

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Ralston, Bruce EMPR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Special Milestone Event at YXX
Date: December 20, 2019 1:14:00 PM
Attachments: 1M event.pdf

Would you be interested in attending the below event on Dec 30th?

Krystal

From: Parm Sidhu <psidhu@abbotsford.ca>
Sent: December 20, 2019 8:41 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Special Milestone Event at YXX

Hi Krystal,

YXX will be hosting a special milestone (1 million passenger mark, I did tell the Minister about this milestone at our lunch in early December) event on December 30th:

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- See parking map attached, and the event will take place in the arrivals hall in the terminal

Minister Ralston has attended similar events in the past – can he attend this event and say a few words?

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Airport General Manager
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Abbotsford, BC V2T 6H5
www.abbotsfordairport.ca



From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Parm Sidhu; McNish, James JBB:EX
Cc: Swabo, Maria JDC:EX
Subject: RE: Special Milestone Event at YXX December 30th, 2019
Date: December 20, 2019 1:13:00 PM

Hi Parm,

Thanks for letting us know about this! I've asked Minister Ralston if he's able to go. We will let you know as soon as possible.

Cheers,
Krystal

From: Parm Sidhu <psidhu@abbotsford.ca>
Sent: December 20, 2019 1:06 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Special Milestone Event at YXX December 30th, 2019

Hi Krystal and James,

See official info below/attached, let us know, if Minister Ralston can attend and say a few words.

Best regards,

Parm



YOU ARE INVITED

The Abbotsford International Airport (YXX) will soon be celebrating a record-breaking milestone. To recognize this achievement, you are invited to join them in the celebration on the following date and time:

- December 30th, 2019
- Registration opens at 7:45 am
- Formal event starts at 8 am sharp and ends at 8:35 am
- Media interviews from 8:35 am to 9 am
- Event location: Arrivals Hall in the terminal
- Parking in the Tradex Exhibitor lot (see attached map)
- **Coffee/refreshments will be available before/after the event**

No RSVP is required.



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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: LEO Pharma
Date: December 20, 2019 12:12:30 PM

Passing this off to you.

This is Maryam from MetaOptima. She's the one who was waiting to hear from Dr. winter but apparently never heard from him. Dr. winter said he'd reach out though.

KT

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX" <Bruce.Ralston@gov.bc.ca>
Date: November 25, 2019 at 11:35:30 AM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: LEO Pharma

She may be referring to the Innovation Commissioner Let's discuss

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 25, 2019, at 11:28 AM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Just received the below reply from Maryam. How would you like me to proceed?

KT

From: Maryam Sadeghi <maryam@metaoptima.com>
Sent: November 25, 2019 11:25 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: LEO Pharma

Dear Krystal,

Thank you for your email. I'll follow up with Niclas and will keep you posted about potential opportunities with them. Many thanks for connecting us.

I was also planning to follow up with Minister Raslton this week regarding the conversation we had about the innovation and regulatory challenges

in Canada compared to the international markets. He mentioned that there is a new Innovation entity in the government that can help with reviewing and improving our policies and procedures in Canada to support our economic growth and global success. I'd love to contact them and share our feedback and the insight that we have extracted from working with over 20 countries in our short experience.

I'm also hoping to connect with the Minister of Health if we can contribute to improving our innovation ecosystem as well as the outcome for our patients and doctors while saving cost for the system.

Best,
Maryam

Maryam Sadeghi, Ph.D. | CEO and Cofounder



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On Thurs, Nov 21, 2019 at 3:11 PM Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Maryam,

I hope you are well. Minister Ralston and I had the pleasure of attending a seminar last week with participation of the Head of Trade for Denmark in Canada, the University of Victoria and **LEO Pharma** on establishing an Open Innovation collaborative initiative.

LEO Pharma is a global pharmaceutical company that specializes in skin health and thrombosis. Open Innovation allows any organization insights and access to LEO's research tools to test their molecules for disease-relevant effects, but without the obligation for a partner to disclose confidential information (such as molecular structure) or to license intellectual property to LEO Pharma. Given the company's specialty and their desire to collaborate, Minister Ralston of course thought of you and MetaOptima. He asked that I pass along to you the contact info for LEO Pharma's Head of Open Innovation, Niclas Nilsson.

His email is niclas.nilsson@leo-pharma.com. Niclas was happy to hear I'd pass along his contact info and is keen to connect with you.

I'm happy to chat more on the phone about LEO Pharma if you have any questions. Please do let me know if you reach out! Minister Ralston will be pleased to hear about the discussions that come from this.

All the best,
Krystal

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd:s.13; s.17
Date: December 20, 2019 12:11:01 PM
Attachments: ATT00001.htm
ATT00002.htm
s.13; s.17
ATT00003.htm

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Dan Ouimet <douimet@futurapreneur.ca>
Date: December 11, 2019 at 1:54:57 PM PST
To: "Krystal Thomson (Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca)"
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Charles Barone <cbarone@futurapreneur.ca>
Subject: s.13; s.17

Krystal,

I hope this note finds you well as we head into the holiday season!

We have ^{s.13; s.17} and hoping to get your feedback.

I had also mentioned to Jon and Liam that I would include them in the conversation on this but just wanted to see if you had any thoughts first.

Perhaps we could plan on a call sometime next week?

Look forward to hearing back when you have a moment.

Best regards,
Dan



From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Hill, Robert LASS:EX
Cc: McNish, James IRR:EX
Subject: Re: Gas price transparency
Date: December 20, 2019 12:09:25 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Thanks, Rob.^{s.22}
email about it!

but I trust James is on this if you sent him an

Cheers,
KT

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2019, at 11:41 AM, Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Krystal,

I think the next step would be for Nic to meet with Bruce Ralston... I think that's our 'ask' (I sent James McNish an email about this).

I think our community would like to see the BCUC, under the new Act, use Powell River as a 'test case' for looking at why gas prices are so high here.

Robert (Rob) Hill | Constituency Assistant | Nicholas Simons, MLA for Powell River-Sunshine Coast | He/Him

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We acknowledge that we are living and working on the traditional lands of the Tla'amin, Klahoose, shíshálh, Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish), Hamalco, and the Wei Wai Kum/Kwiahk Nations who have lived here since time immemorial.

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From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, December 19, 2019 11:40 AM
To: Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: Tournat, Kim <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: FW: Gas price transparency

Hi Rob – how was the town hall? Anything we ought to know?

Thanks,
KT

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX

Sent: December 12, 2019 11:33 AM

To: 'Hill, Robert' <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>; Simons, Nicholas <s.17>

Cc: Tournat, Kim LASS:EX <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: FW: Gas price transparency

Hi Rob,

I've attached some greetings for the town hall! Does MLA Simons have everything he requires? I can provide Q&A, statements, etc. Let me know!

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: December 11, 2019 2:31 PM

To: Simons, Nicholas <s.17>

Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX

<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Tournat, Kim LASS:EX <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: FW: Gas price transparency

We are having a town hall on gas prices in Powell River... basically, folks can come and share their frustrations around the gas prices in Powell River and how it has affected them, etc.

We are hoping Minister Ralston can provide a statement about the town hall – bringing greetings, how he's looking forward to seeing the results of the town hall and the information collected, etc.

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From: Simons, Nicholas s.17

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 1:21 PM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>; Tournat, Kim <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Fwd: FW: Gas price transparency

Hi Krystal, I would LOVE to read a message from the honourable Minister. Thanks!
Nicholas

From: "Tournat, Kim" <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 12:05 p.m.

To: "Simons, Nicholas" s.17

Subject: FW: Gas price transparency

FYI

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

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX [<mailto:Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 11:50 AM

To: Simons.MLA, Nicholas <Nicholas.Simons.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Gas price transparency

Hi Rob,

James said you wanted some sort of statement from Minister Ralston for a gas price transparency town hall? Let me know what you're looking for and I'll get it underway.

Thanks,
Krystal

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)
Date: December 20, 2019 12:07:43 PM

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Walters, Hailey JTT:EX" <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 19, 2019 at 3:32:52 PM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)

Hey Krystal, can you help with this?

Thanks
Hailey

From: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 19, 2019 11:16 AM
To: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)

Hi,

CB sent a question to Maria back in November and its still pending. Can you assist?

Question: The writer of the attached letter refers to a conversation with Minister Ralston where the Minister would contact the Engineers and Geoscientists BC (EGBC) on his behalf. Staff are asking if the Minister contacted EGBC, and they would like the letter to be redirected to the Attorney General as the Engineers and Geoscientists BC is accountable to the public through the Ministry of Attorney General. Please advise how we should proceed.

Thanks!

Lindsay

From: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: December 10, 2019 2:25 PM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)

Hi Maria, Following up on this again pls.

Thanks.
Lisa

From: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: November 25, 2019 9:00 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)

Hi Maria,
Following up on my email below. Thank you.

Lisa Butler

From: Butler, Lisa M JTT:EX <Lisa.Butler@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: November 7, 2019 8:34 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Correspondence Services JTT:EX <JTT.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Email to Minister Ralston from s.22 (Cliff 146661/eApps 735)

Hi Maria,
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Thank you.
Lisa

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#); [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Special Milestone Event at YXX
Date: December 20, 2019 11:37:00 AM
Attachments: 1M event.pdf

From: Parm Sidhu <psidhu@abbotsford.ca>
Sent: December 20, 2019 8:43 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Special Milestone Event at YXX

Sorry, I forgot to include James on the email below.

From: Parm Sidhu
Sent: Friday, December 20, 2019 8:41 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Special Milestone Event at YXX

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Denis, Sheila LASS:EX](#)
Cc: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: PNP designation for constituents
Date: December 20, 2019 11:33:50 AM

Thanks very much, Sheila. We're on it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2019, at 4:22 PM, Denis, Sheila <Sheila.Denis@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Krystal,

Please find attached the Nomination Certificate with birth date of applicant,^{s.22}
s.22

Many thanks.

Sheila Denis Constituency Assistant to
MLA Laurie Throness, Chilliwack-Kent
604-858-5299 Sheila.Denis@leg.bc.ca

From: Denis, Sheila
Sent: Thursday, December 19, 2019 3:53 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Throness, Laurie s.17
Subject: FW: PNP designation for constituents

Hi Krystal,

Please find attached the signed consent form.

Kind regards,

Sheila Denis Constituency Assistant to
MLA Laurie Throness, Chilliwack-Kent
604-858-5299 Sheila.Denis@leg.bc.ca

From: Throness, Laurie
Sent: Thursday, December 19, 2019 3:45 PM
To: Denis, Sheila <Sheila.Denis@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: PNP designation for constituents

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX [<mailto:Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Thursday, December 19, 2019 1:54 PM
To: Throness, Laurie s.17
Cc: Holmes, Coletta <Coletta.Holmes@leg.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: PNP designation for constituents

Hi MLA Throness,

Thank you for this information.

I have attached the *Certificate of Authority to Obtain Personal Information*. As soon as it is signed by the constituents, I will get our PNP staff to look into this.

Many thanks,
Krystal

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From: Throness, Laurie s.17
Sent: December 19, 2019 1:08 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Holmes, Coletta LASS:EX <Coletta.Holmes@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: PNP designation for constituents

Hi Krystal, further to my phone call, and just to recap in case you want to forward this email to someone, my constituents are:

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Thanks for considering this
Laurie

s.22

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: PNP designation for constituents
Date: December 20, 2019 11:33:37 AM
Attachments: s.22

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Denis, Sheila" <Sheila.Denis@leg.bc.ca>
Date: December 19, 2019 at 4:21:56 PM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: PNP designation for constituents

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Subject: FW: PNP designation for constituents

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Thanks for considering this
Laurie

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Lund, Rose FIN:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Computer ID
Date: December 20, 2019 10:36:40 AM

It is! Sorry for the delay.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2019, at 10:08 AM, Lund, Rose FIN:EX <Rose.Lund@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

One more thing! Your IDIR is^{s.15}

Rose

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 20, 2019 9:59 AM
To: Lund, Rose FIN:EX <Rose.Lund@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Computer ID

Hi Rose,

I think it's^{s.15} Does that make sense?

