursday, July 11, 2019

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location:
Government House
1401 Rockland Ave.
Victoria

A welcome from the Songhees First Nation and keynote address by David Suzuki is open to media.

Event date: Thursday, July 11, 2019

Time: 1:25 p.m.

Location:
Government House
1401 Rockland Ave.
Victoria

The closing ceremony will include an announcement by Carey Newman, a First Nations artist and Master Carver, of the winner of the Voices of Future Generations children's book series, and an announcement of the winner of the Royal Academy of Engineering Prize by Meredith Ettridge, head of sustainable development, Royal Academy of Engineering (UK). This event is open to media.

Contacts:

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Office of the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia
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Ministry of Education
Government Communications and Public Engagement
250 356-5963

From: [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: s.22
Date: July 3, 2019 2:53:18 PM
Attachments: 212805 MLA Harry Baines bullets.docx

Hi Scott,

Here are the bullets for MLA Baines. The attached material has been approved by ADM Bawa.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Zita

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 10:24 AM
To: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX <Zita.Teng@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: s.22

Hi Zita,

I hope you had a great long weekend.

Minister Bains' CA has followed up on this case, so I was wondering if we can expect some further details soon?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX
Sent: June 26, 2019 10:58 AM
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE:s.22

Yes – program area is on it.

Thanks!

Julie

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: June 26, 2019 9:12 AM
To: Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX <Julie.Charlton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW:s.22

Hi Julie,

Are we able to get more information on this case?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX
Sent: June 25, 2019 12:58 PM
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd^{s.22}

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bains.MLA, Harry LASS:EX" <Harry.Bains.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Date: June 25, 2019 at 12:38:28 PM PDT
To: "Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX" <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW:^{s.22}

Hello Veronica,

I hope this finds you well!

Please see below email/attachments. I had initially sent this email to William and I am now forwarding it to you.

I hope you will be able to help,^{s.22}

Warmly,

Jasmeet Sangha

| Constituency Assistant for Hon. Harry Bains, MLA for Surrey-Newton |
| #105 – 7327 137 Street, Surrey BC, V3W 1A4 |
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From: [Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Casework:s.22
Date: July 8, 2019 5:10:14 PM
Attachments: 212658_MLA Rob Fleming Victoria-Swan Lakedocx.pdf

Hi Scott – here's the update (although rather brief) but looks like it's gotten resolved.

Thanks!
Julie

From: Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX
Sent: July 8, 2019 9:17 AM
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX <Zita.Teng@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Casework:s.22

Hi Scott – yes,^{s.22} This is overdue, you're right. Have asked program area for status.

Apologies for delay.
Best,
Julie

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: July 8, 2019 8:45 AM
To: Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX <Julie.Charlton@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX <Zita.Teng@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Casework:s.22

Hi Julie,

I am not sure if^{s.22} so I cc'ed Zita just in case.

I may have missed this one, but I believe it's still pending. An update and/or bullets would be fantastic.

Thanks!

Scott

From: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX
Sent: July 5, 2019 7:58 AM
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Casework: ^{s.22}

Bullets still on there way! was expecting yesterday but should received today.
Zita

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 11:00 AM
To: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX <Zita.Teng@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Casework: ^{s.22}

Hi Zita,

Do we have an update on this request from MLA Fleming's constituent?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX
Sent: June 24, 2019 11:16 AM
To: Charlton, Julie EDUC:EX <Julie.Charlton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Casework: ^{s.22}

Hi Julie,

I hope you had a good weekend.

Are you able to check to see if there is anything that can be done for Minister Fleming's constituent?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: June 24, 2019 11:14 AM
To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Casework: ^{s.22}

From: Fleming.MLA, Rob <Rob.Fleming.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: June 24, 2019 11:06 AM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Casework:s.22

Hi Melissa,

I hope this email finds you well.^{s.22}
s.22

Let me know if you have any further questions.

Thanks,

Christine Rousseau | Constituency Assistant | The Hon. Rob Fleming | MLA for Victoria-Swan Lake |
250-356-5022 | Christine.rousseau@leg.bc.ca

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From: [Fleming.MLA, Rob LASS:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Casework: s.22
Date: July 4, 2019 10:50:04 AM

Hey Scott,

Any update on this?

