From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Sent: March 12, 2019 11:26 AM
To: Cuddy, Andrew HLTH:EX

Cc: Thiessen-Wale, Katherine HLTH:EX; Bedford, Sue HLTH:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

**Subject:** RE: Consultation on OIC/Regulation - Assisted Living

Hello Andrew. Thanks for reaching out about this. We will ask the Green Caucus staff whether/how they'd like to be consulted on this, and will get back to you ASAP. If a consultation meeting is requested, we will schedule that via the Minister's office, per usual CASA process. If your Cabinet documents require a statement on CASA, you can simply state that Ministry of Health staff have contacted the CASA Secretariat who will schedule a consultation meeting if requested by the Green Caucus.

Thanks again Andrew. Let us know if you have any questions of us.

Regards, Donna

From: Cuddy, Andrew HLTH:EX

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 10:37 AM

To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

**Cc:** Thiessen-Wale, Katherine HLTH:EX; Bedford, Sue HLTH:EX **Subject:** Consultation on OIC/Regulation - Assisted Living

Hi Donna,

The Ministry of Health is working on a new OIC/Regulation under the *Community Care and Assisted Living Act* and seeking guidance on whether consultations with the BC Green Party caucus are required. It relates to policy initiatives listed under section 3 of the CASA: seniors and mental health and addictions.

The proposed OIC/Regulation would bring into force amendments made to the CCALA by Bill 16-2016 and enact a new Assisted Living Regulation. Assisted living residences accommodate adults who require regular support and services, but can make decisions on their own behalf necessary to live safely in a semi-independent environment and do not require the more intensive level of care offered in community care facilities. Assisted living residences are governed by the CCALA and registered by the assisted living registrar within the Ministry.

In March 2016, amendments to the CCALA were passed by the legislature to allow more flexibility and choice for residents of assisted living, while at the same time increasing regulatory oversight and health and safety protections. Currently, assisted living residences are only permitted under the CCALA to provide no more than two services, such as assistance with the activities of daily living, managing medication, therapeutic diets, behavior management, psychosocial supports, and safekeeping of money and personal property. As a result, seniors that require more than two services are unable to reside in assisted living, although in some cases the individuals are able to continue to live independently and safely there. Bill 16-2016 would remove this restriction, but the amendments have not been brought into force.

The proposed OIC/Regulation would also enact a new, comprehensive Assisted Living Regulation to protect the health and safety of vulnerable persons in assisted living and establish the minimum requirements that all operators, public and private, must meet. The current Assisted Living Regulation primarily deals with the registration process and annual

fees. The new regulation would establish three classes of assisted living – (1) Seniors and Persons with Disability, (2) Mental Health, and (3) Supportive Recovery – and include requirements related to registration, fees, employee hiring, resident admissions, personal service plans, health and safety standards, housing, hospitality services, assisted living services, and emergency preparedness. These regulatory requirements were largely modelled off, and will replace, the Ministry's existing standards and policies for assisted living.

In terms of timing, we are currently aiming to bring the package to Cabinet in May.

Please let me know if you require more info. Thank you for your assistance,

### **Andrew**

## Andrew Cuddy

Senior Legislative Analyst Legislation, Intergovernmental Relations & Knowledge Management Branch Ministry of Health

From: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Sent: March 14, 2019 10:21 AM

To: Munroe, Ryan FLNR:EX

Cc: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: FLNR Forest Act Legislation briefing

Thanks so much Ryan – here's a suggestion for your consideration:

"FLNR staff have contacted the CASA Secretariat, who advise that consultation with the Green Caucus will be required. The CASA Secretariat will work with the Minister's Office to schedule appropriate consultations prior to introduction of the Bill."

Hope this is helpful!

Best,

Caitlin Copage
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From: Munroe, Ryan FLNR:EX

Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2019 10:01 AM

**To:** Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX **Cc:** Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: FLNR Forest Act Legislation briefing

Thanks Caitlin. And yes, I'd be happy for some language to use in the CASA consultation section for our LRC briefing materials. This is what I had intended to write in our draft:

CASA has been contacted and is working with the Premier's Office to ensure that consultations with the Green Caucus are conducted appropriately.

