

From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 4, 2017 4:04 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: your views on political fundraising in BC

Dear Premier Clark,

I'm sure you've seen or heard about the article in today's Globe and Mail about the many problems with political fundraising in BC. As the article paints you and your party in a very unfavourable light, I'm writing to hear your views on this issue, in your own words.

I am very concerned about the potentially corrupting influence of these practices on our political system. In your opinion, is there cause for concern? Are there changes your party would make if you achieve a majority in the next election? Or is the article completely off base?

<http://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/investigations/wild-west-bc-lobbyists-breaking-one-of-provinces-few-political-donationrules/article34207677/>

Sincerely,

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

From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 1:34 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: CORRUPTION

I just heard on the news the Green Party wants an investigation into your sleazy lobbyists and a criminal one at that. WAY TO GO CHRISTY. You SCREWED ICBC into dire financial situation and skim from Hydro and our rates go up. Our school system is deplorable, our care homes lack help something awful, our hospitals are s.22 and all I hear you say is you have helped first time home owners, BULLSHIT. Very few can take that scam and use it. LNG is a sham. It will emit tons of green house gases, and pollute ground water. That bridge where the tunnel is will take more farm lands away. You collected 900 million in carbon taxes and tell us all the carrots you are going to give us. MSP premiums be damned. YOU HAVE SCREWED THE PEOPLE OF B.C.. SHAME ON YOU. You are a disgrace and a disgusting human being. I hope you get yours down the road. What goes around comes around. I hope you are defeated and if not GOD HELP US.

s.22

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

From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 4, 2017 10:38 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Corruption in BC political financing

The current lack of limits on who can donate and how much is corrupting to our system of government. It should and must be changed. Your lack of action on this is morally wrong and should damage your re-election chances.

For what to do and how, look to Quebec, which used to be the target of many corruption allegations, and is now becoming a model of campaign financing probity.

Sent from my iPad

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

From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 3:52 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: campaign financing

Dear Mrs. Clark,

The campaign financing laws in this province are a joke. When are you going to do fix this?

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

From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 8:02 AM

To: Fassbender.MLA, Peter LASS:EX; OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Liberal Fundraising

Far too many shade deals going on here, it's about time that the Liberal party were honest with the residents of BC. As a undecided voter, this decision will weigh heavily in my voting decision.

s.22

Sent from my iPad

From: s.22  
Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 6:20 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: campaign financing laws

Dear Mrs. Clark,

I think the existing laws are disgraceful. Please fix them.

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From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 7:21 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Re: Campaign Financing

Dear Premier:

Funny how your party just got caught bing the ridiculously limited fundraising rules you have. Is it just a coincidence that Laura Miller still works for your party?

Oh, and thanks for the  $\$$  years of diminished education my children received thanks to your illegal legislation, not to mention my tax dollars you wasted fighting for it in court.

And enough of the pre-election advertising with my tax dollars. Your party should be paying for that.

Cheers.

s.22

On Sun, Mar 5, 2017 at 12:41 PM, s.22 | wrote:

Dear Premier:

The BC rules on political donations are a blight on democracy in our province. It is time for real limits on how political parties are funded.

This will certainly affect my vote this year.

s.22



From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 2:53 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; contact@bcliberals.com

Subject: Political Donations to Your Party

To whom it may concern:

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but I doubt that I can continue to do so. What has driven me to this point are the revelations in the Globe and Mail concerning your party's exploitation of the lax laws regarding political donations. This does not just smell, it stinks! How can you possibly project yourselves as competent and trustworthy guardians of what is best for this great province when you refuse to address this issue? It is irresponsible and reeks of the potential for corruption - or, more likely, it is corrupt already.

I implore you to address this issue with a commitment to a comprehensive and cogent reframing of the laws and regulations surrounding political donations so that our laws and processes are brought in line with the rest of the country. If you don't commit to this - preferably before the writ is dropped -s.22

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From: s.22  
Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 3:23 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Leadership?