Thanks! 😊

Christine Rousseau | Constituency Assistant | The Hon. Rob Fleming | MLA for Victoria-Swan Lake |
250-356-5022 | Christine.rousseau@leg.bc.ca

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From: Fleming.MLA, Rob
Sent: Monday, June 24, 2019 11:18 AM
To: 'Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX' <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Casework: s.22

Thanks Scott!

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX [<mailto:Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Monday, June 24, 2019 11:17 AM
To: Fleming.MLA, Rob <Rob.Fleming.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Casework: s.22

Hi Christine,

Happy Monday – I have forwarded this on to the Ministry and they should get back to us by early next week.

Cheers,

Scott

From: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX
Sent: June 24, 2019 11:14 AM

To: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Casework:s.22

From: Fleming.MLA, Rob <Rob.Fleming.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: June 24, 2019 11:06 AM
To: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Casework:s.22

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Thanks,

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Cc: [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#); [Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: MA-TSL 2019(V3)
Date: July 4, 2019 9:54:02 AM

Hi Kerri,

No concerns from our side.

Thank you,

Scott

From: Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:50 AM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Filion@gov.bc.ca>; Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: MA-TSL 2019(V3)

Good morning,

We have updated the media advisory to reflect that the Lieutenant Governor is no longer able to attend the closing ceremonies of this event.

Please see revised version attached.

Let me know if you have any concerns, thanks.

Kerri

From: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 4:06 PM
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Cc: [Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: MA-TSL 2019(V3)
Date: July 4, 2019 9:49:38 AM

Hi Sean,

This looks good.

Thanks!

Scott

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Sent: July 2, 2019 4:06 PM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>
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From: [Hold - 191202 - Teng, Zita EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Messaging request -s.22 - Request to contact Sheila
Date: July 4, 2019 6:38:51 AM

Hi,

Yes, a few months back. In short:

- The *Human Rights Code* provides an exemption from the Code's requirement not to discriminate in specific circumstances to faith-based not-for-profit schools.
- Both the Supreme Court of Canada and the BC Human Rights Tribunal have upheld the applicability of section 41 of the *Human Rights Code* to permit actions taken by religious organizations such as faith-based schools to promote their religious beliefs.

More info if you would like:

- Independent schools in BC provide families with choice with respect to educational programs offered from a faith, pedagogical or philosophical perspective.
- Independent schools are regulated by the *Independent School Act*, which enables independent schools to define the community they serve, and to develop enrolment policies in alignment with their particular school identity. The *Independent School Act* also enables independent schools to offer educational programs from a diverse range of perspectives.
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- BC independent schools are regularly evaluated through an inspection cycle to ensure that they are meeting the requirements of their classification.
- No independent schools may offer a program that would, in theory or practice, promote or foster doctrines of:
 - racial or ethnic superiority or persecution,
 - religious intolerance or persecution,
 - social change through violent action, or
 - sedition.

INFORMATION:

For the 2018/19 school year, there are a total of 321 funded independent schools in BC:

- 228 Brick and Mortar Group 1 Schools
- 77 Brick and Mortar Group 2 Schools
- 16 Distributed Learning Group 1 Schools

Funding to independent schools:

- Group 1 schools are funded at 50% of the local district amount, are not -for-profit, provide BC Curriculum, employ BC Certified Teachers, students earn Dogwood and the Per student operating costs are equal to or less than the local school district amount.
*Note: Distributed Learning (DL) Schools receive 63% of the provincial public school DL rate (currently at \$6,100)
- Group 2 schools are funded at 35% of the local district amount, are not-for-profit, provide BC Curriculum, employ BC Certified Teachers, students earn Dogwood and the Per student operating costs are greater than the local school district amount

**Note: First Nation school students that are not funded federally (status, off reserve), are funded at 100% of the First Nation billing rate*

- Group 1 and Group 2 schools with eligible students, would receive special education grant funding at the same supplemental rates as public school students.

