

## McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 28, 2019 1:30 PM  
**To:** 'Campbell, Linda (IC)'  
**Subject:** RE: Connecting re: Export Navigator Program

Linda,

Yes absolutely, tomorrow works well for me. Why don't we say 7:15 AM my time, which would be 10:15 AM your time?

If that's no good I could also connect at 11:00 AM my time, 2:00 PM your time.

Let me know what's best for you, and the best number to reach you at, and I'll call then.

Cheers!

JM

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**From:** Campbell, Linda (IC) <linda.campbell@canada.ca>  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:54 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: Connecting re: Export Navigator Program

Hi John,

Would be great to touch base. Can we try something tomorrow? My day is fairly open barring 1-2PST

Looking forward to discussing.

Linda

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Sent:** February 27, 2019 7:35 PM  
**To:** Campbell, Linda (IC) <linda.campbell@canada.ca>  
**Subject:** Connecting re: Export Navigator Program

Hello Linda,

I hope you're well. My name is John-Michael (everyone calls me JM) I work for Minister Ralston in British Columbia.

Minister Ralston tells me he has had some good conversations with Minister Ng recently about export promotion, in particular the province's Export Navigator Program.

He asked me to follow up with your office about the Province's plan to expand the program, and I'm wondering if I could give you a call?

Let me know if you've got a window in your schedule over the next couple of days when I could give you a ring, or call me anytime at 250-208-6051.

Cheers,

JM

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**Sent:** Wednesday, February 27, 2019 10:18 AM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Talbot, Sarena GCPE:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX  
**Subject:** RE: PNP PROGRAM -- MEDIA REQUEST -- FOLLOW UP QUESTIONS -- DOUGLAS TODD

Thanks Lori, this is approved to go out.

JM

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
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**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Talbot, Sarena GCPE:EX <Sarena.Talbot@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** PNP PROGRAM -- MEDIA REQUEST -- FOLLOW UP QUESTIONS -- DOUGLAS TODD

Hi JM – Please see the below follow up questions from Douglas Todd on PNP. Due to him by noon today. Fazil has reviewed and OK'd.

Thanks,

Lori

### Follow up Questions – Feb. 26

#### 1. What are the top 10 nominee occupations in 2017 and 2018?

| Table 8: Skills Immigration Nominees - Occupations                              |       |       |
|---|-------|-------|
| Occupation  | 2018  | 2017  |
| 0631 - Restaurant and food service managers                                     | 6.8%  | 7.3%  |
| 6322 - Cooks  | 5.9%  | 5.0%  |
| 1241 - Administrative assistants  | 5.5%  | 6.6%  |
| 0621 - Retail and wholesale trade managers                                      | 4.5%  | 4.9%  |
| 2173 - Software engineers and designers   | 3.8%  | 2.2%  |
| 7511 - Transport truck drivers  | 3.5%  | 4.3%  |
| 7271 - Carpenters   | 3.2%  | 2.3%  |
| 6711 - Food counter attendants, kitchen helpers and related support occupations | 3.1%  | 2.8%  |
| 5241 - Graphic designers and illustrators                                       | 3.1%  | 1.6%  |
| 6211 - Retail sales supervisors   | 2.6%  | 3.8%  |
| Total Top 10 Occupations  | 42.0% | 40.7% |

| Table 8a: Skills Immigration Nominees - Occupations                             |       |       |
|---|-------|-------|
| Occupation  | 2018  | 2017  |
| 0631 - Restaurant and food service managers                                     | 397   | 393   |
| 6322 - Cooks  | 345   | 267   |
| 1241 - Administrative assistants  | 318   | 352   |
| 0621 - Retail and wholesale trade managers                                      | 261   | 261   |
| 2173 - Software engineers and designers   | 220   | 119   |
| 7511 - Transport truck drivers  | 201   | 233   |
| 7271 - Carpenters   | 184   | 122   |
| 6711 - Food counter attendants, kitchen helpers and related support occupations | 180   | 152   |
| 5241 - Graphic designers and illustrators                                       | 179   | 87    |
| 6211 - Retail sales supervisors   | 152   | 202   |
| Total Top 10 Occupations  | 2,437 | 2,188 |

2. What is the breakdown of the total BC Provincial Nominee Program nominations by stream going back to 2009, specifically for the entrepreneur stream?