Madam Premier

Donations from large corporations to the Liberal Party of BC is legalized bribery. It appears that your government has been bought and paid for by the corporate lobby. You are taking huge amounts of money from people who need your government to make decisions in their favour. SHAME!!! s.22

This election is yours to lose.

s.22

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 4:17 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: Union and corporate donations

From: s.22  
Sent: March 6, 2017 6:58 AM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: Union and corporate donations

Ban the excessive amounts of money donated by unions and corporations and set a limit for individual donations. These excessive donations are buying govts. and I think we are above 3rd world status. You are making the NDP look like the only party to vote for now. s.22

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

From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 12:47 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; Fassbender.MLA, Peter LASS:EX

Subject: UBER

You Liberals sink lower then low. Fassbender you are as lousy a Translink minister as Christy is Premier. What a way to BUY more votes.

The taxi industry has begged for new licenses for years. But NO WAY. So now you give us the BULLSHIT about modernizing the taxi industry. Makes on think "what did they do to get in there". The other day on the news the Green Party suggested there is CORRUPTION in your government with the lobbyists paying homage to the Liberal bank account. I have an answer for it. GET THE HELL OUT, WE HAVE NO USE FOR NONE OF YOU. Again Christy your bullshit about helping home buyers seniors middle class is nothing more then political rhetoric. The other night you were doing a photo op so we turned the voice off and got just as much out of it.

NOTHING you say interests us. You are old place and you are wasteful as hell. If I ran my finances like you do I would be bankrupt. What YOU did to ICBC will cost us hard working people a bundle. Skimming is stealing.

Scamming is underhanded and allowing those "foreign buyers" to buy up OUR province is disgusting and disgraceful. Do you Liberals ever look in the mirror? I guess not it would crack. Lies Lies and more Lies. WHAT KIND OF PEOPLE ARE YOU? Remember you are NOTHING more then a public servant. And I am sick of paying for you to live off of me.

s.22

PS Take that damn Cadieux and Bond with you.

From: s.22  
Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 7:24 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Corruption

Hello,

I'm just an average joe citizen.

Just writing to let you know how thoroughly disgusted I am with what I read in the Globe this past weekend.

"We've done nothing wrong" is not very convincing.

You don't deserve to govern.

s.22

From: s.22  
Sent: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 6:27 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Campaign finance reform

Dear Premier:

The Globe and Mail reports that you said:

"While the system we have is not perfect and there are lots of things that we can and should do to fix it," she said, "a worse system would be one where the money is not given freely and people are forced to support political parties through their taxes."

Those aren't the only two choices. It is time to clean up this province's archaic campaign financing system by limiting donations.

This is a province for everyone who lives here, not just real estate developers.

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From:s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 7, 2017 4:33 PM

To: mayorandcouncillors@richmond.ca; John Horgan; OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: money.

Hi

This Liberal government is very corrupt Is that why the communist chinks in china give her gov money ?

Is that why local chinks support her corrupt government ? How low will chinks go ?

Have to learn french but chinks that have lived in Canada for 100 years cannot speak english. Just mumble

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

From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, March 9, 2017 9:36 AM

To: Thornthwaite.MLA, Jane LASS:EX; OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Donations

Dear MLA and Premier,

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But this

debacle over donations has seriously shaken my faith. I find it reprehensible that in the 21st century we're still dealing with this kind of behaviour in B.C. Both parties are guilty but you Liberals are in far deeper than the NDP. If you want to restore the public's trust this must STOP IMMEDIATELY. Show us that you will change the laws regarding fundraising and put it behind you.

This is shameful behaviour and has made me disillusioned with the whole process of governance. It's no wonder then that the voter turn out is so poor. I've talked to many coworkers who say "what's the point of voting when it's so corrupt anyway?" To which I've always said it's our democratic right to vote and they should exercise it as people have laid down their lives in WW2 and other wars so that we could have that right.

Clean up your act now.

s.22

Sent from my iPhone



From: s.22

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 10:15 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Donations

The Liberal Party and you must be fined 2.5 Billion Dollars for allowing foreign Chinese to contribute to your party, the law must be changed before the next election making it illegal for foreigners to donate to any party in BC and must be a Citizen of Canada, punishment 3 years in jail and money donated is not refundable this is not acceptable behavior by you, why do you not move to China and take this incompetent BC Trade Minister with you

s.22

You are becoming a disgrace to the Party

From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, March 9, 2017 4:53 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Leadership?