From: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2019 9:58 AM

To: Munroe, Ryan FLNR:EX
Cc: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: FLNR Forest Act Legislation briefing

Hi Ryan,

Just to close the loop on this for now, we've connected with your MO and the PO on timing and we will work through your MO to schedule a briefing in early April in advance of introduction of this bill.

We're also happy to help if you could use any support with respect to drafting CASA consultation language for materials going forward to Cabinet, if needed at this stage.

Thank you again for connecting with us on this – very much appreciated.

Best,

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From: Munroe, Ryan FLNR:EX

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 12, 2019 2:23 PM

**To:** Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Subject: FLNR Forest Act Legislation briefing

Hi Caitlin,

The Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development is amending the *Forest Act* to reassert management control in the forest sector and address the significant concentration of milling and forest tenure holdings. Currently, major players control the market and limit the ability to smaller operators to participate in the forest sector. Changes will improve government's ability to exert more control in transfers of Crown resources and fibre markets from changes in corporate control by:

- requiring the approval of disposition of forest agreements,
- establishing the authority to refuse the approval of a disposition for reasons of public interest or market concentration; and
- provide new a notice requirement and new tools to address public interest or market concentration where there is a change of corporate control

The legislation is scheduled to be reviewed at the March 26 Legislative Review Committee and the legislation would be introduced in early April. The legislation is accompanied by a regulation change to the Transfer Regulation, scheduled just in advance of the introduction of the legislation.

Apologies for the short notice, but these amendments have moved quickly at the request of the Premier's Office. The RFL was approved March 4.

Please note, these changes are controversial and <u>highly confidential</u> given the impacts to industry. Advance knowledge would likely result in significant industry and market steps to avoid the impacts of the legislation undermining its intent. As a result, there has been <u>no consultation</u> on the proposed amendments with stakeholders, industry or First Nations, although the latter are expected to be supportive. Nonetheless, we are contacting you to determine the best approach to inform the Green Caucus of these changes, keeping in mind these concerns.

If you require any additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you

#### Ryan Munroe

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From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 26, 2019 5:43 PM

**To:** Thiessen-Wale, Katherine HLTH:EX

Cc: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Wingrove, Scott HLTH:EX

Subject: RE: Consultation on OIC/Regulation - Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admission) Act

Hello Katherine. Regarding the notes below – we have raised this with Green Caucus staff. The Green Caucus is not requesting consultation at this stage but will likely request a briefing at a later date. Per usual CASA process, we will work with your Minister's office to schedule that briefing with the Green Caucus.

If your Cabinet documents require a statement on CASA, you can simply state that Ministry of Health staff have contacted the CASA Secretariat who will work with the Minister's office to schedule a meeting with Green Caucus at a later date.

Please let us know if you have any questions or would like to discuss.

Thanks Katherine,

Donna

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**From:** Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX **Sent:** Friday, March 15, 2019 5:31 PM **To:** Thiessen-Wale, Katherine HLTH:EX

Cc: Wingrove, Scott HLTH:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: Consultation on OIC/Regulation - Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admission) Act

Hello Katherine. Thank you for reaching out about this. I am also out of the office next week. I've cc'd my colleague Caitlin Copage who can raise this with the Green Caucus staff next week to determine whether a consultation meeting is required.

Let's plan to connect early in the week of March 25.

Thanks again for your email.

Regards, -Donna

**From:** Thiessen-Wale, Katherine HLTH:EX **Sent:** Friday, March 15, 2019 4:11 PM **To:** Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Cc: Wingrove, Scott HLTH:EX

Subject: Consultation on OIC/Regulation - Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admission) Act

Good afternoon,

The Ministry of Health is working on an Order in Council package to bring into force Part 3 of the *Health Care (Consent)* and Care Facility (Admission) Act, and seeks guidance on whether consultations with the BC Green Party caucus are required. Broadly speaking, the initiative relates to Seniors, listed under section 3 of the CASA.