| Class   | 2009 | 2010  | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  | 2014  |
|---|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Grouped by BC PNP Categories</b>                           |      |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Strategic Occupations Stream/Skills Immigration Stream</b> |      |       |       |       |       |       |
| Entry-Level and Semi-Skilled                                  | 547  | 1222  | 626   | 380   | 568   | 686   |
| Skilled Worker  | 1914 | 2055  | 2307  | 2475  | 2,332 | 2448  |
| Health Professional   | -    | -     | -     |       |       |       |
| Northeast Pilot   | -    | -     | -     | 5     | 13    | 36    |
| International Graduate  | 165  | 95    | 248   | 366   | 467   | 740   |
| International Post Graduate                                   | -    | 58    | 264   | 248   | 376   | 181   |
| FSW Backlog Without Job Offer                                 | -    | -     | -     | 216   | -     | -     |
| Sub-total   | 2626 | 3,430 | 3,445 | 3,690 | 3,756 | 4,091 |
| <b>Skills Immigration Stream – Express Entry</b>              |      |       |       |       |       |       |
| Skilled Worker  |      | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| Health Care Professional                                      |      | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| International Graduate  |      | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| International Post-Graduate                                   |      | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| Total Express Entry   |      | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| Total Skills Stream   |      |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Business Immigration/Entrepreneur Immigration Stream</b>   |      |       |       |       |       |       |
| Entrepreneur/Business Skills                                  | 25   | 35    | 37    | 25    | 27    | 27    |
| Regional Entrepreneur   | 10   | 55    | 36    | 36    | 37    | 48    |
| Key Staff*  | 26   | 7     | 6     | -     | -     | -     |

|                                  |              |              |              |              |              |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Strategic Projects**             | 5            | 1            | 3            | 5            | 1            | 2            |
| <b>Total Business Stream</b>     | <b>66</b>    | <b>98</b>    | <b>82</b>    | <b>66</b>    | <b>65</b>    | <b>77</b>    |
| <b>Total Provincial Nominees</b> | <b>2,692</b> | <b>3,528</b> | <b>3,527</b> | <b>3,756</b> | <b>3,821</b> | <b>4,168</b> |

\* Key staff may be proposed by an Entrepreneur applicant as having expertise that is essential to the success of the proposed business. The key staff member is eligible to apply for a work permit to work with the applicant during the business establishment period and may also be eligible to be nominated for permanent residence.

\*\* Strategic Projects - A foreign-controlled company establishing, purchasing, or expanding an eligible business in B.C. may have up to five key staff nominated if the company makes a minimum equity investment of \$500,000 (the minimum investment was originally set at \$1 million in 2003 and reduced to \$500,000 in 2007). The company must create at least three jobs for Canadians in B.C. for each nominee applicant put forward.

**3. Prior to 2015-16, what were the dollar and employer requirements for entrepreneur investment, creating businesses, etc.? Are they the same as the current requirements for the non-pilot EI stream?**

- Prior to July 1, 2015, there were two categories in the Entrepreneur Immigration stream with different criteria. The categories were:
  - **Business Skills** category with a minimum \$800,000 personal net worth, minimum \$400,000 investment and creation of a minimum of three new full-time jobs for Canadians or permanent residents in B.C. Applicants were allowed to establish their business anywhere in the province and may propose one foreign key staff.
  - **Regional Business** category with a minimum \$400,000 personal net worth, minimum \$200,000 investment and creation of minimum one new full-time employment job for Canadian or permanent residents in B.C. Business establishment is restricted to outside of the lower mainland (Greater metro-Vancouver area including Abbotsford).

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 26, 2019 1:03 PM  
**To:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX  
**Subject:** Confirmation: Entrepreneur Immigrant Pilot Announcement March 14

Hi team,

PO has confirmed we now have the green light to announce the Rural Entrepreneur Immigration Pilot in Courtney Comox on March 14.

Lori, we can set the wheels in motion? Amanda, could you look at flights from YVR and advise Lori and the team at which time we could get the Minister into Courtney for the announcement?

We'll have to have him back into downtown Vancouver at 4:20 PM

JM

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 26, 2019 11:37 AM  
**To:** 'O'Brien, Stevie (PS/SP)'  
**Subject:** RE: interim housing for asylum seekers

That sounds great Stevie, I'll call you at 3PM your time (12:00 PM my time) on your cell.

