From: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX; Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX

Cc: French, Shawna ABR:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT: Request for Call/ Meeting with Tsilhqotin National Government

Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 10:58:40 AM

Attachments: <u>image002.png</u>

2017 07 25 Tsilhqot"in Chiefs to Premier re Urgent Issues Nenqay Deni Accord.pdf

Importance: High

Matthew Howie

A/Senior Executive Assistant to Doug Caul, Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation

Phone: 250-356-1394

From: Farmer, Leila PREM:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, **J**uly 26, 2017 10:13 AM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT: Request for Call/ Meeting with Tsilhqotin National Government

Doug,

This arrived yesterday evening.

Thanks, Leila

From: Helen Nemeth [mailto:hnemeth@tsilhgotin.ca]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 25, 2017 4:57 PM **To:** OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Minister, MEM MEM:EX; Minister, ABR ABR:EX; Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX; Minister, ENV ENV:EX; Chief

Russell MyersRoss s.22 ; Chief Roy Stump - Esdilagh (Alexandria)

; Chief Francis Laceese (<a href="mailto:chieflaceese@gmail.com">chief Ervin Charleyboy</a> (<a href="mailto:ervin@tsideldel.org">ervin@tsideldel.org</a>); Chief Joe Alphonse - Tl'etinqox (Anaham) (<a href="mailto:chiefjoe@tletinqox.ca">chiefjoe@tletinqox.ca</a>); Roger William; Heather Squire (<a href="mailto:heather@ainchut.com">heather@ainchut.com</a>); Shawn Atleo; Jay Nelson (<a href="mailto:jay@jaynelsonlaw.com">jay@jaynelsonlaw.com</a>); J.P. Laplante

Subject: URGENT: Request for Call/ Meeting with Tsilhqotin National Government

Importance: High

Good afternoon, Premier Horgan,

Kindly see the attached urgent correspondence from the Leadership of the Tsilhqot'in National Government requesting an urgent meeting.

Sechanalyagh! Make today great!



## Helen Nemeth, Senior Executive Assistant, Tsilhqot'in National Government - Negotiations and External Affairs

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July 25, 2017

The Honourable John Horgan, M.L.A. Premier of British Columbia P.O. Box 9041 STN PROV GOVT Victoria, BC V8W 9E1

### Dear Premier:

On behalf of the Tsilhqot'in Nation, we formally request an urgent meeting—this week—between the Tsilhqot'in Chiefs, yourself, and key Ministers to provide an introductory briefing, discuss some immediate issues and set a positive foundation for our work to come. We recognize that your government is in the heart of organizing and setting the path for the governing work ahead, and we are open to meeting in person, by phone, or some combination.

via email: premier@gov.bc.ca

As you know, our communities are at the very heart of the Hanceville Wildfire, the largest wildfire in the history of this Province, and impacted by other wildfires as well. And while we were fighting for the very survival of our communities, Taseko Mines Limited was granted approval for an extensive drilling program at Teztan Biny (Fish Lake) and Nabas, on the day before your government was sworn into power.

These issues will deeply impact the relationship between British Columbia and the Tsilhqot'in people. They offer an opportunity to demonstrate your government's commitment to true reconciliation and respect for Indigenous peoples.

These are urgent issues that call for attention, and we would appreciate the opportunity to discuss them with you this week, by phone or in person.

Looking beyond these immediate concerns, we would also like to set our first official meeting with your new government, in person, to discuss the implementation of the *Tsilhqot'in Nation* judgment and *Nenqay Deni* Accord. We look forward to working with you to create a better future for the Tsilhqot'in people and for this Province, by reaffirming the Accord's commitment to new and innovative ways of achieving reconciliation.

Please have your staff contact Helen Nemeth (Senior Executive Assistant) to make arrangements, at (250) 267-3270 or via email at <a href="mailto:hnemeth@tsilhqotin.ca">hnemeth@tsilhqotin.ca</a>.

Sechanalyagh (thank you),

**Chief Joe Alphonse** 

Tl'etinqox-t'in Government TNG Tribal Chair **Chief Roger William** 

Xeni Gwet'in First Nations Government TNG Vice Chair

cc. Tsilhqot'in Chiefs

Hon. Scott Fraser, Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

Hon. Doug Donaldson, Minister of Forests, Lands & Natural Resource Operations

Hon. Michelle Mungall, Minister of Energy and Mines

Hon. George Heyman, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy

Jay Nelson, TNG Executive Lead, Negotiations & External Affairs

J.P. Laplante, TNG Mining, Oil & Gas Manager

Shawn Atleo & Heather Atleo, Co-Chairs, Title Implementation

From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

To: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; French, Shawna ABR:EX

Subject: FW: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

Date: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 6:02:17 PM

Please pull this from NRB as well.

From: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 5:49 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX; Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Scott, Douglas S ABR:EX

Cc: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: Re: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

Hi lets pull it and I can set up a briefing. Thanks!

Laurel Nash

Assistant Deputy Minister

Strategic Partnerships and Initiatives Division

Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

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From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 5:01 PM

To: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Scott, Douglas S ABR:EX

Cc: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Nash, Laurel ABR:EX Subject: RE: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

Yup – my error. I have reached out to Laurel.