From: Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX

Sent: July 3, 2019 5:09 PM

To: Teng, Zita EDUC:EX

Subject: FW: Messaging request - s.22 Request to contact Sheila

Hi Zita,

I recall that we dealt with a similar issue in Surrey in recent months. Do you have some messaging we can share with MLA Malcolmson's office?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Hansen, Nicole E EDUC:EX

Sent: July 2, 2019 9:29 AM

To: Olsen, Darcy LASS:EX <Darcy.Olsen@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Messaging request -s.22 Request to contact Sheila

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Sent: July 2, 2019 9:13 AM

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Cc: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#); [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
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Cc: [Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX](#); [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: MRF quote for approval - MMHA NR - B.C.'s first integrated child and youth team
Date: July 4, 2019 2:09:04 PM

Hi Emily,

This quote is approved. Thanks!

From: Tackaberry, Emily GCPE:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 10:51 AM
To: Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX <Veronica.Harrison@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX <Melissa.Farrance@gov.bc.ca>; Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX <Lisa.Grant@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: MRF quote for approval - MMHA NR - B.C.'s first integrated child and youth team

Hi there –

Please see below a draft MRF quote for approval, for the attached MMHA NR re: B.C.'s first child and youth care team being launched in the Maple Ridge – Pitt Meadows school district.

This NR is going out on Monday. We would like to have a quote back to MMHA by end of day today if possible.

Rob Fleming, Minister of Education: - NOT APPROVED

“Mental health and substance use issues can prevent students from having their best possible chance to succeed in school, and it’s our job to support wellness and mental health so students can focus on reaching their full potential. The first integrated child and youth care team in B.C. will help students and their families in the Maple Ridge – Pitt Meadows school district by providing ongoing wraparound services for those who need it. As teams are put in place in more school districts throughout B.C., students and families will see the results of having accessible, integrated mental health support in their schools and communities.

Happy to make any changes you’d like,

Emily

Emily Tackaberry
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Public Affairs Officer - Ministry of Education
Government Communications and Public Engagement

From: [Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX](#)
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Subject: Re: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM
Date: July 4, 2019 6:24:39 PM

I like the new version. I'll run it by MRF in the morning, but I don't foresee an issue.
Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 4, 2019, at 5:40 PM, Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello, Marg is back with a suggested edit to MRF's quote. I agree with her but your call – and we will make the edit to “essential” for “key” either way.
Lots of time on this – rest of the NR is fine so if you're good with it, we'll just make the final change to MRF's quote as you see fit, and add in the Elizabeth May quote when it comes.
Thanks!
Sean

From: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 4:43 PM
To: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX <Sean.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Filion@gov.bc.ca>; Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX <Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM

Hi Sean.

Thx for this.

Just one comment/request pls – the quote should not be “about us” i.e. gov't/the minister being proud. It s/b about values, which the rest of the quote does capture. Suggest and request change pls to:

“The achievements and involvement of B.C. students in this prestigious competition and conference will inspire children around the world to become champions of sustainability,” said Rob Fleming, Minister of Education. “Ensuring students are educated about ecology, sustainability and stewardship is key to ensuring our environment will be protected for generations to come.” **PENDING**

Thx Sean.

Marg LeGuilloux

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From: Leslie, Sean GCPE:EX
Sent: July 2, 2019 3:23 PM
To: LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX <Marg.LeGuilloux@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Fillion, Corinna GCPE:EX <Corinna.Fillion@gov.bc.ca>; Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX <Kerri.Ralph@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: NR-TSL 2019(V2) FOR REVIEW DUE JULY 4TH AM

Hello Marg, welcome back!

Attached for your review is our draft NR for [EDUC-92717](#), due for release Monday July 8th at 2:45pm.

Please note we have been working with the fine folks at Government House on this one per protocol and just got it back today with their edits. Also waiting on one more quote (from MP May).

Please let us know if you'd like any changes – thanks!

Sean Leslie

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Cc: [Filion, Corinna GCPE:EX](#); [Ralph, Kerri GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: NR-TSL 2019(V2)
Date: July 4, 2019 3:55:34 PM

Hi Sean,

The quote with a minor edit is approved:

"I am extremely proud of the achievements and involvement of B.C. students in this prestigious competition and conference that inspires children around the world to become champions of sustainability," said Rob Fleming, Minister of Education. "Ensuring students are educated about key concepts like ecology, sustainability and stewardship is ~~key~~ essential to ensuring our environment will be protected for generations to come."

Cheers,

Scott

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Subject: NR-TSL 2019(V2)

Hello, please find attached our draft NR for the TSL debates, set for release on Monday at 3pm. MRF's SN's will be sent separately.