Looking forward to connecting!

Cheers,

JM

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**From:** O'Brien, Stevie (PS/SP) <stevie.obrien@canada.ca>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 26, 2019 11:33 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: interim housing for asylum seekers

John,

Sorry for the delay getting back to you.

My day has somewhat run away with me. I am free from 3pm – 3:45pm (EST) today, which I know is last minute – alternately, we could look for time tomorrow.

My cell is                   s.22

Kindest regards,

Stevie

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX [<mailto:JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Monday, February 25, 2019 8:34 PM  
**To:** O'Brien, Stevie (PS/SP)  
**Subject:** RE: interim housing for asylum seekers

Hello Stevie,

First off, thanks for reaching out. Sorry to miss you today!

I'm glad to hear our letter found it's way to the right place, and would be happy to speak with you about BC's request for assistance.

Are you free for a call tomorrow? My schedule is flexible, so just let me know when would be best for you and I'll make it work.

You can reach me on my cell at 250-208-6051

Cheers,

JM

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**From:** O'Brien, Stevie (PS/SP) <[stevie.obrien@canada.ca](mailto:stevie.obrien@canada.ca)>

**Sent:** Monday, February 25, 2019 11:39 AM

**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <[JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca](mailto:JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** interim housing for asylum seekers

John,

Minister Hussen's office kindly forwarded your Minister's January 29<sup>th</sup> correspondence regarding the cost of interim housing for asylum claimants.

In his mandate letter, Minister Blair was given responsibility for irregular migration, and I would be happy to speak with you (or the appropriate person in your office) about BC's request for assistance.

Additionally, Minister Blair will be in Victoria next week, and we would like to schedule a meeting with your boss if he is available.

Let me know if you have time today or tomorrow for a call.

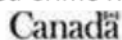
Kindest regards,

Stevie

**Stevie O'Brien**

Chief of Staff

Office of the Minister of Border Security and Organized Crime Reduction





## McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, February 25, 2019 2:18 PM  
**To:** Little, Christine JTT:EX  
**Cc:** Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Albrecht, Christine JTT:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Resource person from City of Morden, Manitoba invited to BC (Provincial Nominee Program) March 4-6

Hi Christine,

Yes I think the Minister would likely be interested in this conversation.

What's the best way to explore times / dates?

JM

> On Feb 25, 2019, at 2:12 PM, Little, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Little@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> JM - fyi, City of Morden, Manitoba staff person will be joining our staff at BCEDA workshop next week. Likely doesn't work for a meeting with MBR (unless perhaps over the phone), but happy to facilitate a discussion with you if its of interest.

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> Christine Little

> Assistant Deputy Minister

> Small Business, Jobs and Workforce

> Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology

> Phone: 778-698-1708

> Executive Assistant: Olivia.Young@gov.bc.ca

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Zehr, Deb JTT:EX

> Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 2:07 PM

> To: Little, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Little@gov.bc.ca>

> Cc: Albrecht, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Albrecht@gov.bc.ca>; Thomas, Bonnie L JTT:EX

<Bonnie.L.Thomas@gov.bc.ca>; Helander, Carling JTT:EX <Carling.Helander@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: Resource person from City of Morden, Manitoba invited to BC (Provincial Nominee Program) March 4-6

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> Hi Christine,

> As discussed, we have formally invited Shelly Voth, City of Morden, to join us as a resource person for our BCEDA workshop related to "Supporting Regional Economic Development Through Immigration" scheduled for Monday, Mar 4/19, 1:45 pm – 3 pm. We are looking at organizing a session for Branch staff to learn more about Manitoba's experience from a community perspective on Tuesday, March 5, time tbc. Finally, she will join the final BC PNP Entrepreneur Immigration Regional Pilot orientation for interested communities at our office Wednesday, March 6.