From: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 4:40 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX; Scott, Douglas S ABR:EX

Cc: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Nash, Laurel ABR:EX Subject: Re: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

I think this is Laurel's division as it is Implementation and Land Services Branch that has been the lead.

Neilane

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

----- Original message -----

From: "Caul, Doug D ABR:EX" < Doug.Caul@gov.bc.ca>

Date: 2017-07-19 4:10 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: "Scott, Douglas S ABR:EX" < Douglas.S.Scott@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: "Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX" < Neilane.Mayhew@gov.bc.ca>, "French, Shawna

ABR:EX" < Shawna.French@gov.bc.ca >, "Howie, Matthew ABR:EX"

<Matthew.Howie@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

Hey Doug – I think this needs a bit of work. Let's have a quick discussion. Is it problematic if it gets moved to next NRB?

From: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 1:55 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX Cc: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: DOUG - FOR APPROVAL: July 24 NRB materials re: Maa-nulth

Importance: High

This is due to NRB today.

See Neilane's approval and comments below.

Matthew Howie

A/Senior Executive Assistant to Doug Caul, Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation

Phone: 250-356-1394

From: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 1:44 PM

To: Ponchet, Kim ABR:EX

Cc: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Smith, Dugald ABR:EX; Hutchinson, Wendy ABR:EX; Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX;

St. Jean, David ABR:EX; Barnes, Sarah ABR:EX; Westaff, Melissa ABR:EX

Subject: RE: NRB July 24

Kim - I have made a few changes to the slide on stakeholder engagement and with these changes this deck is approved. Please use this version for forwarding to DC for approval.

Wendy – For your info, I reordered the bullets a bit and also took out the reference to post-interregnum as we are not in the interregnum anymore.

#### Neilane

From: Hutchinson, Wendy ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 12:32 PM

To: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX

Cc: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Smith, Dugald ABR:EX; Ponchet, Kim ABR:EX; Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX; St.

Jean, David ABR:EX; Barnes, Sarah ABR:EX; Westaff, Melissa ABR:EX

Subject: RE: NRB July 24

I have attached the new revised version of the power point and have made changes as per your request. My responses are in red below my signature line as well as in the presentation.

I have also split the Authorization and Function slides into 2 separate slides for clarity. (now slides 3

and 4) and added in a bullet in the Authorization slide which clarifies that FNLRO and AG Ministries were full participants in the negotiations just to offset any concerns that this is the first time they are being updated.

Negotiated with full participation from Ministries of Forests Lands
 Natural Resource Operations and Attorney General

Let me know if there is anything further required. If Laurel requires a briefing prior to the 24rth I am available at her convenience – I know she is very busy with the emergency co-ordination at the present.

Director of Implementation,

Wendy Kutchinson

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation (MIRR)

Strategic Initiatives Division

Implementation and Land Services Branch

Office: 778-698-7312 Mobile: 250 208-4363

Email: Wendy. Hutchinson@gov.bc.ca

From: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 10:38 AM

To: Hutchinson, Wendy ABR:EX

Cc: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Smith, Dugald ABR:EX; Ponchet, Kim ABR:EX; Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX; St.

Jean, David ABR:EX; Barnes, Sarah ABR:EX; Westaff, Melissa ABR:EX

Subject: FW: NRB July 24

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## Thanks.

### Neilane

From: Hutchinson, Wendy ABR:EX Sent: Friday, July 14, 2017 12:35 PM

To: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Smith, Dugald ABR:EX

Cc: Ponchet, Kim ABR:EX; Westaff, Melissa ABR:EX; Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX; Barnes, Sarah ABR:EX;

St. Jean, David ABR:EX Subject: FW: NRB July 24

I have been asked by Dugald to forward this presentation to Neilane. This is scheduled to go before the NRB on July 24rth. It has been before the NRS ED and the NRS ADM committees. Dugald was agreeable to present this at the NRB \*\*.22\*\* Laurel has agreed to make the presentation for us.

I will be attending as the Director and the negotiator for the Province as will, Kirsten Hunter, my very

capable staff supporting the project. We are available should you have any questions or concerns or require a briefing prior to the meeting.

You may be interested to know that at the NRS ADM presentation, the comments concerning the agreement were quite favourable; further it was viewed as an agreement that could be duplicated to create efficiencies and had potential utility in other areas and Ministries.

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Background email trail

On Jul 5, 2017, at 3:22 PM, Smith, Dugald ABR:EX < <u>Dugald.Smith@gov.bc.ca</u>> wrote:

We are to present the Maa nulth G2G to the NR Board on the 24th. This is the last path before we ask a new minister to sign it.

s.22

I was hoping you could speak to it.

My staff can ensure you are fully briefed and apprised of the material in advance at your convenience. The attached is a draft of the issues, we will continue to refine it but it can give a sketch of the issue.

Thanks

Dugald

Wendy Kutchinsen

Director of Implementation, MARR Strategic Initiatives Division Implementation and Land Services Branch

Office: 778-698-7312 Mobile: 250 208-4363

Email: Wendy. Hutchinson@gov.bc.ca

From: Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX Sent: Monday, July 10, 2017 10:17 AM

To: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX

Cc: Smith, Dugald ABR:EX; Hutchinson, Wendy ABR:EX

Subject: FW: NRB July 24

Hello Laurel

I understand from Dugald Smith that you will be available to present at the NR Board on July 24<sup>th</sup>, on ILSB's behalf regarding the Maa-nulth Government to Government Agreement.