Thanks,
Krystal

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2019, at 9:27 AM, Lund, Rose FIN:EX <Rose.Lund@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Krystal,

I need your computer ID to complete your transfer. I spoke with Amanda and she did not have it. This number will either be on the back of your surface or the side of your desk top.

Thanks so much,
Rose

Rose Lund | Administrative Assistant
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rose.lund@gov.bc.ca

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Lund, Rose FIN:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Computer ID
Date: December 20, 2019 9:58:59 AM

Hi Rose,

I think it's s.15 Does that make sense?

Thanks,
Krystal

Sent from my iPhone

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: REVISED EMAIL-----RUSH IF POSSIBLE: FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS and APPROVAL - JTT-2019-96163 (all emails - May 2019-September) | 20 pages | due by Dec. 24
Date: December 19, 2019 3:50:00 PM

Thanks! Approved by JTT MO.

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 19, 2019 3:21 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: REVISED EMAIL-----RUSH IF POSSIBLE: FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS and APPROVAL - JTT-2019-96163 (all emails - May 2019-September) | 20 pages | due by Dec. 24

Please disregard my previous email—The request wording was incorrect. The revised request wording is below.

Sorry for the short notice, but the LDD for this file is Dec. 27th.

Please send approval/comments to FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca by **Tuesday, December 24, 2019.**, sooner If possible

Request Wording:

- *Records of any and all emails (sent and received with attachments); text messages; BBMs; slack messages; WhatsApp messages, and/or other SMS/messaging applications communications related to the Minister's meeting with the Consul-General of China on July 5, 2019. Restrict search to Minister, Minister's Office, Deputy Minister, and Deputy Minister's Office director level and above. (Date Range for Record Search: From 05/01/2019 To 09/15/2019)*

- **Note for Reviewers:**

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- This package will be published on Open

Thank you.

Danny Courcy, Senior FOI Analyst

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#); [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Communications Plan s.13
Date: December 19, 2019 3:46:20 PM

Still being discussed!

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2019, at 3:23 PM, Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Krystal,

Curious if this will be pitched in the new year?

Thanks,

Lori

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: November 26, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Communications Plan s.13

Hi Krystal,

As promised, attached is a communications plan^{s.13}
s.13 that we discussed.

Let me know if you have any questions.

s.22

LC

s.13

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX
Cc: McNish, James IRR:EX
Subject: RE: RUSH IF POSSIBLE: FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS and APPROVAL - JTT-2019-96163 (all emails - May 2019-September)| 20 pages | due by Dec. 24
Date: December 19, 2019 3:05:00 PM

The attachment doesn't match the request. Please advise.

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Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Lund, Rose FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: First Day of Finance
Date: December 19, 2019 12:23:00 PM

Hi Rose,

Thank you so much! No questions at this time. Looking forward to coming aboard.

Cheers,
Krystal

From: Lund, Rose FIN:EX <Rose.Lund@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 19, 2019 11:57 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX <Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: First Day of Finance

Hi Krystal,

Welcome to Finance! ^{s.22} I have scheduled you some meetings that day to meet our team and learn what is happening in our ministry.

Meet and Greet:

8:45am-9:00am: Meet with Robyn Spilker

DMO: 617 Government Street

9:30am-9:45am: Meet with Jennifer Michell, Director Executive Operations & Strategic Initiatives

9:45-10:15: Meet with Policy Legislative Division (PLD) staff from Tax Policy and FREDA branches

10:15-10:30: Meet with ADM Heather Wood from Treasury Board

GCPE: Meet in Room 153

1:00-1:30: Meet with Lisa Leslie, Comms. Director

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,
Rose

Rose Lund | Administrative Assistant
Honourable Carole James | Minister of Finance, Deputy Premier
Room 153, Parliament Buildings | Phone: (250) 419-8997 | rose.lund@gov.bc.ca

From: [Khaira, Manjit IGRS:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Periwal, Sukumar IGRS:EX](#); [Vinette, Nicole IGRS:EX](#); [Jordan, Annette IGRS:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Citizen's Association for the Celebration of Canada-China Diplomatic Relations
Date: December 19, 2019 7:54:15 AM

Hi Krystal - I haven't heard of this group and I'm looping in Sukumar as well for his input. It appears to be a community group s.13; s.16
s.13; s.16

Manjit Khaira
Mobile: 250.883.4421

On Dec 17, 2019, at 10:55 AM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Manjit,

Some Ministers are getting requests for a meeting with the Citizen's Association for the Celebration of Canada-China Diplomatic Relations. I'm wondering if IGRS is familiar with the group s.16

Many thanks,
Krystal

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From: [McNish, James JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Budget speeches
Date: December 18, 2019 2:14:14 PM

Thanks!

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On Dec 18, 2019, at 1:57 PM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

2019: <https://www.bcbudget.gov.bc.ca/2019/speech.htm>

2018: https://bcbudget.gov.bc.ca/2018/speech/2018_Budget_Speech.pdf

2017: https://www.bcbudget.gov.bc.ca/2017/speech/BudgetSpeech_2017.pdf

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From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX; "Cheryl Wirch-Ryckman"
Cc: Christine Lewis; Catherine Holt
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community
Date: December 18, 2019 2:13:00 PM

Hi Cheryl,

Catherine had asked that Minister Ralston talk about the provincial government's priorities and objectives, especially those related to small business. Would that still suffice?

Many thanks,
Krystal

From: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 18, 2019 1:33 PM
To: 'Cheryl Wirch-Ryckman' <operations@victoriachamber.ca>
Cc: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>; Catherine Holt <ceo@victoriachamber.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Cheryl,

Great, I will firm up **January 22nd 12:00-1:00PM** at the Hotel Grand Pacific in Minister Ralston's calendar.

I am looping in our MA, Krystal Thomson, who has been working with Christine Lewis on this event. She should be able to provide topics as I don't have the original request from your group.

Thanks again,

Amanda Robb

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To: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>; Catherine Holt <ceo@victoriachamber.ca>
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Amanda,

Thank you so much for this opportunity. We have reserved space at the Hotel Grand Pacific and look forward to hosting a luncheon with Minister Ralston on Jan 22nd.

In order to make sure we're correctly promoting Minister Ralston's event, and getting the right business leaders in the room to hear the message, could you share with us key topics that the minister will be talking about.

Thank you so much for your help and happy holidays,

Cheryl Wirch-Ryckman, Director of Operations | The Chamber

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Sent: December 18, 2019 11:14 AM
To: Cheryl Wirch-Ryckman <operations@victoriachamber.ca>
Cc: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Redirecting per Christine's s.22

Thank you ,

Amanda Robb

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Sent: December 18, 2019 11:05 AM
To: 'Christine Lewis' <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>
Cc: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Christine,

Hope this finds you well and enjoying the festive season.

As we finalize Minister Ralston's start of 2020, I'd like to suggest Wednesday **January 22nd at 12:00PM** for consideration to have him speak at a luncheon hosted by Victoria Chamber. Hopefully this will work on your end; this will be the only date he is in Victoria until the House sits in February.

If you can also send a copy of the original invite request as well so I can share topics, agenda and any other logistics?

Thanks kindly,

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Sent: October 29, 2019 12:20 PM
To: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Amanda

Thank you for your email. Unfortunately the 26th will not work. Could we look at dates in January 2020? Look forward to hearing from you.

Christine

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 28, 2019, at 5:39 PM, Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Christine,

My apologies for the delay in getting back to you on a possible date. Unfortunately, I don't have many dates to offer while the Minister is here in Victoria during November/December.

Would you and your team be available on **November 26th from 12:15-12:45PM?**

Let me know if we can secure this date/time otherwise we can work on finding another mutually available option.

Kindest regards,

Amanda Robb

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From: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>

Sent: October 7, 2019 1:00 PM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Amanda

Here is a rough timeline for you for the lunch

Noon lunch begins (we will pick a hotel close to the Legislature)

12:15 Minister speaks.

12:30 q & a

12:45 thank you.

Mid to late November or first week of Dec anytime on a Tuesday Wed or Thurs. just let us know some dates that work for his schedule. Also happy to change up the timeline to meet his needs.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Christine

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 7, 2019, at 12:22 PM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Christine,

I'm looping in our administrative coordinator, Amanda. She will gladly help us find a time that works.

Amanda: Minister Ralston has accepted an invitation to speak at a Victoria Chamber of Commerce luncheon on a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday in November or early December. There are more details below.

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>

Sent: October 7, 2019 12:19 PM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Wonderful. Is there a Tues Wed or Thurs in November or early December that would work for his schedule? We can ensure he is back to the Legislature by 1pm. Typically lunches start at noon. I can send you a draft timeline if you prefer too.

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On Oct 7, 2019, at 12:00 PM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Christine,

Yes, Minister Ralston would be happy to speak at one of your upcoming events. Can you pass along some potential dates?

Thank you,
Krystal

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From: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>
Sent: October 4, 2019 10:42 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Good morning,

Our CEO, Catherine Holt, recently met you and your minister at the Diplomat Reception at the University of Victoria. She has asked me to follow-up with you regarding our invitation to Minister Ralston to speak at an event. I am attaching a copy of the official invitation for your ease of reference.

We would be happy to accommodate him whenever he is available and know that his portfolio would be of great interest to our members.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

Christine

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Farewell!
Date: December 18, 2019 11:52:30 AM

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Enjoy your holidays!

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Krystal

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From: [Wempe, Sarah JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#); [Lewthwaite, Jennifer MAH:EX](#)
Subject: Jan 25 | Port Moody Inlet Theatre
Date: December 18, 2019 11:50:01 AM

Hi Krystal

I'm attempting to get the Inlet Theatre booked for ^{s.13} and I'm hoping you can help me with who I can put down as the lead/contact for this event.

Also, will there be a need for any setup/IT requirements?

Thanks for your help!

From: Lewthwaite, Jennifer JTT:EX <Jennifer.Lewthwaite@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 18, 2019 11:42 AM
To: Wempe, Sarah JTT:EX <Sarah.Wempe@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Draft: Port Moody^{s.13}

Maybe this will help?

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 18, 2019 11:29 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Glumac, Rick JTT:EX <Rick.Glumac@gov.bc.ca>; Brownsey, Silas JTT:EX <Silas.Brownsey@gov.bc.ca>; Lewthwaite, Jennifer JTT:EX <Jennifer.Lewthwaite@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
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Thanks,
KT

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Goal	

Potential Partners	
Participants	
Desired Audience	
Date	
Location	Inlet Theatre (capacity = 200 people)
Media Outreach	s.13
Outstanding items	

From: [Lewthwaite, Jennifer JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Brownsey, Silas MAH:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Draft: Port Moody;s.13
Date: December 18, 2019 11:42:24 AM

Just an fyi – our office is working on securing the venue. We’ve had initial emails and they had a few logistical questions we are working through.

Jen

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Farewell!
Date: December 18, 2019 11:41:11 AM

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Jen

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Sent: December 18, 2019 11:34 AM
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From: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX
To: Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community
Date: December 18, 2019 10:19:25 AM
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I offered them a date in November that didn't work so they suggested a date in January 2020 (attached) - because this was back in October and we didn't know how January would be looking with Leave etc. it is still up in the air. He is here one day in January (the 22nd) - would you like me to reach out and try for that?