- >
- > Recall that the Minister and JM were interested in knowing if/when someone related to the Manitoba PNP approach is in town. Should there be interest in arranging a time to meet with Shelly, we can support in coordinating her availability while in B.C. Her bio follows.
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- > Thank you,
- > Deb
- >
- > SHELLY VOTH City of Morden
- > Shelly Voth is the Immigration Coordinator for the City of Morden's Community Driven Immigration Initiative, a program that was developed in partnership with the Manitoba Provincial Nominee Program to assist Morden's businesses in meeting their labour shortages. She also uses immigration planning to further Morden's economic growth in other areas such as business attraction and growth, settlement initiatives, and newcomer integration.
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- > Having joined the City of Morden in 2013, her previous experience includes private industry Human Resources, Human Resource Consultancy, and working as a licensed Immigration Consultant / business manager. Shelly has obtained a BA in Psychology from the University of Winnipeg, and diplomas in Immigration Consultancy and Human Resource Management from Humber College and Red River College respectively.

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 15, 2019 1:13 PM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** MM MBR Life Sciences Editorial 29 Jan 2019 \_V17  
**Attachments:** MM MBR Life Sciences Editorial 29 Jan 2019 \_V17.docx

Hello Lori,

I'm happy to report that this letter is approved with an edit from MBR towards the end. Changes tracked!

Cheers!

JM

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 14, 2019 4:27 PM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: SBBC Awards - Posterboard Design - Premier's People's Choice - for approval

Hi Lori, this poster board along with the website quote and the news release quote are all approved without changes.

Cheers,

JM

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 14, 2019 3:05 PM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** FW: SBBC Awards - Posterboard Design - Premier's People's Choice - for approval

Bringing to the top of your email.

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 12, 2019 11:44 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Cc:** Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: SBBC Awards - Posterboard Design - Premier's People's Choice - for approval

Hi JM – A couple of things on the SBBC Awards:

1. Program has updated the SBBC website and have used the Minister's quote from the Jan. 21 news release that went out. Here is the link: <https://www.smallbusinessroundtable.ca/programs/open-for-business-awards/> Scroll down and you will see the Minister's quote in green. All good from your side, please?
2. SBBC has a poster board for the Premier's People's Choice category to have at the Gala on the 21<sup>st</sup>. The finished poster will be 2' x 4' and will be set on an easel in the networking space. A copy of the creative for your approval is below.

Thanks,

Lori



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## **PREMIER'S PEOPLE'S CHOICE**



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Regards,

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 13, 2019 4:14 PM  
**To:** Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Robb, Amanda JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: JTT Media Request: January Labour Force Survey

Hi all,

The Minister is happy to accept this interview. Amanda, could you call Ward and see if there's a time on Friday that would not interfere with constituency business?

JM

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**From:** Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 13, 2019 3:41 PM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** JTT Media Request: January Labour Force Survey

Hi JM,

Is the Minister available in his constituency office on Friday to do an on-camera interview with Zee TV? They would like to discuss the January job numbers.

Thanks,

Courtney

### Reporter

Pretty Dhawan, Reporter  
Zee TV Canada  
TBD  
604-805-2574

**Deadline** ASAP

### Request

Zee TV would like to interview Minister Ralston about the new labour force survey. They want an in-person, on-camera interview in his constituency office on Friday, Feb. 15.

### Background

### Recommendation

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 8, 2019 12:28 PM  
**To:** Jillian.White@international.gc.ca  
**Subject:** Re: Minister Freeland in Vancouver

Hello Jillian,

Confirmed! A Tuesday evening meeting works well. Am I right to assume the meeting will be in Vancouver - or will Minister Freeland be in Victoria?

JM

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 8, 2019, at 9:29 AM, "[Jillian.White@international.gc.ca](mailto:Jillian.White@international.gc.ca)" <[Jillian.White@international.gc.ca](mailto:Jillian.White@international.gc.ca)> wrote:

Apologies, John-Michael for getting the email wrong. See below. Let me know if there is any interest or availability with your Minister.

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**From:** [Jillian.White@international.gc.ca](mailto:Jillian.White@international.gc.ca) <[Jillian.White@international.gc.ca](mailto:Jillian.White@international.gc.ca)>  
**Sent:** February 8, 2019 9:09 AM  
**To:** McColl, John H CITZ:EX <[John.McColl@gov.bc.ca](mailto:John.McColl@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Minister Freeland in Vancouver

Hi John-Michael,

I wanted to reach out as Minister Freeland will be in Vancouver on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. I know the last time we spoke you expressed that your Minister would like to meet with her. Recognizing that your Minister will be very busy with the first week back and Tuesday's Throne Speech, I wanted to let you know she has space either Tuesday evening 5-7 or Wednesday morning should your Minister be interested in meeting.