Please find attached the suite of briefing materials to send on to the DMO, with apologies for missing the July 7 deadline:

Presentation handout (3 slides per page)

- Presentation deck with speaking notes
- Final Maa-nulth Government to Government Agreement

Please let me know if you need anything further from our office.

Thank you,

Kirsten

### Kirsten Hunter

Senior Implementation Analyst, ILSB, MARR 778-698-7309 (New # as of July 2017)

|Available Monday to Thursday|

From: Leinweber, Rachelle R ABR:EX Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2017 12:28 PM

To: Puggioni, Giovanni ABR:EX; Gunnarsen, Krista A ABR:EX; Smith, Dugald ABR:EX

Cc: St. Jean, David ABR:EX; Hunter, Kirsten P ABR:EX; Caswell, Cassondra ABR:EX; Logue, Kelley

ABR:EX; Howells, Emily ABR:EX Subject: FW: NRB July 24

Hi,

The following items have been added to the July 24<sup>th</sup> NRB:

- Sinixts Laurel and Kirsta presenters
- Maa-nulth G2G Dugald presenter

All materials are due to Laurel July 7<sup>th</sup>.

Matt will be sending out invites for the NRB meeting.

## Thanks, Rachelle

From: French, Shawna ABR:EX

Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2017 11:08 AM

To: Howells, Emily ABR:EX; Leinweber, Rachelle R ABR:EX Cc: Ponchet, Kim ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: NRB July 24

Hi Guys,

Maa-nulth G2G & Sinixts have been added to the July 24<sup>th</sup> NRB Agenda. I have Dugald as the presenter for Maa-nulth G2G and Laurel & Krista for the Sinixt item. <u>Materials will be due to the DMO (Kim) on July 12<sup>th</sup> please</u>.

Matt – can you please ensure staff get the invite in their calendars for the meeting.

## Thanks,

## Shawna French

A/ Executive Director

Deputy Ministers Office

Ministry of Aboriginal Relations & Reconciliation

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5th Floor - 2957 Jutland Victoria BC Phone: 250 356-6330 Cell: 250-213-7671 mailto: Shawna.French@gov.bc.ca

From: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

To: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Subject: FW: Hon Scott Fraser - Heiltsuk
Date: Monday, July 24, 2017 12:14:39 PM
Attachments: Hon Scott Fraser - Heiltsuk.pdf

Matthew Howie A/Senior Executive Assistant to Doug Caul, Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation

Phone: 250-356-1394

From: Nevada Collins [mailto:nevada.collins@heiltsuk.ca]

Sent: Monday, July 24, 2017 11:13 AM

To: Fraser.MLA, Scott LASS:EX

Cc: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX; Marilyn Slett; Saul Brown

Subject: Hon Scott Fraser - Heiltsuk

Mr. Scott Fraser,

On behalf of Marilyn Slett, please find attached letter dated July 24, 2017.

CC: Doug Caul, Department of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

Marilyn Slett, Chief Councillor

Saul Brown, Reconciliation Coordinator

Nevada Collins Executive Assistant Heiltsuk Tribal Council p: 250-957-2381 x 212

c: 250-957-8540

From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

To: ABR Correspondence Unit ABR:EX
Cc: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: FW: Letter from CFN-GBI Paul Kariya
Date: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 6:34:10 PM

Attachments: image002.png

image003.png

Letter to Mr. Doug Caul DM congratulations & request for meeting dated July 19,2017.pdf

Response please. I am happy to meet once we make it thru transition.

Matt – in the meantime, please set a call or meeting for Paul and me. Thanks. DC

From: Crystal Dixon [mailto:officeadmin@coastalfirstnations.ca]

Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 4:35 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Cc: Marilyn Slett; Patrick Kelly; Paul Kariya Subject: Letter from CFN-GBI Paul Kariya

Hello,

On behalf of Paul Kariya,

Please find attached letter dated July 19,2017.

Respectfully,

On Behalf of Paul Kariya, Sr. Policy Advisor

Crystal Dixon
Administrative Assistant



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Great Bear Initiative

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Vancouver, BC, V6C 1T2

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From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX
To: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Cc: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Berkhout, Juanita ABR:EX

Subject: FW: Letter to Minister Scoot Fraser
Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 3:14:14 PM

Attachments: S Fraser July 2017.pdf

Fyi – and to action material for MSF. Please confirm that the MO is setting the meeting.

From: Susan De Stephanis [mailto:susan@fpcc.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, July 25, 2017 4:11 PM

To: Roberts, Connie A ABR:EX Cc: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

**Subject:** Letter to Minister Scoot Fraser

Good afternoon, Connie.

It was a pleasure speaking with you this afternoon.

As mentioned, kindly forward this letter to Minister Fraser.

Tracey would like to set up a meeting with the Minister as soon as possible to discuss some timesensitive matters. I will follow up with you later this week to discuss, or feel free to call me.