Amanda Robb

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Sent: December 18, 2019 9:49 AM
To: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

What ever happened to Bruce attending the Victoria chamber?

From: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>
Sent: October 28, 2019 10:38 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Hi Krystal,

Just circling back to talk about potential dates for a luncheon. As we are now almost at November – can you provide some dates in either early December or January, 2020 that would work for Minister Ralston.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Christine

Christine Lewis,

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On Oct 7, 2019, at 12:00 PM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Christine,

Yes, Minister Ralston would be happy to speak at one of your upcoming events. Can you pass along some potential dates?

Thank you,
Krystal

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From: Christine Lewis <ChristineLewis@victoriachamber.ca>
Sent: October 4, 2019 10:42 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Invitation to Minister Ralston to speak to Victoria Business Community

Good morning,

Our CEO, Catherine Holt, recently met you and your minister at the Diplomat Reception at the University of Victoria. She has asked me to follow-up with you regarding our invitation to Minister Ralston to speak at an event. I am attaching a copy of the official invitation for your ease of reference.

We would be happy to accommodate him whenever he is available and know that his portfolio would be of great interest to our members.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

Christine

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From: [Chang, Johann GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Reporter called in so hop back on the call?
Date: December 18, 2019 9:49:06 AM

I am back! Thanks!

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Sent: December 18, 2019 9:48 AM
To: Chang, Johann GCPE:EX
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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Wolfe, Seamus AEST:EX](#)
Subject: RE: UBC Health Science Centre
Date: December 18, 2019 9:42:00 AM

Hey Seamus – where did we land with this?

KT

From: Wolfe, Seamus AEST:EX <Seamus.Wolfe@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: November 7, 2019 3:05 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Harder, Derrick AG:EX <Derrick.Harder@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Jessica C AG:EX <Jessica.C.Smith@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: UBC Health Science Centre

Hello Teams Eby and Ralston,

We would like to find a date that would work for the both of you to officially open the new UBC Health Science Centre in January.

Can you please provide me some dates that might work from your end – and I will try to find one that overlaps.

Alternatively, you two could just talk to each other and propose a date that works.

Minister Mark will attend if she is able^{s.13}
Same goes for Minister Dix.

Thanks,

Seamus Wolfe

Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Melanie Mark
Minister of Advanced Education, Skills and Training
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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#); [Brownsey, Silas MAH:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Port Moody s.13
Date: December 17, 2019 3:41:55 PM

Thanks, Lori! Not officially pitched but it's on PO's radar. Once we confirm more details I'll do a pitch. I just want to get the venue booked ASAP. Can you please let know when the venue is confirmed?

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> On Dec 17, 2019, at 3:39 PM, Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hi Krystal,
>
> I talked with Jennifer Lewthwaite and someone on the JTT program team is going to book the venue.
>
> I also want to flag that once I confirm this in the corporate calendar it may raise inquiries at GCPE HQ. Has this initiative been pitched?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Lori
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
> Sent: December 17, 2019 3:29 PM
> To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
> Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Brownsey, Silas JTT:EX <Silas.Brownsey@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
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> Subject: Re: Port Moody s.13

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Subject: RE: Port Moody s.13
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From: [Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Fed MO Contact
Date: December 17, 2019 1:29:27 PM

Brilliant! Thank you very much, Krystal.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 17, 2019 1:23 PM
To: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fed MO Contact

Oh, weird. Sorry about that. Here!

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Sent: December 17, 2019 1:22 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fed MO Contact

Thanks, Krystal. I'm not seeing the contact info you mentioned below (Bahadur's). Am I missing something in the thread?

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 17, 2019 1:17 PM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fed MO Contact

Daniela,

Our AC has been using the contact below to get the contact info for MOs. She says Bahadur will gladly help you get in touch with who you need!

KT

From: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 17, 2019 1:07 PM
To: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Fed MO Contact

Hey Daniela,

No luck with me, I don't have any contacts in that office.

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On Dec 17, 2019, at 1:02 PM, Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi James and Krystal,

Any chance you have contact info from someone at Minister Joly's office? Feel free to call me if you have any questions.

--

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx
Date: December 16, 2019 2:33:27 PM

No problem – I'll follow up. Thanks!

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 2:21 PM
To: Wieczorek, Chris AGRI:EX <Chris.Wieczorek@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

Wasn't fully paying attention – this is actually AEST!

Thanks,
KT

From: Wieczorek, Chris AGRI:EX <Chris.Wieczorek@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 1:40 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

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On it!

From: Wieczorek, Chris AGRI:EX <Chris.Wieczorek@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 12:51 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

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Chris

From: Jozef Hubburmin <jozef.hubburmin@freshdirectproduce.com>
Sent: December 10, 2019 6:02 PM
To: Minister, AGRI AGRI:EX <AGR.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

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Regards,

Jozef

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Ivy.

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx
Date: December 16, 2019 2:19:31 PM
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Hi Krystal, the BC Employer Training Grant is actually with AEST. I think this with be Michael Snodden who could help with the bullet coordinating. And I believe Julie Turner is now in the DMO there, s.22

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 1:05 PM
To: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX <Lorna.Hay@gov.bc.ca>
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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: A couple projects
Date: December 16, 2019 1:21:14 PM

Gotcha,

MBR has been asking about it but if Maria has been working on it there is no point to double up efforts. Plus, really QP will be when it actually needs to be ready.

How's it going for you,^{s.22}

s.22

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 16, 2019, at 11:44 AM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

>

> Maria was working on the riding profile note. Not sure how far she got. Is it urgent that I complete it this week

s.22

>

> Throne speeches attached.

>

> KT

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

> From: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>

> Sent: December 16, 2019 10:58 AM

> To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX
<Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: RE: A couple projects

>

> Good Morning!

>

> I wanted to check in on how the riding by riding note on successful companies/companies we've visited is coming.

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> Also can I get a copy of all of our throne speeches.

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> Thanks,

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> -j

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

> From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

> Sent: December 3, 2019 10:20 AM

> To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: RE: A couple projects

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> Ok, we're on it. Re: speech -- can I bring GCPE in on this? Awaiting details.

>

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

> From: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>

> Sent: December 3, 2019 9:59 AM

> To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX

<Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: A couple projects

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> Hey team,

>

> I have a couple projects for you two to work on.

>

> 1. I'd like a riding by riding note on:

> A) successful local companies

> B) companies that MBR has visited

>

> The goal is for MBR to be able to respond to opposition question and be able to easily access the list and say to MLA X, I've visited company Y and seen the success in region Z. s.13

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> Let me know if you have any questions :)

>

> Project 2:

>

> MBR has been asked to give a 40 min speech to some bankers at RBC next Thursday.

>

> Krystal I'd like to you to spearhead the speech. We don't have a lot of time and we'll need to have a draft made quick so we can have a couple rounds of feedback with MBR and Finance.

>

> I'll flip you the details on the event and we should chat about how to proceed once I'm out of this meeting.

>

> Talk soon,

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> -James

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Subject: RE: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx
Date: December 16, 2019 1:05:43 PM
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Regards,

Jozef



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Sent: December 10, 2019 3:51 PM

To: Jozef Hubburmin <jozef.hubburmin@freshdirectproduce.com>

Subject: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

Hi Jozef,

Please find attached the ETG info as requested. If any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,
Ivy.

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Hay, Lorna JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx
Date: December 16, 2019 1:04:00 PM
Attachments: image001.png
2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

Hi Lorna,

s.22 so can I please have staff look into the below issue (highlighted) and have them send back a few bullets to me?

Thanks,
KT

From: Wieczorek, Chris AGRI:EX <Chris.Wieczorek@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 12:51 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 2019 ETG Breakdown (Jan - Dec 2019).xlsx

Hi Krys,

Wanted to loop you in on this as I know^{s.22} MLP sat beside these folks at an event last week and they had some questions about an application they made for the BC Employer Training Grant (which I believe is in JTT). Would staff on your end be able to look into this for us and send back a few bullets that we could use to follow up with Jozef?

Let me know if you need anything more on my end, and thanks,
Chris

From: Jozef Hubburmin <jozef.hubburmin@freshdirectproduce.com>
Sent: December 10, 2019 6:02 PM
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From: [Padgett, David MAH:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: Automatic reply: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: JTT-2019-97168 (MA Emails Aug-2019) : Pls respond by November 21
Date: December 16, 2019 1:02:10 PM

Thank you for your email.

s.22 For any FOI-related matters, please
contact Vicki Hudson, FOI Manager or send an email to foi.inbox.gov.bc.ca.

For any Records Management related matters please contact Jennifer Mohan, Records Manager.

Thank you,
David Padgett

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Hay, Lorna JEDC:EX
Subject: RE: Urgent Files for JTT MO
Date: December 16, 2019 12:24:00 PM

Hi Lorna,

Working on FOIs today.

Lost the crumb trail on some of these:

JTT-2019-96342: I believe Maria sent in a fee estimate for 05/01-05/07, but I'm not sure where we are now. Can you please advise?

JTT-2019-96462: James sent in a fee estimate for 06/01-06/30. Not sure if the request was narrowed or fee was approved?

JTT-2019-95509: Maria sent in a fee estimate for 04/04-04/05, but I'm not sure if the request was narrowed or approved?

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX <Lorna.Hay@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 1:36 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Urgent Files for JTT MO

Hi Krystal,

Sending a list of the urgent files with MO. If you are able to move any of these through, that would be great! If you need information on any files, I can have FOI follow up.

Thank you,

Tracking #	Request Wording	LDD	What's required
JTT-2019-96342	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister's Executive Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. (Date Range for Record Search: From 05/01/2019 To 05/31/2019)	On hold for fees	Seeking response to narrowing request from applicant
JTT-2019-96817	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister's Executive Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. Email search is limited to the individual's outlook account. (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2019 To 09/30/2019)	05-Dec-19	Seeking records response from Minister's Office
JTT-2019-97073	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister's Executive Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. Exclude TNO records. Email search is limited to the individual's outlook account. (Date Range for Record Search: From 06/01/2019 To 06/30/2019)	13-Dec-19	Seeking records response from Minister's Office
JTT-2019-97168	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. Please exclude TNO records. Email search is limited to the individual's outlook account. (Date Range for Record Search: 08/01/2019 To 08/31/2019)	16-Dec-19	Seeking records response from Minister's Office
JTT-2019-97221	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister's Senior Ministerial Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. Please exclude TNO records. Email search is limited to the individual's outlook account. (Date Range for Record Search: From 07/01/2019 To 07/31/2019)	17-Dec-19	Seeking records response from Minister's Office
JTT-2019-97287	Records of any and all emails - excluding attachments - sent or received by the Minister/Minister of State. Please exclude TNO records. Email search is limited to the individual's outlook account. (Date Range for Record Search: From 08/01/2019 To 08/31/2019)	18-Dec-19	Seeking records response from Minister's Office
JTT-2019-95761	Records of any and all emails - sent and received with attachments, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, WhatsApp messages, and/or other SMS/messaging applications communications related to the August 2019 labour release statistics. Restrict search to Minister and Minister's Office. (Date Range for Record Search: From 06/15/2019 To 09/15/2019)	13-Jan-20	Received records from James, but email attachments were not included. The applicant has advised they will not consent to further extensions so we will need these attachments asap so that we can begin processing the file to have everything done by January.
	All records and communications - including emails (sent and received; excluding TNOs; exclude attachments), text messages, slack messages, WhatsApp messages, and/or other SMS/messaging		

JTT-2019-96778	applications' communications – and documents related to the reported direction from the Minister of Finance to all ministries to "begin examining discretionary spending in budget to look for savings that can be put into contingencies" (Times Colonist - September 26, 2019) including but not limited to travel, consulting contracts, and office expenses. Restrict search to Minister's Offices and Deputy Minister's Offices. (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2019 To 10/11/2019)	13-Jan-20	Seeking records response from Minister's Office (LDD is in January as applicant has consented to an extension, but this will make further extensions harder to procure)
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From: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#); [Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Farewell!
Date: December 16, 2019 11:59:20 AM

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Best of luck with your transition.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 11:35 AM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>
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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#); [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#); [Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Farewell!
Date: December 16, 2019 11:54:24 AM

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Courtney

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
Sent: December 16, 2019 11:35 AM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>
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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Farewell!
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Sent: December 16, 2019 11:35 AM
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From: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Farewell!
Date: December 16, 2019 11:38:05 AM

Hi Krystal,

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Lori

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 11:35 AM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>
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To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Cc: [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Small Business Awards
Date: December 16, 2019 11:36:00 AM

It was sent to the JTT inbox. I was cc'd. I'll make sure Hailey cliffed it. Thanks!