There are a few parts to the initiative. First, the OIC will bring into force some sections of the *Health Statutes Amendment Act, 2007* (Bill 26-2007) to add Part 3 to the *Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admission) Act* (*HCCCFAA*), introducing a consent scheme for admission to care facilities in British Columbia. This will fulfil a commitment made by the Minister of Health to the Ombudsperson in February 2017 to establish requirements for operators to seek consent or substitute consent for admission to, or continued residence in, a care facility. The *HCCCFAA* was originally enacted in 1993, but Part 3 has never been brought into force, leaving a gap in the regulation of admissions of persons who are incapable of providing consent, upon their admission to care facilities. The original legislation was the product of considerable stakeholder consultation relating to broader initiatives around adult guardianship, and Part 3 was re-enacted in 2007, but has remained unproclaimed.

### Part 3 – to be entitled "Admission to a Care Facility" – will:

- establish processes to be followed on the admission of adults to care facilities, to ensure that an adult
  consents to his or her admission, or substitute consent is obtained from an authorized individual where an
  adult is assessed as not capable to give consent;
- establish the means for appointing a substitute decision-maker when a person has been assessed by a
  medical practitioner or prescribed health care provider as being incapable of consenting to admission to, or
  continued residence in, a care facility;
- o address the determination of incapability;
- o outline the rights and duties of persons authorized to give substitute consent;
- o outline processes to be followed on emergency admissions; and
- o provide direction on the use of restraints.

Amendments are also made to some definitions and regulation making powers under the Act.

Consequential amendments are also made to the *Community Care and Assisted Living Act (CCALA)* and *Representation Agreement Act;* and certain provisions of the *Supplements Repeal Act* are brought into force and repealed in order to achieve the coming into force of Part 3.

Secondly, amendments to the Health Care Consent Regulation under the *HCCCFAA* will add Part 5, entitled "Care Facilities", to:

- o provide further direction on when and how to conduct an assessment of an adult's capability for admission to, or continued residence in, a care facility; and
- o provide clarity on the manner and means of use of restraints in facilities not currently covered by the existing provisions in the Residential Care Regulation under the *CCALA*.

Thirdly, the Residential Care Regulation (under the CCALA) is amended to:

o establish the manner and means of obtaining consent to continuing accommodation of incapable persons (i.e., persons in care who have

In terms of timing, we are currently aiming to bring the package to Cabinet in early May.

Please let me know if you require more information, and whether consultation will be requested. I will be out of the office next week, but return on March 25, 2019. I am copying a contact in our Seniors Services Branch who can answer questions you may have in the meantime.

Thank you for your assistance,

#### Katherine Thiessen-Wale

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From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Sent: March 29, 2019 10:50 AM
To: Sime, Mark CITZ:EX

Cc: Sexsmith, Melissa M CITZ:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: s.12,s.13

Hello again Mark. s.12,s.13

I will work through the Minister's office to get that scheduled. Thanks again for contacting us about this. Feel free to get in touch if you have any questions.

Regards, Donna

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 6:40 PM

To: Sime, Mark CITZ:EX

Cc: Sexsmith, Melissa M CITZ:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

Subject: Re: s.12,s.13

Hello Mark. Thanks very much for reaching out about this. I will raise this with \$.12,\$.13 tomorrow morning and will get back to you ASAP.

Regards, Donna

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

----- Original message ------From: "Sime, Mark CITZ:EX"

Date: 2019-03-28 4:41 PM (GMT-08:00) To: "Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX" Cc: "Sexsmith, Melissa M CITZ:EX"

Subject: s.12,s.13

Good afternoon Donna,

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Thank you,

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From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 6, 2019 2:09 PM

**To:** Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Hume, Claire LASS:EX

Cc: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX
Subject: BCUC - Charging Stations

Evan and Claire: please see below from Melissa Sanderson / EMPR. This is related to today's Les Leyne article. Melissa would be happy to take any questions.