Thank you very much, Connie.

Susan

Susan De Stephanis Executive Assistant

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July 24, 2017

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Delivered via email: Scott.Fraser.MLA@leg.bc.ca

Honourable Scott Fraser Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation PO Box 9100 Stn Prov Govt Victoria, BC V8W 9B1



Dear Minister Fraser,

On behalf of Heiltsuk Tribal Council may I offer you sincere congratulations on your appointment as the Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation.

We are looking forward to working with you on important matters of shared interest. We are most pleased that Premier John Horgan has appointed a person with your character and background to such an important portfolio.

We have noted with interest that the NDP Platform commits to making Indigenous Reconciliation a cross government priority and to using the UN Declaration of Rights of Indigenous People as the basis to forge that improved relationship. We believe Heiltsuk Nation and British Columbia can be leaders in this regard.

While we will no doubt have many matters to discuss with you over the coming years I want to draw your attention to an important matter.

On October 28, 2015 Heiltsuk made a public declaration that sets out our renewed mandate and approach to reconcile our legal and political authority with Canada and BC. We believe that the Declaration of Heiltsuk Title & Rights provides a useful pathway for your government and Heiltsuk to achieve Reconciliation. We have now successfully negotiated both an agreement with Canada (signed in January 2017) and one with your predecessor Minister John Rustad (signed in March 2017). The Government of Canada has identified our table as one of the leading tables for forging alternative approaches to Reconciliation and staffed and resourced the negotiations in a manner that reflects that priority status.

Our Reconciliation Agreement with British Columbia provides for the development of a Reconciliation Action Plan that will detail governance authority and/or jurisdiction over a significant number of issues – tourism, parks management and servicing, aquaculture, transportation, awareness of Heiltsuk place names and their connection to Heiltsuk Traditional Territory, lands, language preservation and renewal, policy and planning capacity, monitoring and enforcement capacity, education and employment, child welfare, health care and research in any matters that will advance progress towards reconciliation.

Sadly, the previous provincial government has not adequately provided the resources to move forward on this ambitious agenda and we would ask that you review this situation with your senior officials as progress is being limited.

In addition, you should be aware, that the previous provincial government refused to reference Canada's acceptance of the UN Declaration of Rights of Indigenous Peoples in our agreement. Our Agreement with Canada does have such a reference and Heiltsuk believes it would be an early indication of the new approach of your government to consider appropriate similar reference in our existing agreement.

Our Nation has a long track record of successfully reaching agreements with governments and with other partners. Many of these have involved the BC government and we feel we are poised to make important progress on reconciliation and look forward to an early opportunity to discuss with you how we might make progress on this shared interest.

Once again may we offer sincere congratulation to you and confirm our interest in working closely with you in the coming years.

Yours Sincerely,

Marilyn Slett Chief Councillor

cc. Doug Caul, DM, Department of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Doug.Caul@gov.bc.ca



Wednesday, July 19, 2017

Mr. Doug Caul Deputy Minister Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Province of British Columbia

Via Email: Doug.Caul@gov.bc.ca

Dear Doug,

Please accept our congratulations on your appointment as Deputy Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

I am requesting a meeting with you to continue our work with British Columbia on "Reconciliation 2.0".

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On behalf of our Chiefs, leaders and communities, I would like to meet with you and your colleagues to map out the next phases of reconciliation between our Nations and British Columbia on a Nation-to-Nation basis.

Sincerely,

Paul Kariya,

Senior Policy Advisor

Coastal First Nations-Great Bear Initiative

Cc:

Chief Marilyn Slett, President Patrick Kelly, Chair/CEO From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

To: ABR All excluding Minister"s Office

Subject: Message from the DM: New Cabinet and Ministry name

Date: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 2:24:19 PM

Hi everyone,

As you are aware, Her Honour Lt.-Gov. Judith Guichon swore in the new Cabinet yesterday. As a result, we have a new Minister and a new name.

Scott Fraser (MLA, Mid Island-Pacific Rim) has been appointed as our Minister, and our ministry's name has changed to the Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation (MIRR). I am thrilled to continue on as Deputy Minister, and to continue to work with all of you in the MIRR team.

Minister Fraser will be familiar to many of you as he served as the Opposition Spokesperson for Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation. I have had a couple of short conversations with Minister Fraser. In those conversations, he has expressed his honour of being appointed Minister, and that he has heard great things about the people in our ministry and the important work we do, including our ministry's recent efforts to assist communities impacted by wildfires. In fact, just today, Minister Fraser was appointed to a new Cabinet task force on wildfires.

The Minister has acknowledged that there is much for him to learn. To that end, we will start to brief him next week. As I have said previously, we will need to be patient with the items and issues we need to take to the Minister. The Minister will need time to get his bearings, formulate his thoughts and ideas, and talk to his Cabinet colleagues.

Our new ministry name will take time to implement on templates, business cards, letterhead, global address list (GAL), et cetera. In the meantime, please use our new name now and change your signature blocks on emails.

Government also made changes to a number of ministries' structures, and leadership in the public service. There are no structural or executive changes for us; however, some of our colleagues across government also will need our patience as they work their way through those changes. As Don Wright, the new Deputy Minister to the Premier and Head of the BC Public Service, expressed in his communication to all staff yesterday, these changes are expected with any leadership transition and government will rely on the professionalism and skill of the public service in this period and going forward.