From: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 11:36 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Small Business Awards

Hey Krystal,

Did we get an invite to the SBBC Awards from Tom Conway?

If so can we have it Cliffed for the ministry.

Thanks,

-James

From: Little, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Little@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 16, 2019 11:27 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Hunter, Jaclynn JTT:EX <Jaclynn.Hunter@gov.bc.ca>; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Small Business Awards

Sorry one other thing – apparently Tom Conway sent the invite for the awards to Krystal last week. If you can't place your hands on it, I can ask for another copy.

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From: Little, Christine JTT:EX

Sent: Monday, December 16, 2019 11:22 AM

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Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Hunter, Jaclynn JTT:EX <Jaclynn.Hunter@gov.bc.ca>; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Small Business Awards

Yes the date of the awards is Feb. 21 (a Friday) at the Vancouver Convention Centre. Can get more details on time, but generally an evening event. Top 10 list is in the link below.

<https://smallbusinessbc.ca/article/announcing-your-2020-small-business-bc-awards-top-10s/>

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Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Small Business Awards

Hi Christine,

Hope you had a great weekend! I had a couple quick questions on the SBBC Awards. We heard that the date of the awards are going to be on the 21st of February, can you confirm that is the date? Also word on the street is that an announcement of the nominees for the awards. If so can we get the list of the finalists?

Thanks,

-James

From: [McNish, James JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: A couple projects
Date: December 16, 2019 10:57:36 AM

Good Morning!

I wanted to check in on how the riding by riding note on successful companies/companies we've visited is coming.

Also can I get a copy of all of our throne speeches.

Thanks,

-j

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

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 10:20 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: A couple projects

Ok, we're on it. Re: speech -- can I bring GCPE in on this? Awaiting details.

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From: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 9:59 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: A couple projects

Hey team,

I have a couple projects for you two to work on.

1. I'd like a riding by riding note on:

- A) successful local companies
- B) companies that MBR has visited

The goal is for MBR to be able to respond to opposition question and be able to easily access the list and say to MLA X, I've visited company Y and seen the success in region Z. s.13

Let me know if you have any questions :)

Project 2:

MBR has been asked to give a 40 min speech to some bankers at RBC next Thursday.

Krystal I'd like to you to spearhead the speech. We don't have a lot of time and we'll need to have a draft made quick so we can have a couple rounds of feedback with MBR and Finance.

I'll flip you the details on the event and we should chat about how to proceed once I'm out of this meeting.

Talk soon,

-James

Sent from my iPhone

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To: [CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX](#)
Cc: [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Approval Needed by December 11 - October 2019 Calendar
Date: December 13, 2019 1:01:00 PM

October 2019 calendar is approved.

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 13, 2019 12:48 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX <Open.InfoGroup@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Approval Needed by December 11 - October 2019 Calendar
Importance: High

Hey Krystal,

Can you please respond by replying-all that you APPROVE that publications of the October calendar for JTT does not have any harms.

If you have specific harms please outline those and let Open Information know that applications of additional harms have been outlined and are then approved.

This needs to be done today to meet legislative timelines.

Thanks much!

Amanda Robb

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From: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX

Sent: December 12, 2019 10:10 AM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Chang, Stephanie JTT:EX <Stephanie.Chang@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Approval Needed by December 11 - October 2019 Calendar

Importance: High

FYI if your approvals haven't yet been submitted for disclosure of October Calendars....

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Sent: December 11, 2019 4:31 PM

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Cc: Appleton, Natalie CITZ:EX <Natalie.Appleton@gov.bc.ca>; CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX <Open.InfoGroup@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Approval Needed by December 11 - October 2019 Calendar

Importance: High

Good afternoon,

Just a friendly reminder that approvals for the disclosure of October Calendars were due today.

Please provide us with approvals as soon as is feasible in order for us to publish your ministers', deputy ministers' and associate deputy ministers' calendars to Open Information according to Ministerial Directive 02-2016 (s.71.1 (3) *Calendars must be posted to the Open Information website not later than 45 days after the end of the month to which they relate*)

Thank you for this.

Charlotte

Charlotte van Schalkwyk CIAPP-C | FOI Specialist | Open Information | Ministry of Citizens' Services

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From: CITZ OPEN INFOGROUP CITZ:EX <Open.InfoGroup@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: December 3, 2019 9:05 AM

Subject: Approval Needed by December 11 - October 2019 Calendar

Importance: High

Thank you for sending your calendar to Open Information for the month of October, 2019. Your calendar has been reviewed by an Open Information analyst and any information that required redaction has been removed.

Please review and approve the attached redline version of your calendar(s).

Please reply to this email to FIN OPEN INFOGROUP (Open.InfoGroup@gov.bc.ca) by December 11, 2019 indicating your approval for publication. If you identify any redaction revisions, please indicate this in your email.

For your convenience, the attached approval form is available to you. Alternatively, you may indicate your approval by replying directly to this email.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact any member of the Open Information team directly or through reply to this email address.

Many thanks,

IAO Open Information Team

Charlotte Van Schalkwyk

Katherine Ritchie
Natalie Appleton, A/Manager

Link to [Open Information](#)

From: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: FOI 2019-94079
Date: December 12, 2019 3:22:22 PM

Hi Krystal,

Did you discuss this FOI with Jimmy? Just curious on the outcome.

Thanks,

Lori

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:18 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOI 2019-94079

See the attached.

Thanks,

Lori

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:16 AM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOI 2019-94079

s.13 Can you send me the redline version so I can see/talk to Jimmy about it?

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:02 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOI 2019-94079

Hi Krystal,

Were you able to locate a clean copy for this FOI, please? This is the one we talked about the other day that is all marked up with highlighter and such.

Thanks,

Lori

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Cc: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Tech contacts
Date: December 12, 2019 2:20:00 PM
Attachments: tech stakeholders and contact.xlsx

s.22

Got contacts for like 70%. Went through Cliff, inbox, websites and business cards. I suspect Amanda would have contacts for the rest from coordinating meetings.

KT

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From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
To: McNish, James IRR:EX; Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX
Cc: Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Subject: Media Scan RBC Borealis
Date: December 12, 2019 11:55:47 AM
Attachments: Media Scan - Borealis AI-RBC 12Dec 2019_JC.docx

Here you go. There were quite a few stories on Borealis so we stuck to recent coverage (2019 / 2018)

From: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 11, 2019 at 5:03:32 PM PST
To: "Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX" <Bruce.Ralston@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RBC Borealis

Hi Minister,

As discussed, here is a link that talks about RBC Borealis research areas:
<https://www.borealisai.com/en/research/>.

I'd also suggest you browse their "In the Press" and "Publications" sections of the website.

KT

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From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Hill, Robert; Simons, Nicholas
Cc: Tournat, Kim LASS:EX
Subject: RE: FW: Gas price transparency
Date: December 12, 2019 11:32:00 AM
Attachments: MBR greetings for gas price town hall.docx
image001.png

Hi Rob,

I've attached some greetings for the town hall! Does MLA Simons have everything he requires? I can provide Q&A, statements, etc. Let me know!

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: December 11, 2019 2:31 PM
To: Simons, Nicholas s.17 Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tournat, Kim LASS:EX <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FW: Gas price transparency

We are having a town hall on gas prices in Powell River... basically, folks can come and share their frustrations around the gas prices in Powell River and how it has affected them, etc.

We are hoping Minister Ralston can provide a statement about the town hall – bringing greetings, how he's looking forward to seeing the results of the town hall and the information collected, etc.

Robert (Rob) Hill | Constituency Assistant | Nicholas Simons, MLA for Powell River-Sunshine Coast | He/Him

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We acknowledge that we are living and working on the traditional lands of the Tla'amin, Klahoose, shíshálh, Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish), Hamalco, and the Wei Wai Kum/Kwiakah Nations who have lived here since time immemorial.

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From: Simons, Nicholas .s.17

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 1:21 PM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Hill, Robert <Robert.Hill@leg.bc.ca>; Tournat, Kim <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Fwd: FW: Gas price transparency

Hi Krystal, I would LOVE to read a message from the honourable Minister. Thanks!

Nicholas

From: "Tournat, Kim" <Kim.Tournat@leg.bc.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 12:05 p.m.

To: "Simons, Nicholas" .s.17

Subject: FW: Gas price transparency

FYI

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

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX [<mailto:Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2019 11:50 AM

To: Simons.MLA, Nicholas <Nicholas.Simons.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Gas price transparency

Hi Rob,

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Thanks,
Krystal

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Ralston, Bruce EMPR:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: MLA Simons town hall greetings
Date: December 12, 2019 11:06:00 AM

Hi Minister,

MLA Simons is holding a town hall on Sunday about gas prices in Powell River. He asked for greetings from you. I've drafted the following. Can you let me know if you approve? Thanks!

s.13

KT

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From: [Hay, Lorna JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: FOIs 2019-96928; 94815; 96572
Date: December 12, 2019 8:38:20 AM

Hi Krystal, were you able to review JTT-2019-96572 and 94815 for Harms?

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: November 22, 2019 11:45 AM
To: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX <Lorna.Hay@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOIs 2019-96928; 94815; 96572

I'll get back to you with harms ASAP

From: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX
Sent: November 22, 2019 10:53 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX ; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX ; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX
Subject: FOIs 2019-96928; 94815; 96572
Importance: High

Good Morning,

Thank you for sending in theses Records:

96928 – PSG 117Pages
94815 – 742 pages
96572 – 999 pages

We noticed that nothing was flagged with 'Harms' on the attachments sent, can you confirm that there were none? Otherwise we can have Central IAO review for Mandatory Harms. Just need to be sure you were ok with this and not wanting to redact your own messages first?

Thank you!!

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Walters, Hailey JTT:EX](#)
Subject: FW: UPDATE: RBC regional event - SN - PPT - QA
Date: December 11, 2019 4:08:00 PM
Attachments: QA - MBR RBC Meeting 12 Dec 2019 FINAL.docx
Q2 2019 Report Presentation_FINAL with NOTES and November LFS numbers.pptx
SN MBR RBC Senior Leadership Meeting 12 Dec 2019_FINAL Wed 1230pm.docx

Please add to ipad

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 11, 2019 3:14 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: UPDATE: RBC regional event - SN - PPT - QA

Hi Krystal

Please use this revised SN (marked Wed 1230) for the RBC meeting tomorrow. I reduced the text because Bill Tieleman asked today if the minister can keep the presentation to 15 minutes followed by Q&A.