- The Ministry has been an active participant in this Inquiry, which began in January 2018.
- Our participation in the Inquiry and the Feb 27 procedural conference was consistent with the outcomes of Phase 1
  of the BC Hydro review; government has intervened in a BCUC proceeding to ensure that the BCUC and interveners
  are aware of our policy position
- The policy position supporting utility participation in vehicle charging is based on evidence from other jurisdictions which we set out, and the need to greatly expand the charging network to support the ZEV mandate and transportation GHG reduction targets in CleanBC
- This inquiry was initiated by the BCUC
- As initiator of this inquiry, the BCUC has full jurisdiction to determine the matters it wishes to examine and government has not "directed" the BCUC in this regard
- Government welcomes any recommendations that the BCUC wishes to make as a result of this inquiry.
- During the procedural conference, government suggested to the BCUC that, if it intends to make recommendations
  to government as a result of the inquiry, it may not be the best use of the BCUC's and intervener's time to consider
  issues where the government has already come to its own conclusions (e.g., whether public utilities should be
  involved in the build-out of EV charging infrastructure necessary to achieve CleanBC ZEV sales targets and whether
  they should have the ability to recover costs from ratepayers (both yes)).
- During the procedural conference, Government further suggested that recommendations that would be of most
  value to government are recommendations on how its policy objectives could be achieved and whether there
  should be any limits on the extent of cost recovery.

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 12, 2019 5:19 PM

To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX; Reid, Heidi FIN:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX

Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Sather, Kelly ENV:EX; Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX

**Subject:** Consultation Committee March 13: proposed agenda

Attachments: Agenda 2019 03 13.docx

Hello all. Attached is the proposed agenda for the Wed. March 13 meeting:

12:45 – 1:00 Pre-meeting in Minister James' office s.15

1:00 – 2:00 Consultation Committee s.15

(Minister Heyman to dial in to both meetings at + s.15,s.17

Let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss in advance.

Thank you, Donna

From: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX Sent: March 5, 2019 3:54 PM

To: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX; Gibbs,

Robb GCPE:EX; Robinson, Jon PREM:EX; Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

**Cc:** Sather, Kelly FIN:EX **Subject:** Draft Roadmap

**Attachments:** CleanBC implementation roadmap v4.pptx

Hi all,

Here's the follow up document I mentioned in our meeting yesterday.

Thanks, Caelie

From: Hewitt, Jeremy ENV:EX Sent: March 5, 2019 3:43 PM To: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX

Cc: Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX; Kennedy, Karla ENV:EX

Subject: Draft Roadmap

Hi Caelie -

As requested, here is the draft roadmap. I do need to stress that this is draft and will be refined this month. The Deputy Ministers Working Group will be reviewing a more comprehensive version later in March.

Thanks,

Jeremy

From: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Sent: March 13, 2019 9:37 AM

To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

**Subject:** FW: Three chairs.

FYI - I'll follow up with the other MAs to get contact info.

----Original Message----

From: Harrington, Molly SDPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2019 9:22 AM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX <Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca>; Galbraith, David J SDPR:EX <David.Galbraith@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Three chairs.

Just closing loop on this...

----Original Message----

From: Green, David <david.green@ubc.ca>

Sent: March 12, 2019 3:01 PM

To: Harrington, Molly SDPR:EX < Molly. Harrington@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Three chairs.

Hello Molly,

I'm sorry for the slow response. I would be happy to meet with the other two chairs. If you have contact information for them, I can go ahead and get in touch and arrange a time to talk.

Take care,

David

On 2019-03-08, 9:35 AM, "Harrington, Molly SDPR:EX" <Molly.Harrington@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi David. I've been asked by the minister to see if you would be open to having a quick touch base conversation with the chairs of the two other committees that government has struck to do work on economic issues - the Fair Wage Commission (Danielle van Jaarsveld) and the Emerging Economic my Taskforce (Kathy Kinloch). Nothing more than a casual request so the three task forces have some sense of each other's work. I hope that makes sense. Happy to arrange from here if you would rather - but thought it would be more respectful to leave it as a matter among you three rather than something I needed to be involved in. Happy to chat. Molly.

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 29, 2019 9:26 AM

To: Wensink, Alison PREM:EX; Rendek, Judy LASS:EX

Cc: Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX

**Subject:** Meeting request: Forestry

Hello Alison and Judy. First, an e-introduction. Alison is the Executive Admin Coordinator for Don Wright. Judy is the Green Caucus Office Manager, and manages scheduling for the Green Caucus MLAs.