Please let me know if there is an interest.

Best,  
Jillian

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**Sent:** Friday, February 8, 2019 8:45 AM  
**To:** Campbell, Tracy JTT:EX  
**Cc:** Tan, Alyson JTT:EX  
**Subject:** Asia Trade Mission

Hi Tracey,

I hope you're well! Glen Lougheed got in touch to say there is someone named s.17  
s.17 I don't have all the details but the Minister is hoping you could touch base with Glen to  
investigate.

JM

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**Sent:** Wednesday, February 6, 2019 8:39 AM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX  
**Subject:** RE: News Release BCSIS/Career Paths -- For Review -- Requested Back Tuesday -- Feb. 5 -- end of day

Hi Lori,

This release is approved without changes.

JM

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 5, 2019 5:26 PM  
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**Subject:** RE: News Release BCSIS/Career Paths -- For Review -- Requested Back Tuesday -- Feb. 5 -- end of day

Hi JM – Any success with getting this NR reviewed today, please? We have all approvals for the quotes from the service providers and validator. Hoping to get this moved up for translation first thing tomorrow.

Thanks,

Lori

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 5, 2019 7:44 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; Tan, Alyson JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX  
**Subject:** News Release BCSIS/Career Paths -- For Review -- Requested Back Tuesday -- Feb. 5 -- end of day

Hi JM,

Attached is the NR for the BCSIS/Career Paths event. We are aiming for sign off by end of today, please as we still need to get this translated to Chinese and Punjabi as discussed.

Minister's quote is reflected in the attached and below for ease of reference.

"Moving to a new country can be overwhelming. New immigrants often experience barriers finding work, making friends, or adapting to the culture," said Bruce Ralston, Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology. "We are supporting newcomers with settlement services that address their needs and help make the transition to their new home successful." – NOT APPROVED

We still need to get David's quote approved, but I don't think it will change much. If it does, I will let you know.

Thanks,

Lori

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 5, 2019 10:05 AM  
**To:** Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX  
**Cc:** Plecas, Bobbi IGRS:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Provincial Trade Missions en China

Pierrette,

Thank you again for your quick work on this.

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Case closed.

Cheers,

JM

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**From:** Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, February 4, 2019 3:46 PM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** Plecas, Bobbi IGRS:EX <Bobbi.Plecas@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: Provincial Trade Missions en China

John-Michael:

IN answer to our question,

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Pierrette

## McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 3:39 PM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: DOT Event

Hi Lori,

Yes, I approve this release.

Cheers,

JM

### John Michael McColl

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 3:38 PM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: DOT Event

Hey JM – Is the quote in the attached OK please?

“B.C.’s tech sector holds incredible promise for young people looking to start a career, offering well-paid and engaging work,” said Bruce Ralston, Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology. “DOT helps students by giving them first-hand exposure to some of the innovative companies that are spurring economic growth on Vancouver Island and across the province.” **[NOT APPROVED]**

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 11:34 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: DOT Event

Hi – sorry to bother on this again, but I am looking for your feedback on the below/attached, please.

Thanks,

Lori

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX

**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 8:34 AM

**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX

**Subject:** RE: DOT Event

Hi JM,

I wanted to make sure you fine folks received this request OK yesterday, and remind you of the 10:00 a.m. deadline this morning.

Thank you,

Lori

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX

**Sent:** Thursday, January 31, 2019 1:51 PM

**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

**Cc:** McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX

**Subject:** DOT Event

Hi – Attached is the NR for the upcoming DOT event. It has a quote from Minister Mark and Minister Ralston. Not sure if Minister Mark is attending, but AEST gave some funding toward the event too. May I please get approval on this quote by tomorrow morning – 10:00 a.m.? Sorry for the rush!

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Thanks,

Lori

## McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 11:24 AM  
**To:** Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX  
**Subject:** Updates

Minister,

I have a couple of updates for you whenever you have a chance to call, I will fill you in.

JM



## McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

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**From:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 10:38 AM  
**To:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Connecting today

Yes, absolutely!! Give me a call now – or anytime today that works for you!

JM

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**From:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, February 1, 2019 10:38 AM  
**To:** McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** Connecting today

Hi JM – do you have time for a call today? Am working on material for Feb. 12, have a couple of questions for you.

Thanks,  
Cara