I know our ministry will continue to provide exemplary support as we move out of our caretaker duties, into transition and towards implementing the new government's agenda while, at the same time, supporting communities in impacted by wildfires. Thank you for your efforts.

You can expect to hear more from me and the rest of the executive team, but in the meantime, don't hesitate to ask questions and we will do our best to get an answer.

Doug

From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

To: ABR Correspondence Unit ABR:EX
Cc: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: Re: 41753: LBN ITA Transfer: Fort Babine Date: Friday, July 28, 2017 7:25:03 AM

Please send an acknowledgement letter and identify a contact for them to work with. It may be Tom McCarthy but check with Doug. Thanks.

Dc

Doug Caul Deputy Minister Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

On Jul 27, 2017, at 4:12 PM, ABR Correspondence Unit ABR:EX < ABRCorrespondenceUnit@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Good Afternoon,

Just following up on the direction for this letter.

Thanks.

## Katelyn Perry

Correspondence Clerk
DMO - Correspondence Unit
Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation
P: 250.953.3287

From: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX Sent: Thursday, July 6, 2017 3:47 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Cc: ABR Correspondence Unit ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Diller, Carina ABR:EX

Subject: 41753: LBN ITA Transfer: Fort Babine

I don't see this one in CLIFF, so I assume CU doesn't have it yet.

For direction.

Matthew Howie
A/Senior Executive Assistant to
Doug Caul, Deputy Minister
Ministry of Aboriginal Relations & Reconciliation
Phone: 250-356-1394

From: Petra West-Bayes [mailto:Petra.West-Bayes@lakebabine.com]

Sent: Thursday, July 6, 2017 2:33 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Cc: Diller, Carina ABR:EX; mmiller@direct.ca; george@nicholsonlaw.ca; john@jkmap.ca;

Dominique Nouvet

Subject: LBN ITA Transfer: Fort Babine

Good Afternoon,

Please find the attached letter from Chief Wilf Adam regarding the LBN ITA Land Transfer: Fort Babine Lodge.

Regards,

Petra West-Bayes

Lake Babine Nation

Chief & Council Executive Assistant

Ph: (250) 692-4707

Fax: (250) 692-4790

Toll Free: 1-888-692-3214

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From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX
To: French, Shawna ABR:EX

Cc: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: RE: Email to DMs

Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 3:06:44 PM

I am good with this Shawna. If we don't have an answer on the BCBC event, just change the sentence to a "we are seeking direction and will let you know" message.

DC

From: French, Shawna ABR:EX Sent: Friday, July 21, 2017 3:44 PM

To: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Cc: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX

Subject: Email to DMs

Hi Doug,

Below is the proposed email for you to send to DMs. You'll see there is one piece highlighted so we will wait to get direction before we send this, but if I can get your approval now so it's ready to go that would be great. thx!

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Colleagues,

We are quickly approaching the 4<sup>th</sup> annual BC Cabinet and First Nations Leaders' Gathering (the Gathering), scheduled for Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup> & Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at the Vancouver Convention Centre. The BC Business Council will host a networking session and reception on September \_\_\_. It is strongly recommended that Deputies attend the reception.

Planning is well underway. Below you will find information to aid your preparation.

### Overview of the Gathering

The Gathering is an opportunity for First Nations Leaders and Cabinet Ministers to directly discuss key issues and opportunities at the community level. The primary focus of the gathering will be meetings between Ministers and First Nations Leaders. Cabinet Ministers, and in some cases Deputy Ministers, will host one-on-one meetings over the two days of the Gathering. The Gathering will also include a series of speakers along with remarks from the Premier, the MIRR Minister, and leadership of the First Nations Leadership Council.

Agenda discussions are underway with the First Nations Leadership Council. More information will be provided to your office later this summer. The Gathering will be discussed at a Cabinet meeting. We will provide materials to Deputies and Ministers for that meeting.

## One-on-one Meetings

A "save-the-date" was sent to First Nations leaders in April with the opportunity to respond early with requests for one-on-one meetings. MIRR will schedule the one-on-one meetings based on requests from First Nations, and will frequently be in contact with your Ministry. We will provide you a schedule of meetings and topics as information becomes available. The completed list of meetings will be available prior to the gathering, but we anticipate that many meetings will be scheduled at the Gathering itself.

In situations where Ministers are oversubscribed, one-on-one meetings may be scheduled with the responsible Deputy Minister or Parliamentary Secretary. Similar to the UBCM convention, meetings will be 15- or 30-minute increments (depending on whether the topic needs to take up two time slots).

As in previous years, in preparation for these meetings, it will be the responsibility of your Ministry to prepare any briefing materials for your Minister (no template will be provided) and to identify a scribe from your Ministry to take detailed notes during the one-on-ones meetings. It is important that each Ministry accurately capture any commitments made in these meetings, as they will form the basis of follow-up letters that your Ministry will be required to send out to each First Nation. These commitments will be tracked over the next year.