This email is further to conversations with the Premier's office and Evan Pivnick, Green Caucus Chief of Staff. Can you please schedule a meeting on forestry, as follows:

### Timing:

- Wednesday, April 3
- 45 minutes

#### Attendees:

- MLAs Weaver, Olsen and Furstenau and Green Caucus staff TBD by Evan
- Don Wright/Christine Kennedy, Office of the Premier
- Donna Sanford/Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

#### Location:

Alison: could you please book a meeting room for this? Another option could be to use s.15

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

Thank you, Donna

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 11, 2019 1:06 PM

To: Miller, Sarah LASS:EX; Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Kwan, Shirley JTT:EX

Cc: Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX

**Subject:** Meeting request: s.12

Hello Shirley, Evan and Sarah: Further to Green Caucus request for a follow-up meeting on s.12 s.12 and offer from staff at JTT & CITZ to meet in early April – can you please schedule a meeting as follows:

### Timing:

- 1<sup>st</sup> week of April
- 30 minutes

#### Attendees:

- Evan Pivnick, Chief of Staff and Sarah Miller, Policy and Issues Manager, Green Caucus
- DM Fazil Mihlar, ADM Christine Little, ED Angelo Cocco (JTT) and Exec Lead Hayden Lansdell (CITZ)
- JTT MA James McNish
- Donna Sanford and/or Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

#### Location:

Amanda, as discussed: could you please book a meeting room for this once the date is set?

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

Thank you, Donna

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 5, 2019 1:07 PM

To: Rendek, Judy LASS:EX; McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX

Cc: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX; Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Miller, Sarah LASS:EX

**Subject:** Meeting request: Poverty Reduction Strategy

Hello Judy and Valerie: this request is further to discussions with Leah and Sarah. Can you please schedule a meeting for Minister Simpson and MLA Furstenau on the Poverty Reduction Strategy, as follows:

### Timing:

- prior to March 18
- 30 minutes

#### Attendees:

- Minister Simpson, MA Leah Squance, SDPR staff TBD by Leah
- MLA Furstenau and Sarah Miller, Green Caucus
- Donna Sanford and/or Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

### Location:

Leah and Valerie: can we use s.15

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

Thank you, Donna

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 28, 2019 11:27 AM

To: Rendek, Judy LASS:EX; Cooling, Karen LBR:EX

Cc: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Miller, Sarah LASS:EX

**Subject:** Meeting request: Presumption: Workers Compensation Act

Hello Judy and Karen: This email is to request a meeting between MLA Weaver and Ministry of Labour regarding "presumptions" under the Workers Compensation Act.

### Timing:

- Tuesday, April 9
- 30 minutes

#### Attendees:

- MLA Weaver and Green Caucus staff
- MA Karen Cooling and Ministry of Labour staff, TBD by Karen
- Donna Sanford and/or Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

#### Location:

• Judy, can Green Caucus meeting space be available, s.15

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

Thank you, Donna

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Sent: March 13, 2019 4:47 PM

**To:** Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Rendek, Judy LASS:EX

Cc: Copage, Caitlin GCPE:EX; Pivnick, Evan V LASS:EX; Brownsey, Silas JTT:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX;

Miller, Sarah LASS:EX

**Subject:** Rescheduling MLA Weaver and Kathy Kinloch meeting Mar 15

### Hi Monica and Judy.

Monica: Further to my phone call with you just now – thank you for taking on the role of cancelling this Friday's 11 AM phone meeting between MLA Weaver and Kathy Kinloch (per conversation this week between Silas Brownsey and Evan Pivnick).

Monica and Judy: can you please find an alternative date and time for MLA Weaver and Ms Kinloch to have a face-to-face meeting in Victoria, within the next 2 weeks? I believe the request is for 1 hour.

### Attendees:

- MLA Weaver, Evan Pivnick and Sarah Miller (Green Caucus)
- Ms Kinloch
- MA James McNish and JTT staff
- Donna Sanford and/or Caitlin Copage, CASA Secretariat

Please let me know if I can assist.

### Thank you.