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Hi Jenelyn,

The Premier would like Minister Bains to join the Economic Recovery Task Force call Thursday morning. Details are below. Let me know if he is free. The discussion will involve WorkSafe. I have attached the terms of reference which includes the task force members. An agenda will come later tomorrow. Thanks!

Pre Brief 9:00am – 9:30am

Pre-briefing Con Call Details:

s.15; s.17

With: (all calling in except for PO Staff):

Minister James
Lori Wanamaker, DM
Minister Mungall
Fazil Mihar, DM
Trevor Hughes, DM
Liam Lawson, MA
Danielle Monroe, MA

PO Staff:

Geoff Meggs
Amber Hockin
Don Wright
Christine Kennedy
Jon Robinson (calling in)

Economic Recovery Task Force Call 9:30am – 10:30 (usually runs closer to 11am)

FIN Con Call details:

s.15; s.17

MCJ will moderate

Government: (all calling in except PO Staff)

Premier Horgan
Minister Carole James
Minister Michelle Mungall

Geoff Meggs (in person)
Amber Hockin (in person)
Don Wright (in person)
Christine Kennedy (in person)
Lori Wanamaker, DM
Fazil Mihlar, DM
Trevor Hughes, DM
Liam Lawson, MA
Danielle Monroe, MA
Jon Robinson (calling in)
Evan Pivnik (Observer)

Thanks!

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ECONOMIC RECOVERY TASK FORCE

TERMS OF REFERENCE

Premier Horgan, Minister James, Minister Mungall and other members of Cabinet will hold a weekly conference call with leadership representatives from the B.C. Federation of Labour, First Nations business organizations, the non-profit sector and business organizations including the Business Council of B.C., B.C. Chamber of Commerce, Vancouver Board of Trade and Surrey Board of Trade.

This process will remain in place during British Columbia's emergency response to COVID-19. The weekly calls will provide an opportunity for discussion of the Province's COVID-19 response programs and economic stabilization initiatives and share information that umbrella associations can communicate to their members.

The calls will also seek input on:

- ***Provincial programs developed to respond to COVID-19;***
 - Alignment and coordination between provincial and federal programs;
 - Barriers to uptake being experienced by their members or employees;
 - Whether programs are reaching their target audience;
 - Suggestions for effective communication with members or workers, such as online town halls, Facebook gatherings, virtual meetings or other opportunities.
- ***Issues and opportunities related to:***
 - Essential and critical service designations;
 - Child care and other supports for essential workforces;
 - Safe operating guidelines for sectors that can continue operating;
 - Safe re-start guidelines for sectors where operations have been restricted by orders of the Provincial Health Officer.
- ***Longer-term suggestions for economic recovery and resilience:***
 - General suggestions for recovering B.C.'s economy following COVID-19;
 - Note that sector-specific recovery work would be undertaken directly with sector trade associations and companies. Except when relevant to all participants, these efforts would not be covered on the weekly calls.

PARTICIPANTS:

Premier of BC, John Horgan

Minister of Finance, Carole James

Minister of Jobs, Economic Development & Competitiveness, Michelle Mungall

Geoff Meggs, Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier

Don Wright, Deputy Minister to the Premier, Head of the Public Service

Christine Kennedy, Associate Deputy Minister, Office of the Premier

Lori Wanamaker, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Finance

Fazil Mihar, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development & Competitiveness

Trevor Hughes, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Labour

Greg D'Avignon, President & CEO, Business Council of BC

Val Litwin, President & CEO, BC Chamber of Commerce

Bridgitte Anderson, CEO, Vancouver Board of Trade

Anita Huberman, CEO, Surrey Board of Trade

Laird Cronk, President, BC Federation of Labour

Chief Sharleen Gale, Chair, First Nations Major Project Coalition

Rick FitzZaland, CEO, Federation of Community Social Services

Queenie Choo, CEO, S.U.C.C.E.S.S.

Prem Gill, CEO, Creative BC

Evan Pivnik, Chief of Staff, BC Green Caucus (Observer)