If you have questions regarding your meetings with a First Nation, staff from your Ministry are encouraged to call the First Nation directly. MIRR will prepare community background details for all First Nations, but any other materials for meetings are the responsibility of your Ministry. Please feel free to touch base with Shawna French in my office if you require further information. Shawna can be reached at <a href="mailto:Shawna.french@gov.bc.ca">Shawna.french@gov.bc.ca</a> or 250-356-6330.

## Follow up to 2016 meetings:

At regular intervals since last year's Gathering, MIRR has reached out to your ministries to update the status of commitments that were made during one-one-one meetings in 2016. We have received status updates from all ministries and we will continue to work with your offices to ensure any gaps are filled. The last status update has already been requested of your staff and is due to MIRR by August  $1^{\rm st}$ .

### Actions for you:

Please identify a lead contact from your Ministry and provide that name to Shawna French by July 27<sup>th</sup>. Shawna will provide that person with information leading up to the Gathering as well as your Ministry's requested meetings to date. Before your office sends the updated

commitments from last year, I ask that you review and approve your updates and ensure the outcomes are clearly articulated where possible. The due date for these updates is August  $1^{st}$ .

Please also assign a staff member to take clear notes in the one-one-one meetings. Please provide Shawna with that person's name, title, and phone number so that they can be contacted and briefed on their responsibilities. Please also provide Shawna with the names of any other staff from your Ministry attending to support and your Ministers office staff attending. None of these people will need to register online, we will take care of that for you.

Please book your accommodation for the gathering, as September is a busy month for hotels in Vancouver. There is a hotel room block being held at the Pan Pacific (across the street from the Convention Centre) held until August 23<sup>rd</sup> on a first-come-first-serve basis. The reservation code and info are below:

Reservations ID: (Please quote to the Reservations Agent)

Reservations Direct Phone: 604-662-3223 Reservations Direct Fax: 604-895-2469

*Toll-Free Numbers:* 1-800-663-1515 (Canada)/ 1-800-937-1515 (USA)

E-mail: Reservations@PanPacificVancouver.com

Passkey Booking Link: s.17

Thank you,

Doug Caul
Deputy Minister
Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation

From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX
To: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX

Cc: Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX; French, Shawna ABR:EX; Turner, Robert TRAN:EX; Cox, Monica TRAN:EX; Mayhew, Neilane

ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Leinweber, Rachelle R ABR:EX

Subject: Re: FOR DOUG CAUL TODAY: Bullets re Ottawa trip and First Nations

Date: Monday, July 24, 2017 10:34:44 PM

Good note. Thanks Laurel. Dc

Doug Caul Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

On Jul 24, 2017, at 4:35 PM, Nash, Laurel ABR:EX < Laurel.Nash@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

As promised for your review. Drafted with EMBC. Thanks

Laurel Nash

**Assistant Deputy Minister** 

Strategic Partnerships and Initiatives Division

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

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From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Sent: Monday, July 24, 2017 10:07 AM

To: Nash, Laurel ABR:EX; Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX

Cc: Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX; French, Shawna ABR:EX; Howie, Matthew ABR:EX;

Leinweber, Rachelle R ABR:EX

Subject: Fwd: Ottawa trip and First Nations

Hi Laurel and Lisa - please have someone draft a very short note with key background points and key messages in the first point below.

Suggest info about the fed Prov MOUs, and that while coordination with INAC is going well we are all learning some lessons and adjusting. Would you agree with Ed's point that more needs to be done for FN emergency prep and response?

We will need to send this to Okenge by end of today.

Thanks

Dc

Doug Caul

Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX"

<Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca>

Date: July 23, 2017 at 4:12:17 PM PDT

To: "Caul, Doug D ABR:EX" < Doug.Caul@gov.bc.ca>

**Cc:** "Mayhew, Neilane ABR:EX" < Neilane.Mayhew@gov.bc.ca>, "Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX" < Pierrette.Maranda@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Fw: Ottawa trip and First Nations

Doug: please see below. Advice welcome. oym

From: Christensen, Suzanne < Suzanne. Christensen@leg.bc.ca >

Sent: Sunday, July 23, 2017 3:32 PM

To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX

Subject: Ottawa trip and First Nations

Hello

Apologies for using my leg email, but my systems are not yet fully set up.

I'm forwarding this via Scott Fraser in the event it adds to your knowledge of the recommendations made to Federal Ministers, and the thinking on what to discuss in Ottawa.

Suzanne

From: Ed John < edjohn@fns.bc.ca > Date: July 23, 2017 at 11:44:32 AM PDT

To: Melanie Mark s.22

Scott

Fraser s.17

Subject: Premier and PM to meet

Melanie See attached.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Ed John < edjohn@fns.bc.ca > Date: July 23, 2017 at 11:42:53 AM PDT

To: Melanie Debassige <melanie.debassige@bcafn.ca> Cc: Scott Fraser s.17

Subject: Re: Photo

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From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

To: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Joyce, Tonja ABR:EX
Cc: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Lofthouse, Mark ABR:EX

Subject: RE: Wensley Bench - attachments
Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 6:17:49 PM

## Never mind - found it/

From: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 6:16 PM

To: French, Shawna ABR:EX; Joyce, Tonja ABR:EX Cc: Howie, Matthew ABR:EX; Lofthouse, Mark ABR:EX

**Subject:** FW: Wensley Bench - attachments

Fyi, and plse send me their July 24 letter.