As the minister will have to calibrate the speaking notes in Word with the Power Point, I suggest he reviews them together.

Good luck
Brad

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: December 10, 2019 7:21 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <[Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca](#)>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <[James.McNish@gov.bc.ca](#)>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <[Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca](#)>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <[Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca](#)>; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <[Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca](#)>
Subject: FOR REVIEW: RBC regional event - SN - PPT - QA

Hi Krystal

Here are the materials for the RBC event: Power Point Presentation, Speaking Notes, QA doc.

Please make sure the minister goes through the slides and the corresponding notes. He may want to cut some lines and say less on some of the slides.

Also be sure to use this version of the Power Point because I updated the labour force numbers using November data.

Regards
Brad

Royal Bank of Canada – B.C. Regional Meeting
Fairmont Empress
721 Government Street
Victoria, B.C.

Thursday, December 12, 2019

3:00 p.m.

Speaking time: Approximately 20 mins

Minister speaks at 3:02 p.m.

Brad Spencer | Communications Director

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To: [Thomson, Krystal](#) FIN:EX
Cc: [Hill, Robert](#) LASS:EX; [Tournat, Kim](#) LASS:EX
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Date: December 11, 2019 1:21:10 PM

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From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX
Cc: Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX
Subject: Investments
Date: December 10, 2019 3:47:00 PM

Grammarly (Vancouver)	Announced September 2019.	TBD	https://www.vancourier.com/news/grammarly-joins-other-u-s-tech-firms-opening-vancouver-offices-1.23944135
D-Pace (Nelson)	Announced September 2019.	TBD	https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/dehnel-interior-particle-accelerator-nelson-1.5284515
Trulioo (Vancouver)	Announced September 2019.	70 jobs (some in San Francisco and Dublin)	https://betakit.com/trulioo-raises-70-million-cad-from-global-banking-heavyweights/
Tile (Vancouver)	Announced May 2019.	20 jobs	https://biv.com/article/2019/05/consumer-electronics-firm-tile-taps-vancouver-new-engineering-hub
Amazon (Vancouver)	Announced June 2019.	700 jobs	https://dailyhive.com/vancouver/amazon-fulfillment-centre-tsawwassen-construction-update-june-2019
Daiya Foods (Burnaby)	Announced October 2019.	300-400 jobs	https://dailyhive.com/vancouver/daiya-foods-burnaby

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: FW: company success stories to reference
Date: December 10, 2019 3:47:00 PM
Attachments: JTT economic announcements, recent and upcoming investments_Oct 8.docx

This also may be helpful...

KT

From: MacDonald, Alex LBR:EX <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 9, 2019 2:12 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: company success stories to reference

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: October 8, 2019 3:54 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: company success stories to reference

Gooooooooooooo Brad!!!
I'll get these worked into the note(s).

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2019 3:51 PM
To: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: company success stories to reference

Hi Alex

Here is a different version of the success stories / economic announcements with dates.

Brad

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: October 7, 2019 3:03 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: company success stories to reference

Excellent.
Have we got dates with all of these?

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, October 7, 2019 2:59 PM
To: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: company success stories to reference

Hi Alex

These are some business success stories (mostly expansions and investments) related to Vancouver Island. Further below you will find some success stories from the mainland.

Note: most of these examples do not have government involvement. The information was only sourced from media reports.

Workday – On Vancouver Island, in August 2018, major Silicon Valley-based tech company Workday expanded its presence in Victoria with the opening of a 17,000-square-foot office, signalling confidence and continued job growth in the Victoria tech sector.

BC Ferries – Is the largest consumer of B.C. ship repair services outside of naval programs, spending approximately \$1 billion over the past 10 years at local shipyards, including Point Hope Maritime of Victoria, conducting maintenance, refit and repair work on eight of BC Ferries' smaller vessels over the next five years and has plans to build a new drydock once the approvals are in place.

Viking Air – The airplane manufacturer announced the launch of a new manufacturing program to produce upgrade kits for the CL-215 amphibious firefighting aircraft. If the upgrade program proves to be a success, the company has plans to begin manufacturing a brand-new amphibious firefighting aircraft, which could result in the creation of additional jobs in Victoria and Calgary.

San Group Inc. – Langley-based San Group announced it is investing \$60-\$70 million to build a sawmill in Port Alberni, providing jobs for about 135 people – about 50 during construction, plus 85 permanent jobs. This will increase production and utilize the full range of species. The mill will process a range of different sized logs (waste wood) often accrued from normal harvesting techniques, but not used. Construction is scheduled to begin this spring, with hopes to be cutting wood by the summer. San Group exports forest products to 21 countries.

Ralmax Group of Companies – Ralmax plans to invest \$50 million in a new dry dock at its Point Hope Maritime shipyard on Victoria's harbour that is expected to double employment

capacity to 400 jobs with wages that start near \$100,000 per year. Pending federal approval, the expansion will allow Point Hope Maritime to expand its ability to service larger vessels and increase work capacity for the Royal Canadian Navy, Canadian Coast Guard and B.C. Ferries vessels.

Ralmax also purchased Esquimalt Drydock Co., in July 2019, bringing together two Victoria shipyards – Esquimalt and Point Hope – dedicated to the ship-repair and maintenance business. The purchase is expected to result in knowledge transfer between the yards, provide more job stability and strengthen the companies' ability to bid on contracts.

Here are some additional business successes:

- **Sunrise Soya Foods** – This company was started in 1956 by Hong Kong immigrants Leslie and Susan Joe when they started making tofu out of the back of their corner grocery store in Vancouver's Chinatown. With 40 employees, they mostly served the local Asian community through the 60s to the 80s. In the 80s the company opened a new Vancouver facility employing 216 employees and started producing a wider variety of soy-based foods, with a larger customer base including many ethnicities. The company opened a plant near Toronto, hiring 133 employees, to help with its nation-wide and U.S. distribution. In September 2019, Sunrise opened another production facility in Delta with 25 employees. Sunrise serves 4,200 grocers across Canada and the U.S.
- **Amazon** – The U.S. company's B.C. expansion will bring their total workforce to 5,000 by 2022, advancing our province's well-earned reputation as a global tech and innovation hub. The U.S. trade representatives facilitated Amazon's distribution and fulfilment investment in New Westminster, as well as the web services expansion in Vancouver.
- **Essel Group** – After a year of engagement by our India trade and investment representatives, **Zee Studios International**, a major Indian film and television conglomerate, has established a significant presence in B.C., with plans to employ up to 100 people.
- **Fortinet** – The American multinational cyber security company announced a large expansion in Burnaby with 1,000 new tech jobs.
- **Microsoft** – Is adding 50 new mixed reality jobs in Vancouver and is expanding its Technology Education and Literacy in Schools (TEALS) philanthropy program to team-teach computer science with B.C. high school teachers. Microsoft has also partnered with BCIT in this endeavour.
- **Apple Inc.** – In July 2019, Bloomberg reported in that Apple will lease two floors at a new office tower under construction in downtown Vancouver as the company joins other tech giants in expansion plans in the city. The report came out the same week as a study by real estate services firm CBRE found that Vancouver is surging as a top destination for tech companies.
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- **WeWork** – The Manhattan-based firm WeWork has expanded rapidly in Vancouver, opening an 80,000-square-foot, five-floor facility in fall 2017, followed by a second 53,000-square-foot office. In May 2018, WeWork added five additional floors of space near Waterfront Station, increasing its number of workstations in Vancouver to 3,800.
- **DP World** – Dubai-based DP World's Fairview Terminal expansion is to begin in spring 2020. Construction will require 150 full-time workers over three years, and it will create 300 full-time jobs at the Port of Prince Rupert. In addition to the construction and full-time jobs, the project will create additional jobs in trucking, trans-loading and logistics services to support the growth of the facility. The terminal is served by all three of the world's major container shipping alliances and is one of North America's fastest-growing container cargo ports, handling a record one million TEUs (20-foot equivalent units) and 27 million tonnes of cargo in 2018.
- **Port of Prince Rupert** – The Prince Rupert Port Authority has completed a container terminal master plan that identifies the potential to develop multiple terminals and six to seven million TEUs of capacity. The master plan cited the potential for further expansion of DP World's Fairview Terminal and development of a second container terminal at the Port of Prince Rupert's South Kaien Island site. It is expected that the Port of Prince Rupert will become Canada's second-largest port in the next five years.
 - On Sept. 5, 2019, the Port announced it is receiving \$153.7 million from the federal government to help fund three projects to facilitate continued growth and enable further trade development at the Port.
 - A study by the Port also found that employment associated with moving trade through northern B.C. to the Port of Prince Rupert has grown to 6,200 jobs in 2018 from 5,200 two years earlier. Annual wages associated with those jobs averaged \$87,200, the study said.
- **West Coast Olefins** – Calgary-based West Coast Olefins announced its intention to build a petrochemical manufacturing facility in Prince George for the production of plastic pellets for export to Asia. Capital expenditure is estimated at \$5.6 billion to \$6 billion and would employ about 1,000 permanent workers, plus about 5,000 during peak construction. The project would be the largest private-sector dollar investment in Prince George's history.
- **Pacific BioEnergy Corporation** – Japanese trading company Sumitomo Corporation acquired a 48% stake in Prince George's Pacific BioEnergy Corporation, the second-largest manufacturer of wood pellets in Canada. This investment has supported jobs for people in Prince George and increased exports to foreign markets. In January 2019, Pacific BioEnergy announced two significant new long-term contracts with Japanese power producers.

- **POSCO Daewoo** – Korea’s largest trading company is a joint venture partner with Vancouver-based Serengeti Resources in the Kwanika copper-gold mining exploration project. In 2017, POSCO Daewoo committed \$8.2 million to the project in B.C.’s north-central interior near Fort St. James. (Kwanika is undergoing a pre-feasibility study and expects to publish a report Q2/2019.)
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Regards

Brad

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Cc: [Kwan, Shirley JEDC:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#); [Jang, Monica JEDC:EX](#); [Pothecary, Meagan JEDC:EX](#); [Liu, Teresa JEDC:EX](#); [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: ADVISE: Request for Information re: Fuel Price Transparency Act and Regulations
Date: December 10, 2019 2:21:40 PM

Passed her original email over to EMPR and they connected with her. Not sure why she's still contacting us?

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 10, 2019, at 2:14 PM, Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hey all – has a decision been made on this!?

Thanks,
Hailey

From: Kwan, Shirley JTT:EX <Shirley.Kwan@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 9, 2019 9:16 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>; Pothecary, Meagan JTT:EX <Meagan.Pothecary@gov.bc.ca>; Liu, Teresa JTT:EX <Teresa.Liu@gov.bc.ca>; Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ADVISE: Request for Information re: Fuel Price Transparency Act and Regulations

Good Morning!

Could you please advise if you'll be asking CB for a response through EMPR CB? Please let me know if you will be handling this or would like DMO to send to CB?

Thanks!

Shirley

From: Sarah Byrne <sbyrne@stewartmckelvey.com>
Sent: December 9, 2019 5:46 AM
To: Minister, JTT JTT:EX <JTT.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: DMJTT@gov.bc.ca; Kwan, Shirley JTT:EX <Shirley.Kwan@gov.bc.ca>; Meaghan.Pothecary@gov.bc.ca
Subject: RE: Request for Information re: Fuel Price Transparency Act and Regulations

Good morning,

I wanted to follow up with respect to my email below. I am hoping to better understand when the Fuel Price Transparency Act will come into force by regulation of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and whether there is any information respecting regulations proposed under the Act. For greater ease, my questions are:

- Has the Act been yet been brought into force by Regulations of the Minister as required by s.24 of the Act? If not, is there an expected date for this to happen?
- Have any regulations been passed with respect to the Act? If not, can you provide any information on what may be contained within the regulations, or when they may be expected?