Please note this is still with GCPE HQ for review – has been for several days now, have prompted them to get back to us with any edits. But given we need to get this to the editors by 3pm tomorrow, sending up now – maybe can get MRF quote approval in the meantime?

Thanks.

Sean

From: [Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX](#)
To: [Ranjan, Ramesh TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) Consultations with PS Kahlon
Date: July 8, 2019 11:34:28 AM
Attachments: image002.png

Hi Ramesh,

Is it possible for Minister Fleming to attend the consultation next Tuesday afternoon in Vancouver?

Thanks!

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Fleming
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From: Ranjan, Ramesh TAC:EX
Sent: June 28, 2019 2:49 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX <Nimmi.Takkar@gov.bc.ca>; Sam, Anne-Marie IRR:EX <AnneMarie.Sam@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Liu, Ange FIN:EX <Ange.Liu@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX <Kelly.Newhook@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) Consultations with PS Kahlon

Hi all,

The Province's Organizing Against Racism and Hate (OARH) program is undergoing a revamp, given the rise in hate crimes in BC and the need for a more coordinated approach to responding to said crimes.

Parliamentary Secretary Ravi Kahlon will be going around the province to have conversations with OARH communities. The purpose of these conversations is to discuss local, emerging issues on racist and hate incidences, how they are being addressed, what is working, and what more could be done.


For quick background on the program, go here:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/multiculturalism-anti-racism/anti-racism/oarh>

PS Kahlon would like to invite your respective Ministers and PS Dean to attend a consultation meeting that works for their respective schedules. Attached is a nearly-confirmed itinerary. Exact locations within each community are still being determined. Please get back to me soon if your Minister/PS is able and willing to attend one of these!

Ramesh

Ramesh Ranjan, Ministerial Assistant
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Cc: [Throness,MLA, Laurie LASS:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Stop arms on school buses
Date: July 3, 2019 12:02:00 PM
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Hi Coletta,

You may have received some information from the Ministry of Transportation, nonetheless the information below may be helpful for your constituent:

- Transport Canada is responsible for establishing the Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards which include safety requirements for school buses through the Canadian Standards Association standard D250-16.
- D250-16, article 6.30 specifically addresses the requirements for school bus stop arms by stating: One stop arm equipped with at least two red lamps on each side of the stop signal arm shall be installed as far forward as practical. For buses over 9.15 m (30 ft) in length, a stop arm at the rear of the bus may also be installed. All stop signal arm assemblies shall meet the technical requirements of Section 131 of the MVSR and operate in accordance with Clause 6.19.2.5.
- In British Columbia, when ordering larger Type C and Type D buses we specify two stop arms; one at the front of the bus and one at the rear of the bus.
- Smaller Type A buses and 36 passenger Type C buses only have one stop arm located at the front of the bus.
- The enclosed video clearly shows the front stop arm with lights activated when the bus stops and prior to the student exiting the bus. The oncoming car passes the bus approximately 6 seconds after the activation of the stop arm.
- Provinces and territories enforce safety on Canada's roads and highways and set the rules of the road. They are also responsible for licensing of school bus drivers, policies for safe operation of school buses and for the maintenance of school buses.
- There are some after-market companies offering long "gate/arm" systems that can extend across the path of the oncoming roadway when the lighted stop arm is activated. These long "gate/arm" systems have not been approved by Transport Canada or by D250-16, as it contravenes article 11.12(1a) of the Motor Vehicle Act Regulation; which states: the part of the roadway unoccupied by and to the left of the bus is at least 3 m wide and is clear and unobstructed for the full length of the bus.

Best regards,

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Good morning Coletta,

Thanks for reaching out. I have forwarded this on to our Ministry staff and should have more information by early next week.

Best regards,

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Good morning Scott,

I am a new Constituency Assistant for MLA Laurie Throness. I am not certain who this concern should be addressed to and hope that you might direct me to the appropriate office.

MLA Throness has asked that I make an enquiry to the Ministry of Education on the use of stop arms on school buses. The attached video is from one of this office's constituents and highlights an ongoing issue in Chilliwack on a main road only 200 meters from Rosedale Traditional Community School. Laurie would like to know if there are any pilot programs for stop arms and if this concern would require a regulatory change or a legislative change.

Thank you for your assistance.

Regards,

Coletta



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