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Subject: FW: NEWS RELEASE: Ill-conceived provincial school tax will punish tenants and rental apartment owners alike

Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 3:05:36 PM

Hi David,

Flagging this issue for you

David Goodman has not read the budget bill, is upset at our tax change re: rentals. Purpose built rentals were carved out of the new tax rate.

From: Rob MacKay-Dunn [mailto:rmackaydunn@udi.org]

Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 3:03 PM

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Subject: FYI: FIN MEDIA REQUEST - School Tax and Rental Apartment Buildings

Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 11:49:12 AM

From Program:

Melissa, here is a plain language description

What we tax

- (a) is class 1 vacant land, unless that land is in the ALR.
- (b) residences on farm land
- (c) a property like a house, a house with a suite, a house with a laneway home, a house with a granny building, a house divided into two or three units which are not stratified
- (d) a strata unit for living in; what we would call a condo or a stratified townhouse.

from the Bill:

"dwelling property" means the following class 1 property:

- (a) land that is outside an agricultural land reserve as defined in section 1 (1) of the *Agricultural Land Commission Act* and that is determined by the assessor to have no present use;
- (b) improvements on land that is not class 1 property if the improvements are used or intended to be used as a residence;
- (c) land and improvements on the land, if
 - (i) any of the improvements are used or intended to be used as a residence for 3 or fewer families, and
 - (ii) the improvements do not consist of a strata lot;
- (d) land and improvements that consist of a strata lot that is used or intended to be used as a residence,

but does not include the following:

- (e) property referred to in paragraph (b), (c) or (d) of this definition if the property includes a living accommodation described in section 4 (a), (b), (f) or (g) [what the Act does not apply to] of the Residential Tenancy Act;
- (f) a prescribed type or class of property;
- (g) property used for a prescribed purpose;
- (h) property owned by a person in a prescribed class of persons;

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