From: Rosemary Phillips [mailto:rphillips@ktunaxa.org]

Sent: Monday, July 24, 2017 2:36 PM

To: Minister, ABR ABR:EX

Cc: Caul, Doug D ABR:EX; Osberg, Marty ABR:EX; Todd-Macdonald, Tara ABR:EX

Subject: Wensley Bench - attachments

My apologies, I neglected to attach the letters referred to in the correspondence emailed earlier today to Minister Fraser. Here are those letters.

### Thanks

Rosemary Phillips Treaty Negotiator Ktunaxa Kinbasket Treaty Council Phone: 250-489-2464 ext. 3077



July 25, 2017

Honourable Scott Fraser Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Parliament Buildings Victoria, British Columbia V8V 1X4

Dear Minister Fraser:

On behalf of Chair, Cynthia Callison and the board and staff of the First Peoples' Cultural Council (FPCC), I am very happy to congratulate you on your re-election as MLA and your new appointment as Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation. I also want to thank you for your advocacy on behalf of our organization. We are very appreciative of your continued interest and support of Indigenous languages and cultures in British Columbia.

If time allows, we would be honoured to host a lunch for you and your accompanying staff at our office in Brentwood Bay. I would like to provide you with an overview of our Business Plan, which was funded by the Department of Canadian Heritage and developed by FPCC staff, who are leading work in cultural revitalization in Canada and around the world, with input from B.C. language, arts and cultural experts.

If you are unable to accept this invitation to our office at this extremely busy time, I would very much appreciate the opportunity to meet with you as soon as possible at a time and location most convenient for you, to discuss ways we can work together toward your ministry's mandate.

Kindly contact FPCC Executive Assistant, Susan De Stephanis at 250-652-5952 ext. 216 or <a href="mailto:susan@fpcc.ca">susan@fpcc.ca</a> too arrange a meeting. She will work with your staff to accommodate your busy schedule.

We look forward to working with you to improve the health and well-being of First Nations people and all citizens of B.C.

Kukwstsétsemc.

Tracey Herbert,

Chief Executive Officer

copy: Cynthia Callison, FPCC Chair

Doug Caul, Deputy Minister









Tue, Jul 18, 2:36 PM

Whereabouts are you sitting?

Wed, Jul 19, 8:27 AM

FYI don wrights official PO email address is now up in GAL

Wed, Jul 19, 1:22 PM

Becky D asked if you and Laurel want to give a FN update in today's 4:00 call

Not sure. Please Ask Laurel.











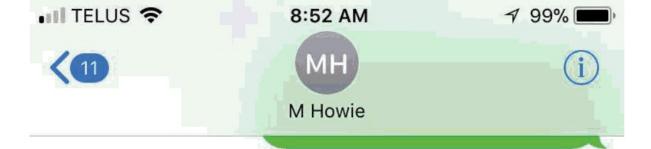












Sent as Text Message

MSF can do briefings on Monday from 1:00 on and Tuesday first half of the day..he'd like to come to Jutland to also meet staff....would you like me to book both days? If so, it means skipping NRB (we have TLE and maanulth on agenda) and moving EEC

You almost back? You have call with exec now

In elevator

Thu, Jul 20, 9:29 AM









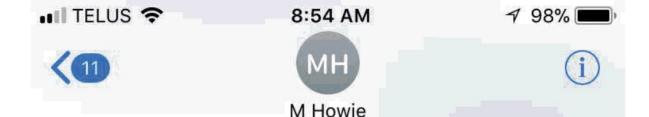












Thu, Jul 20, 9:29 AM

Laurel has a wildfire call that conflicts with today's DM TMP call that Laurel takes for you...I told rachelle I presume you'd say for Laurel to take the fire call of course but in her absence should Gio take the TMP call? Or do you not want delegates lower than ADM

# What time is the TMP call?

4-5...I suppose you could take it?























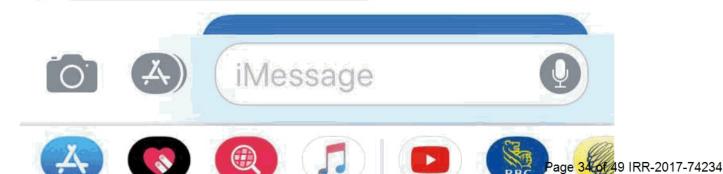
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Yes I'll take it.

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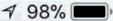
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Did you hear back on PACE?













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Did you hear back on PACE?

Don told me didn't get a chance to raise it yesterday. Today

Thu, Jul 20, 1:37 PM

Did you get a chance to discuss with MSF the plans for Monday and Tuesday? Whether he'll come here Monday to meet staff etc

Oh it's ON!

Thu, Jul 20, 3:11 PM









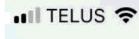


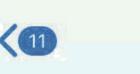


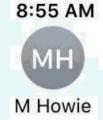














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Sorry to pester but did you discuss with MSF Monday and Tuesday? Whether he'll come here Monday afternoon

Hey. Just finished with MSF! The minister will visit us at Jutland 1-5 on Monday. Let's do a 45 minute open house at the beginning.