We have several clients who will be impacted by the Legislation, and would like to do our best to ensure that they understand their obligations under the Act and Regulations, and ensure that they are ready to fulfill their obligations at the time of Commencement. Understanding when the Act will come into force will greatly help us ensure that this is possible.

Again, I am more than happy to discuss if any clarification is required with respect to my questions. My cell phone number can be found in my email signature below, and I am happy to take a call at any time.

Our clients are eager to hear about the status of the Act, so I thank you in advance for your assistance.

Kindest regards,
Sarah Byrne

Sarah Byrne
Articled Clerk
Stewart McKelvey
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From: Sarah Byrne

Sent: Friday, December 6, 2019 1:25 PM

To: 'JTT.Minister@gov.bc.ca' <JTT.Minister@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Request for Information re: Fuel Price Transparency Act and Regulations

Good morning,

Yesterday afternoon, I spoke to someone with respect to the Fuel Price Transparency Act, and had requested information with respect to the coming into force of the Act in question. While the woman I spoke with was unable to answer my questions, she assured me that she would pass my request and information on to someone this morning who would be able to better answer my

The cost for a smaller hospital in Terrace is estimated at \$400 million to \$500 million, and one in Williams Lake at \$300 million.

Surrey's new hospital will have in-patient beds, an emergency department, operating rooms, outpatient services, and lab and diagnostic services.

Horgan said Surrey grows by 1,000 residents a month, which works out to at least 100,000 a decade. B.C. Health Minister Adrian Dix said the hospital is a key commitment to help meet the healthcare needs of Surrey's rapidly growing community.

The population of Surrey was 517,000 at the time of the 2016 Statistics Canada census, up more than 10 per cent from the 2011 census. It's second in population to Vancouver, at 613,000, according to the 2016 census, and the province said the city is expected to become the most populous city by 2041.

Vancouver has three large hospitals - Vancouver General, St. Paul's and UBC, the smaller Mount St. Joseph - as well as the specialized B.C. Women's and B.C. Children's hospitals.

The province said ER visits in Surrey are expected to increase to 221,000 by 2027, up from 153,000 in 2017, and surgeries up to 63,000 from 47,000 over the same time period. Dr. Victoria Lee, president and CEO of Fraser Health, welcomed the news and said the new hospital will incorporate "virtual healthcare services," and will complement the care provided by Surrey Memorial and the Jim Pattison Outpatient Care and Surgery Centre.

The announcement Monday was attended by Surrey Mayor Doug McCallum and a number of Surrey members of the B.C. legislature, all of whom supported the move to build a new hospital to improve access and modernize care.

"And the economy will be boosted through the construction jobs created once work gets underway," Surrey-Whalley MLA Bruce Ralston said in a news release.

Indigenous leaders see prosperity following B.C.'s UNDRIP adoption

Vancouver Sun

Tuesday, December 10, 2019

By Randy Shore

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: FINAL FINAL
Date: December 9, 2019 2:56:00 PM
Attachments: KM LFS November - 06Dec 2019_FINAL FINAL.docx

From: Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX <Jimmy.Smith@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 6, 2019 8:07 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX <Sarah.Marriott@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FINAL FINAL

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From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Updated notes
Date: December 9, 2019 2:12:52 PM
Attachments: 2019.10.21 - QP FIN - Job Creation - FINAL.docx
ATT00001.htm
2019.10.21 QP FIN - Economy Stats - FINAL.docx
ATT00002.htm

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Date: December 9, 2019 at 2:12:23 PM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Updated notes

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: October 21, 2019 8:11 AM
To: Lawson, Liam FIN:EX <Liam.Lawson@gov.bc.ca>; Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX
<Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>; Bretscher, Paul FIN:EX <Paul.Bretscher@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Youngs, Kirsten R GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Youngs@gov.bc.ca>; Grieve, Chandler GCPE:EX
<Chandler.Grieve@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Updated notes

A couple that have some background tweaks to include LFS September numbers.
-Alex

Alex MacDonald
C: 778.584.1371
E: Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: company success stories to reference
Date: December 9, 2019 2:12:30 PM
Attachments: JTT economic announcements, recent and upcoming investments_Oct 8.docx
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From: "MacDonald, Alex LBR:EX" <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 9, 2019 at 2:11:51 PM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: company success stories to reference

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: October 8, 2019 3:54 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: company success stories to reference

Goooooooooooo Brad!!!
I'll get these worked into the note(s).

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2019 3:51 PM
To: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: company success stories to reference

Hi Alex

Here is a different version of the success stories / economic announcements with dates.

Brad

From: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX
Sent: October 7, 2019 3:03 PM

To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: company success stories to reference

Excellent.
Have we got dates with all of these?

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, October 7, 2019 2:59 PM
To: MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: company success stories to reference

Hi Alex

These are some business success stories (mostly expansions and investments) related to Vancouver Island. Further below you will find some success stories from the mainland.

Note: most of these examples do not have government involvement. The information was only sourced from media reports.

Workday – On Vancouver Island, in August 2018, major Silicon Valley-based tech company Workday expanded its presence in Victoria with the opening of a 17,000-square-foot office, signalling confidence and continued job growth in the Victoria tech sector.

BC Ferries – Is the largest consumer of B.C. ship repair services outside of naval programs, spending approximately \$1 billion over the past 10 years at local shipyards, including Point Hope Maritime of Victoria, conducting maintenance, refit and repair work on eight of BC Ferries' smaller vessels over the next five years and has plans to build a new drydock once the approvals are in place.

Viking Air – The airplane manufacturer announced the launch of a new manufacturing program to produce upgrade kits for the CL-215 amphibious firefighting aircraft. If the upgrade program proves to be a success, the company has plans to begin manufacturing a brand-new amphibious firefighting aircraft, which could result in the creation of additional jobs in Victoria and Calgary.

San Group Inc. – Langley-based San Group announced it is investing \$60-\$70 million to build a sawmill in Port Alberni, providing jobs for about 135 people – about 50 during construction, plus 85 permanent jobs. This will increase

production and utilize the full range of species. The mill will process a range of different sized logs (waste wood) often accrued from normal harvesting techniques, but not used. Construction is scheduled to begin this spring, with hopes to be cutting wood by the summer. San Group exports forest products to 21 countries.

Ralmax Group of Companies – Ralmax plans to invest \$50 million in a new dry dock at its Point Hope Maritime shipyard on Victoria’s harbour that is expected to double employment capacity to 400 jobs with wages that start near \$100,000 per year. Pending federal approval, the expansion will allow Point Hope Maritime to expand its ability to service larger vessels and increase work capacity for the Royal Canadian Navy, Canadian Coast Guard and B.C. Ferries vessels.

Ralmax also purchased Esquimalt Drydock Co., in July 2019, bringing together two Victoria shipyards – Esquimalt and Point Hope – dedicated to the ship-repair and maintenance business. The purchase is expected to result in knowledge transfer between the yards, provide more job stability and strengthen the companies’ ability to bid on contracts.

Here are some additional business successes:

- **Sunrise Soya Foods** – This company was started in 1956 by Hong Kong immigrants Leslie and Susan Joe when they started making tofu out of the back of their corner grocery store in Vancouver’s Chinatown. With 40 employees, they mostly served the local Asian community through the 60s to the 80s. In the 80s the company opened a new Vancouver facility employing 216 employees and started producing a wider variety of soy-based foods, with a larger customer base including many ethnicities. The company opened a plant near Toronto, hiring 133 employees, to help with its nation-wide and U.S. distribution. In September 2019, Sunrise opened another production facility in Delta with 25 employees. Sunrise serves 4,200 grocers across Canada and the U.S.
- **Amazon** – The U.S. company’s B.C. expansion will bring their total workforce to 5,000 by 2022, advancing our province’s well-earned reputation as a global tech and innovation hub. The U.S. trade representatives facilitated Amazon’s distribution and fulfilment investment in New Westminster, as well as the web services expansion in Vancouver.
- **Essel Group** – After a year of engagement by our India trade and investment representatives, **Zee Studios International**, a major Indian film and television conglomerate, has established a significant presence in B.C., with plans to employ up to 100 people.
- **Fortinet** – The American multinational cyber security company announced a large expansion in Burnaby with 1,000 new tech jobs.

- **Microsoft** – Is adding 50 new mixed reality jobs in Vancouver and is expanding its Technology Education and Literacy in Schools (TEALS) philanthropy program to team-teach computer science with B.C. high school teachers. Microsoft has also partnered with BCIT in this endeavour.
- **Apple Inc.** – In July 2019, Bloomberg reported in that Apple will lease two floors at a new office tower under construction in downtown Vancouver as the company joins other tech giants in expansion plans in the city. The report came out the same week as a study by real estate services firm CBRE found that Vancouver is surging as a top destination for tech companies.
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- **WeWork** – The Manhattan-based firm WeWork has expanded rapidly in Vancouver, opening an 80,000-square-foot, five-floor facility in fall 2017, followed by a second 53,000-square-foot office. In May 2018, WeWork added five additional floors of space near Waterfront Station, increasing its number of workstations in Vancouver to 3,800.
- **DP World** – Dubai-based DP World's Fairview Terminal expansion is to begin in spring 2020. Construction will require 150 full-time workers over three years, and it will create 300 full-time jobs at the Port of Prince Rupert. In addition to the construction and full-time jobs, the project will create additional jobs in trucking, trans-loading and logistics services to support the growth of the facility. The terminal is served by all three of the world's major container shipping alliances and is one of North America's fastest-growing container cargo ports, handling a record one million TEUs (20-foot equivalent units) and 27 million tonnes of cargo in 2018.
- **Port of Prince Rupert** – The Prince Rupert Port Authority has completed a container terminal master plan that identifies the potential to develop multiple terminals and six to seven million TEUs of capacity. The master plan cited the potential for further expansion of DP World's Fairview Terminal and development of a second container terminal at the Port of Prince Rupert's South Kaien Island site. It is expected that the Port of Prince Rupert will become Canada's second-largest port in the next five years.
 - On Sept. 5, 2019, the Port announced it is receiving \$153.7 million from the federal government to help fund three projects to facilitate continued growth and enable further trade development at the Port.
 - A study by the Port also found that employment associated with moving trade through northern B.C. to the Port of Prince Rupert has grown to 6,200 jobs in 2018 from 5,200 two years earlier. Annual wages associated with

those jobs averaged \$87,200, the study said.

- **West Coast Olefins** – Calgary-based West Coast Olefins announced its intention to build a petrochemical manufacturing facility in Prince George for the production of plastic pellets for export to Asia. Capital expenditure is estimated at \$5.6 billion to \$6 billion and would employ about 1,000 permanent workers, plus about 5,000 during peak construction. The project would be the largest private-sector dollar investment in Prince George's history.
- **Pacific BioEnergy Corporation** – Japanese trading company Sumitomo Corporation acquired a 48% stake in Prince George's Pacific BioEnergy Corporation, the second-largest manufacturer of wood pellets in Canada. This investment has supported jobs for people in Prince George and increased exports to foreign markets. In January 2019, Pacific BioEnergy announced two significant new long-term contracts with Japanese power producers.
- **POSCO Daewoo** – Korea's largest trading company is a joint venture partner with Vancouver-based Serengeti Resources in the Kwanika copper-gold mining exploration project. In 2017, POSCO Daewoo committed \$8.2 million to the project in B.C.'s north-central interior near Fort St. James. (Kwanika is undergoing a pre-feasibility study and expects to publish a report Q2/2019.)
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Regards
Brad

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To: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Cc: [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: SHARC - MMF?
Date: December 6, 2019 1:08:56 PM

Definitely ran this by him last week, maybe the week before? We requested materials from DMO. Did we get those, Hailey/Amanda? He also saw the NR on Wednesday.

MMF is not attending.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 6, 2019, at 1:04 PM, Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hey everyone,
>
> MBR says he wasn't briefed on SHARC today and he is surprised to learn he is going to be there for an announcement... He wants to know if Minister Farnworth is attending? I believe we didn't hear back from the EA, correct? Or was that just Empire?
>
> Thanks!
>
> Maria Szabo (she/her)
> Executive Assistant
> Jobs, Trade and Technology
> 250.896.8011
> Sent from my iPhone

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Walters, Hailey JTT:EX](#)
Cc: [Robb, Amanda EMPR:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Subject: Re: CALL BACK - call to the office
Date: December 6, 2019 11:19:31 AM

I think someone from EMPR should call her. I'll coordinate.

KT

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On Dec 6, 2019, at 11:16 AM, Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi all,

Sarah has sent an email to us now requesting a call back with her. Can this be arranged for today? Let me know if I can be of any assistance! I have attached Sarah's email for reference.

Thank you,
Hailey

From: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX
Sent: December 5, 2019 4:06 PM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL BACK - call to the office
Importance: High

Hi guys – Sarah Byrne from Newfound Land just called the office asking questions about bill 42 (fuel transparency act). She is aware that the bill passed in the legislature last week but she has some more legal questions regarding the stages at where its at now.. (something about legal bindings before it comes into force).. I told her I wasn't very familiar and would get someone to call her back.

Sarah Byrne
709-424-0434
Stuart McCalvy Law Firm

Thank you
Hailey

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From: [Craig, Jason AGRI:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC
Date: December 6, 2019 8:56:03 AM

Amazing, thank you!

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 6, 2019 8:49 AM
To: Craig, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craig@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

FYI

From: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 6, 2019 8:25 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi Krystal:

Staff connected and reported the following:

As requested, I called the writer (John) and detailed the difference between the Buy BC Campaign (Province Driven through Ministry of Agriculture) vs. BC Buy Local Campaign (LOCO BC Driven-awareness supported through Proclamation)

John appreciated that I provided that level of detail as well as the contact (below) for the LOCO BC Lead who requested the Buy Local proclamation for 2019 as he has not had a response from the email he sent to info@locobc.com

Julia Spitale
Coordinator, BC Buy Local Week
604-724-1581
<http://bcbuylocal.com>

As John expressed an interest in joining the cause I also provided him with the direct link to the organization so he could champion local LOCO BC driven activities if the business should want to join LOCO BC, alone in partnership:

<https://www.locobc.ca/join>

I also encouraged John to contact me directly should have any questions on small business related initiatives that he would like to have more information on.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, December 5, 2019 9:09 AM
To: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi Monica,

Is there someone in program who can help out Mr. Hewson (below) with some questions about Buy Local Week in BC?

KT

From: Craik, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craik@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 9:04 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi James,

We've had the gentlemen below reach out to us to ask how his tourism business could become apart of Buy Local Week, would you be able to get someone from your program staff to connect with him?

Thanks,
Jason

From: Leppard, Brianna AGRI:EX <Brianna.Leppard@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 2:57 PM
To: Craik, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craik@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hey Jason,

Please see the email below and advise.

Thanks!
Bri

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From: John Hewson

Sent: December 3, 2019 2:53 PM

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

Subject: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hello Brianna,

Thank you for taking my call and offering to follow up.

Yesterday marks the launch of B.C. Buy Local Week, this was the first we heard of it this year and would love to participate. We did post independently last year, but unconnected to your main campaign.

Buy Local campaign encourages consumers to shift at least 1% of their spending to a local business, or a local grown or local made product.

A 1% shift will create 3,100 jobs and sends \$94M in wages to workers in B.C.

To learn more visit, bcbuylocal.com

#buylocalweek #bcbuylocal #community #buylocal #bc #vancouver #canada
#communitysupport

<https://www.instagram.com/p/B5lqZglBkNS/>

We were going to post to our own Instagram and Facebook here in Lund and Powell River, and was wondering how we might get listed along with the other participants on this page ?

www.terracentricadventures.com

<https://www.instagram.com/terracentricpr/>

<https://www.instagram.com/johnnywhistler/>

<https://www.facebook.com/Terracentric-Coastal-Adventures-92758342242/>

Is it OK to use your logo BCBuyLocal ?

How else might we participate at short notice, I myself only having discovered about the program yesterday. I was connected to you from Service Canada help text service.

We are on the upper Sunshine Coast, so many of our visitors are from BC, in particular Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland.

We support BC industry whenever we can and are great believers in the Buy Local movement both in support of the local economy and from an environmental point of view.

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Thank you

Cheers John

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The Team at Terracentric
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From: KTHOMSON
To: Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX
Subject: Scan From <Device Name>
Date: December 6, 2019 8:55:03 AM
Attachments: Scan_20191206.pdf

From: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX](#); [Paulson, Dave GCPE:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#); [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Nov LFS statement
Date: December 6, 2019 6:38:11 AM

It looks like 'job losses' will be the headlines today

Canadian economy posts biggest monthly job loss since financial crisis

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Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Nov LFS statement

We've been including July 2017 in our range which gets us to 88,800 jobs.

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Sent: December 5, 2019 3:10 PM
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Subject: RE: 回复:RE: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association
Date: December 5, 2019 12:12:33 PM

Ok! Will send those regrets but will inform letter of greeting is in the works

Thanks
Hailey

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
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Agree. Let's decline please Hailey!

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James/Krys have thoughts?

From: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:53 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 回复:RE: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association

Just bringing this to the top of your inbox! Sorry, just want things to get confirmed

Hailey

From: Minister, JTT JTT:EX
Sent: December 4, 2019 9:37 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX

<James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: 回复:RE: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association

Hi guys –

We will be sending a greeting letter for this. Can you please advise if you would like us to refer to staff for below (highlighted for you).

Thanks,
Hailey

From: 徐建宇 <jackyxu@cenconchain.com>

Sent: December 3, 2019 9:54 PM

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

Subject: 回复:RE: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association

Dear Sir/Madame, Thanks a lot for your warm reply. Yes, we would like to request a greeting letter from our honorable Minister Bruce Ralston. Also, may you appoint a staff from your office to be our keynote speaker, whose topic is related to The Innovation Polices and Trend in BC which is 30 minutes, to attend our event in the afternoon of Dec 13th please? Thanks again and I am looking forward to your good news for us soon, Jacky

-----原始邮件-----

发件人 : "Minister, JTT JTT:EX " <JTT.Minister@gov.bc.ca>;

发送时间 : 2019年11月29日(星期五) 上午7:00

收件人 : "徐建宇" <jackyxu@cenconchain.com>;

主题 : RE: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association

Good afternoon,

On behalf of the Honourable Bruce Ralston, Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology I would like to thank you for the invitation to attend and speak at the 8th Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala on Friday, December 13 from 2:00pm-4:00pm in Richmond.

Unfortunately, Minister Ralston will be unable to attend due to previous commitments, but would be happy to send a letter of greeting. Please advise at your earliest opportunity!

Thank you again for the kind invitation.

Office of the Minister

Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology

From: 徐建宇 <jackyxu@cenconchain.com>

Sent: November 15, 2019 12:46 PM

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

Cc: jacky_vancouver <jacky_vancouver@hotmail.com>

Subject: 146762 Incoming - Invitation Letter of 8TH Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala from Cencon Charity Association

Dear Hon. Minister Bruce Ralston,

We would like to extend our most sincere and cordial invitation to you to be our honoured keynote speaker, with the topic of “BC Technology Trend and Innovation Policy” (30 minutes) ,at the First Canada Chainvalley Innovation Forum and the 8th Golden Dr. Award Canadian Gala (abbreviated as CCIF&GDACG) this December.

See our attached invitation letter of more details please.

Thanks and I am looking forward to your reply soon.

Jian Yu (Jacky) XU

Executive Chairman, Cencon Charity Association

From: [Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#); [Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX](#); [Paulson, Dave GCPE:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Nov LFS statement
Date: December 5, 2019 11:46:13 AM
Attachments: STMT Nov LFS 05Dec19_V2_JS edits.docx

My edits.

Obviously focus will change depending on which direction the job numbers move.

James Smith
Issues Manager
250.882.2892

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 10:48 AM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>; Paulson, Dave GCPE:EX <Dave.Paulson@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX <Jimmy.Smith@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Nov LFS statement

Hi team,

Attached is the first draft of the Nov LFS statement. Edit however you see fit!

KT

Krystal Thomson
Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Bruce Ralston
Minister of Jobs, Trade, and Technology
250-888-0263 | krystal.thomson@gov.bc.ca

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Ralston, Bruce EMPR:EX](#)
Cc: [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Supercluster NR
Date: December 5, 2019 11:25:00 AM
Attachments: Capacity Building Launch News Release (5)3DEC2019_CLEAN.docx

Hi Minister,

Please find attached the Digital Tech Supercluster NR.

Your quote for approval:

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Thanks,

KT

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Minister of Jobs, Trade, and Technology
250-888-0263 | krystal.thomson@gov.bc.ca

From: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: FOI 2019-94079
Date: December 5, 2019 11:18:36 AM
Attachments: FOI Consultation JTT-2019-94079 - Due December 2.msg

See the attached.

Thanks,

Lori

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:16 AM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOI 2019-94079

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Can you send me the redline version so I can see/talk to Jimmy about it?

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 11:02 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOI 2019-94079

Hi Krystal,

Were you able to locate a clean copy for this FOI, please? This is the one we talked about the other day that is all marked up with highlighter and such.

Thanks,

Lori

From: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#); [Szabo, Maria JEDC:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC
Date: December 5, 2019 10:50:27 AM

You bet !

We will move the speaking notes into the usual Word doc format.

We will look for opportunities to add some JTT comments to the presentation.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 10:46 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

Woohooooo!

Brad, can you touch base with the organizers about time and make sure they know MBR will be presenting a PPT?

From: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 10:45 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

Yes, he's happy with this. Very pleased with using a slide deck.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 9:32 AM
To: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

Hi Maria – can you ask MBR if he's good to present this Q2 report PPT to the RBC group next week?
This PPT is an official document created by Finance GCPE. s.13

KT

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 7:14 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

Hi Krystal

Finance is good with Minister Ralston presenting this Q2 report PPT to the RBC group next week.

Please confirm the minister approves of this approach.

If so, then we will get to work adjusting the speaking notes and preparing a Q&A doc. We can add JTT messages on the labour force update at the end.

We would also like to reach out to the event organizer today to confirm the format and timing.

Thanks
Brad

From: Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX <Lisa.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 4, 2019 6:50 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: JTT KMs: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

No concerns with this approach. A suggestion has been made that your minister add in the JTT perspective (as he is not technically doing this FOR MCJ) but that is entirely up to you and your MO. Please do let me know if you need anything else from us, Brad.

Lisa Leslie
250 213-7724

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Craik, Jason AGRI:EX](#)
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC
Date: December 5, 2019 10:46:00 AM

FYI our staff will be connecting soon

From: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 10:32 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi Krystal,

Our staff will be reaching out to the individual to answer their questions.

I will advise after they connect.

Thanks,

Monica.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, December 5, 2019 9:09 AM
To: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi Monica,

Is there someone in program who can help out Mr. Hewson (below) with some questions about Buy Local Week in BC?