Fri, Jul 21, 9:54 AM

III get those DMCs in your calendar









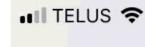
















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Fri, Jul 21, 2:07 PM

Have you seen those emails on the EMBC exec and staff bbq tomorrow at 12?

Can you make it? It's at the EMBC hq on keating

Exec serving staff as a thank you for wildfire efforts

Fri, Jul 21, 4:15 PM

Had computer issues before I left and wasn't able to upload MDEC materials to your











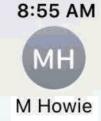
















Fri, Jul 21, 4:15 PM

Had computer issues before I left and wasn't able to upload MDEC materials to your SP..they're in your inbox

Thanks Matt.

Have a good. Weekend.

Mon, Jul 24, 3:19 PM

MSF has a call tomorrow at 8:30 AM (right before your briefing) with Paul blom of FN energy and mining council re: mining reform as per NDP





















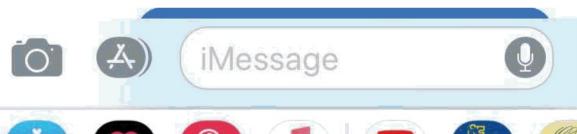


Mon, Jul 24, 3:19 PM

MSF has a call tomorrow at 8:30 AM (right before your briefing) with Paul blom of FN energy and mining council re: mining reform as per NDP platform commitments..should anyone from MIRR join the call?

Mon, Jul 24, 6:30 PM

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Mon, Jul 24, 6:30 PM

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By the way - Michael is going to bring me a new phone at some point. The battery on this one is wearing out.

Sorry I should have been more clear that Connie asked..but I don't think leila did..Connie said she was worried about MSF taking the call solo

As in Connie is worried



























Tue, Jul 25, 8:39 AM

Doug S might be a few mins late..he says he has a little crisis here



s.22

Ok

Tue, Jul 25, 11:09 AM

## Leanne emailed you for





















Tue, Jul 25, 11:09 AM

Leanne emailed you for approval messaging on PNW LNG decision..she didn't say rush but I assume it is..it's in your approvals folder

Tue, Jul 25, 1:37 PM

Today's MDEC call is apparently different and will focus on confidential matters for Ministers and DMs only..are you ok with me requesting that Laurel join, or will she sit out on this one?





























this one?



Wed, Jul 26, 7:50 AM

s.22

INAC's DM requested a call with you today..booked for 9:30..u should be back by then but let me know if u think u won't make it and I'll ask to move it

Wed, Jul 26, 12:26 PM

























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Wed, Jul 26, 12:26 PM

Michael helped me get your surface working (just FYI in case you want to grab it before your 1:30 meeting

Thu, Jul 27, 10:20 AM

MSF called me to speak with you about Ed John..l offered to get you but he said not urgent..he'll try to call you around 11 but he's going to be driving for about 40 minutes soon..he said if needed you can also relay the

















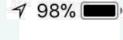






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Thu, Jul 27, 10:20 AM

MSF called me to speak with you about Ed John..l offered to get you but he said not urgent..he'll try to call you around 11 but he's going to be driving for about 40 minutes soon..he said if needed you can also relay the message to Leila, but he will try to call you back after EEC

Leila called on same topic..she said you can just call her on the matter and she'll relay to MSF









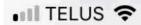




















## Trevor and Rick are here

## Outside your door

Thu, Jul 27, 4:06 PM

Just leaving legislature now.

Ok Doug S might be couple minutes late too..I'm leaving but forwarded my phone to Rachelle so she can let them in when they arrive

Thu, Jul 27, 5:14 PM

## Added vehicle for parking













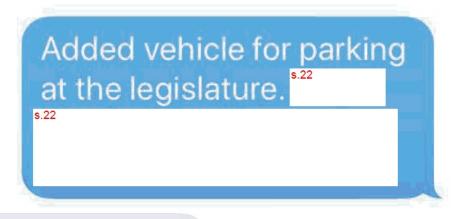








Thu, Jul 27, 5:14 PM





Thanks Matt. s.22

Fri, Jul 28, 9:10 AM

Sorry I just need to know the colour of \*22 for the list









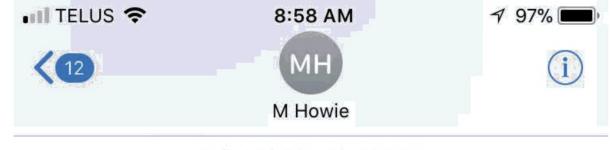












Fri, Jul 28, 10:16 AM

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Hey Matt. Plse send me Marty osbergs number.

Fri, Jul 28, 1:07 PM

Sorry still waiting to get it from NROD staff

s.22

Fri, Jul 28, 3:04 PM

That seems like an odd number and I didn't get an answer. Does anyone have























Fri, Jul 28, 3:04 PM

That seems like an odd number and I didn't get an answer. Does anyone have his cel?

His cell is s.22

Tue, Aug 8, 4:44 PM

Was so busy today I forgot to upload your materials for the weekly (and also forgot to leave my desk lol)..!'ll upload them tomorrow before the weekly..will be in around 7