KT

From: Craik, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craik@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 9:04 AM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi James,

We've had the gentlemen below reach out to us to ask how his tourism business could become

apart of Buy Local Week, would you be able to get someone from your program staff to connect with him?

Thanks,
Jason

From: Leppard, Brianna AGRI:EX <Brianna.Leppard@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 2:57 PM
To: Craik, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craik@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hey Jason,

Please see the email below and advise.

Thanks!
Bri

From: John Hewson ^{s.22}
Sent: December 3, 2019 2:53 PM
To: Minister, AGRI AGRI:EX <AGR.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hello Brianna,

Thank you for taking my call and offering to follow up.

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Thank you

Cheers John

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC
Date: December 5, 2019 10:31:50 AM

Hi Krystal,

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Thanks,

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From: [Craig, Jason AGRI:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC
Date: December 5, 2019 9:05:41 AM

All good, sorry to be a pest! He just called us again this morning.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 5, 2019 9:05 AM
To: Craig, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craig@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hey Jason! I'm on it. Sorry for the delay – ^{s.22}

From: Craig, Jason AGRI:EX <Jason.Craig@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 4:02 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: How might we participate in the Buy Local Week in BC

Hi Krystal,

Would someone from your program staff be able to connect with the gentlemen below? He called us to see how his business could get involved with Buy Local Week, plus a few other questions.

Cheers,
Jason

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From: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MO: SNs and PPT for investor tours, Q2, and EFC
Date: December 4, 2019 2:25:40 PM
Attachments: Q2 2019 Report Presentation_FINAL with NOTES -2.pptx

Actually... the Second Quarterly Report power point presentation is a ready-to-go document and relevant to the RBC audience. Would the minister want to use this? It will be well supported with KMs and QAs.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 4, 2019 1:58 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: For MO: SNs and PPT for investor tours, Q2, and EFC

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bretscher, Paul FIN:EX" <Paul.Bretscher@gov.bc.ca>
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: For MO: SNs and PPT for investor tours, Q2, and EFC

From: Walker, Alexa GCPE:EX <Alexa.Walker@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 3:55 PM
To: Bretscher, Paul FIN:EX <Paul.Bretscher@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX <Lisa.Leslie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MO: SNs and PPT for investor tours, Q2, and EFC

Hi Paul,

Attached are the following materials:

- Investor Tour (April 2019): PowerPoint with SNs
- Cascadia investor tour: SNs
- Q2: SNs and PowerPoint with notes.
- Economic Forecast Council: draft NR
- Fact Sheet on B.C.'s economy: note that we get new Labour Force Survey data on Friday, so the figures will need to be updated if the speech is next week.

Let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks,

Alexa

Alexa Walker

Senior Public Affairs Officer | Ministry of Finance
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Mobile: (250) 361 - 8136

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#); [McNish, James IRR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: NR -- SHARC
Date: December 4, 2019 12:55:11 PM

Yes please ask them to remove it. Also MA is good.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2019, at 10:56 AM, Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Krystal,

Environment has come back with some caution on the NR. ^{s.13}

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I can let them know to remove it if we are still all systems go on this?

Also a gentle reminder on the MA I sent yesterday. I have attached it again for easy reference.

Thanks,

Lori

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: December 3, 2019 11:52 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: NR -- SHARC

Hi Krystal,

Here is the NR from SHARC. We made some edits to Minister Ralston's quote.

Lori

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quote_V1.docx>

<MEDIA ADVISORY - SHARC - ELLA.docx>

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Supercluster NR
Date: December 4, 2019 9:01:09 AM

PO quote below.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 3, 2019 at 8:46:58 PM PST
To: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Supercluster NR

Sorry, edited the quote again. ~_(\`ツ)_/~

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From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2019 7:19 PM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, George PREM:EX
<George.Smith@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Supercluster NR

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Edited the quote a little. Thanks.

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Subject: FW: Supercluster NR

Hey folks—

Digital Tech Supercluster is announcing \$5 mill into eight projects on Dec 9th. They asked PJH to participate but it didn't work with his schedule, so they'd like to use the following quote from PJH in their NR (also attached):

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Please let me know if it's good to go!

KT

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Subject: Supercluster NR

Hi James and Krystal,

Attached is the draft news release for the upcoming Supercluster announcement. There is a quote for Minister Ralston and Premier Horgan within. We have edited Minister Ralston's quote, but thought it best to leave the Premier's quote to his team for review. Can you please send along to the PO for us?

Request feedback from all by Thursday, Dec. 5 – noon.

Thanks,

Lori

From: [Jang, Monica JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Cc: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC
Date: December 3, 2019 2:42:09 PM

Hi Krystal,

I've discussed with DM and Brad and it should be FIN holding the pen on these Speaking Notes. Can you connect with your colleagues at FIN to find out who could work on the note? If so, Brad can provide our specific key messages to ensure our messaging is captured.

If you could let us know once you've been able to find out?

Thanks,

Monica.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, December 3, 2019 2:08 PM
To: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

Hi Monica,

We'll need program to take on the below (highlighted) because GCPE cannot. Can you accommodate?

Thanks,
KT

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Subject: RE: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC

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Sent from my iPhone

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Date: November 28, 2019 at 2:35:01 PM PST

To: "McNish, James JTT:EX" <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>

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To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Bill Tieleman - Fwd: Proposed invitation letter to BC Finance Minister Carole James from RBC
Date: December 3, 2019 1:28:22 PM

Hello

Yes that is correct. Program will prepare notes for private stakeholder events. Monica will decide who should lead.

Can you CC me when you send it to her. I will follow up to offer help in the form of KMs.

Brad

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 12:18 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
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To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: NR -- SHARC
Date: December 3, 2019 12:42:00 PM

Had a very positive convo with Lynn.

Thoughts on below for a quote?

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To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
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Hi Krystal,

Here is the NR from SHARC. We made some edits to Minister Ralston's quote.

Lori

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Smith, George PREM:EX](#); [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Supercluster NR
Date: December 3, 2019 12:02:00 PM
Attachments: Capacity Building Launch News Release (5)3DEC2019_CLEAN.docx

Hey folks—

Digital Tech Supercluster is announcing \$5 mill into eight projects on Dec 9th. They asked PJH to participate but it didn't work with his schedule, so they'd like to use the following quote from PJH in their NR (also attached):

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Please let me know if it's good to go!

KT

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Subject: Supercluster NR

Hi James and Krystal,

Attached is the draft news release for the upcoming Supercluster announcement. There is a quote for Minister Ralston and Premier Horgan within. We have edited Minister Ralston's quote, but thought it best to leave the Premier's quote to his team for review. Can you please send along to the PO for us?

Request feedback from all by Thursday, Dec. 5 – noon.

Thanks,

Lori

From: [Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX](#)
To: [Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: SHARC
Date: December 3, 2019 9:49:00 AM

Waiting for Lynn to get back to me with more info. He knows I'm waiting on him at this point so don't feel rushed on your side.

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: December 3, 2019 8:41 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: SHARC

Hi Krystal,

I do apologize for linking in with you on this again, but neither Brad or I have gotten back to SHARC and they are expecting us to provide input on their news release. I want to avoid delaying our response much longer. Any updates, please?

Thanks,

Lori

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
To: Lynn Mueller
Subject: RE: Minister Ralston's visit
Date: December 3, 2019 9:49:00 AM
Attachments: image007.png
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image013.png
image014.png
image015.png

Hi Lynn,

What program through Clean BC are you using for the Ella project? My counterparts in the Ministry of Environment are wondering.

Thanks,
Krystal

From: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Sent: November 26, 2019 9:56 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Minister Ralston's visit

Thanks very much for getting back to me so quick, I appreciate it

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Regards,



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From: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, November 26, 2019 at 9:26 AM
To: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Cc: "Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX" <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Minister Ralston's visit

His email is brad.spencer@gov.bc.ca and his phone number is 778-974-3546.

Krys

From: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Sent: November 26, 2019 9:25 AM

To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Minister Ralston's visit

Hi Krys

Can we get Brad's contact info to work with our PR people

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Regards,



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On Nov 22, 2019, at 10:19 AM, Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Great! Definitely happy to participate.

I'm looping in our Communications Director, Brad, so that this is on his radar. His team might call you with some questions.

Krystal

From: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Sent: November 22, 2019 10:14 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Minister Ralston's visit

Hi Krys

Yes we want combine the event so it is just part of his visit

Recovery and recycling the energy in wastewater saves money and CO2, it just makes sense. Have a Green Day.

Regards,

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From: "Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX" <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Friday, November 22, 2019 at 9:55 AM
To: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Subject: RE: Minister Ralston's visit

Hi Lynn,

Thanks for following up. What a great initiative. He can certainly participate in a ribbon cutting. Would the cutting align with his Dec 6th visit?

Many thanks,
Krystal

From: Lynn Mueller <lynn.mueller@sharcenergy.com>
Sent: November 22, 2019 8:20 AM
To: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX <Krystal.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Minister Ralston's visit

Hi Krys

We are excited to have Minister Ralston visiting our facility Dec 6th at 2 PM. We have a Sharc project called Ella which is a 45 unit condo building, the building is going to be using the Clean BC program. Ella is one of the first completely carbon free condo building in the city of Vancouver. There is no natural gas being used for space heating or hot water heating which saves approximately 50 tons of CO2 per year. Ella has a mobile display unit that we will have here the day of Minister Ralston's visit. The question is can Minister Ralston do an opening ceremony ribbon cutting for us? This building shows the BC governments commitment to carbon reduction.

Please advise your thoughts when you can.

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To: Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Sharc Energy
Date: December 2, 2019 3:07:00 PM
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I have ENV looking into the below (highlighted) but I want your advice too.

From: Thomson, Krystal JTT:EX
Sent: November 29, 2019 11:56 AM
To: Sather, Kelly ENV:EX <Kelly.Sather@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Sharc Energy

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Let me know next steps.

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Talk soon,

Lori

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From: [Robb, Amanda JTT:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Minister Mendicino IRCC
Date: December 2, 2019 1:09:43 PM

Yep, they called and I gave them some options for tomorrow or Wed but they haven't called back since. I'll try to track them down...

Amanda Robb

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Have not heard anything. Didn't they reach out to us?

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Have you heard from Mendicino office by chance? Provided them with Dec 3 and 4th options but haven't heard back??

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Sent: November 29, 2019 10:01 AM

To: Liu, Teresa JTT:EX <Teresa.Liu@gov.bc.ca>; Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Jang, Monica JTT:EX <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>; Potheary, Meagan JTT:EX <Meagan.Potheary@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: FYI - FINAL version uploaded CLIFF ID 146855 Minister Mendicino IRCC

Christine Little and Carling Helander to support this call when it's confirmed.

Shirley

From: Teresa Liu <Teresa.Liu@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: November 29, 2019 9:56 AM

To: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX <Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca>; Robb, Amanda JTT:EX <Amanda.Robb@gov.bc.ca>

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Hi Amanda/Hailey,

Please see materials for MBR to have call with Federal Minister Mendicino regarding Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada - tentatively on Dec 3 or 4, 2019.

Thank you,

Teresa

DMO-Deputy Minister **Referral Slip for ID:146855**

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Marco Mendicino
Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship

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Bilateral call between federal Minister Mendicino and MBR to take place December 3rd between 1:00-3:00PM (PST) OR December 4th at 8:30AM (PST). Staff and materials requested.
Due to DMO Nov 29, 2019.

From: [Sather, Kelly ENV:EX](#)
To: [Thomson, Krystal FIN:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Sharc Energy
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