Madam Premier

So now I will know in real time who is buying the government. Stop legalized corruption of our democracy. Do the right thing by ending corporate and union donations and limiting individual contributions.

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This election is yours to lose.

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From: s.22  
Sent: Thursday, March 9, 2017 1:03 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Cc: Horgan.MLA, John LASS:EX  
Subject: alternative facts

Ms Clark

I see that the BC Liberals are now using alternative facts in their advertising. The CC4BC web site states that the NDP supports the Leap Manifesto. This is fake news.

I should be shocked that the BC Liberals are openly lying, but I'm not. I just won't vote for you.

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

From: Russell, Shannon [mailto:Shannon.Russell@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Saturday, March 11, 2017 4:23 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: From Opposition Leader John Horgan to Premier Clark

Importance: High

? Please find attached a letter from Opposition Leader John Horgan to Premier Christy Clark for urgent review.

Thank you.

Shannon Russell

On Behalf of John Horgan, Leader

New Democrat Official Opposition?

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Province of  
British Columbia  
Legislative Assembly



John Horgan, MLA  
(Juan de Fuca)

March 11, 2017

The Honourable Christy Clark  
Premier  
PO Box 9041 Stn Prov Govt  
Victoria, British Columbia  
V8W 9E1

Dear Premier Clark:

In light of this week's revelations about Liberal fundraising practices, international news coverage about the "wild west" of BC's political cash, and now an RCMP investigation, British Columbians are demanding immediate action to fix the problem of big money's influence on government.

As the last pre-election sitting of the House draws to a close, I urge you to introduce on Monday legislation that bans union and corporate donations, puts a cap on donations, and bans foreign donations.

As you know, BC's Opposition New Democrats have introduced such legislation six times. You are welcome to use our bills as groundwork for Government legislation banning big money next week.

BC has been embarrassed internationally for your Government's refusal to ban the influence of big money in our democracy.

If you introduce such legislation Monday, I assure you the New Democrat Official Opposition will work to ensure its speedy passage. Nothing less will do, Premier. You have the power to fix the problem of big money's influence on government this week if you choose.

Let's get it done. I look forward to hearing back from you.

Yours sincerely,

John Horgan, Leader  
New Democrat Official Opposition



From: s.22

Sent: Sunday, March 12, 2017 2:07 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; Minister, JAG JAG:EX

Cc: NDP John Horgan; Heyman.MLA, George LASS:EX; Elections BC, Generalmail EBC:EX; info@dogwoodbc.ca; Weaver.MLA, Andrew LASS:EX; Farnworth.MLA, Mike LASS:EX; Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX; BC Rep AFN

Subject: Justice for BC: ensure that all your POLITICAL DONATIONS investigations are open and accountable > consequences

Dear Premier Clark and Honourable Suzanne Anton, BC Minister of Justice,

I am deeply concerned to read the Chief Electoral Officer's statement about the BC Liberals' connection to potentially inappropriate political donations:

#### STATEMENT BY THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

VICTORIA - Elections BC is reviewing information regarding indirect political contributions and other potential contraventions of the Election Act that were recently made public through the media.

These alleged contraventions include indirect political contributions and making or accepting political contributions improperly. Elections BC takes any potential contravention of the Election Act seriously and will be investigating this matter further.

Section 186 of the Election Act outlines restrictions on making political contributions, including prohibiting indirect political contributions (that is, making a contribution with the money, property or services of another).

source: <http://elections.bc.ca/news/bulletin-statement-by-the-chief-electoral-officer/>

Even the appearance of alleged donations from Kinder Morgan lobbyists and staff to the BC Liberals prior to your government's approval of their pipeline raises very serious ethical questions about your party's ability to be influenced inappropriately (and perhaps illegally) by corporate funds. According to the Dogwood Institute, donations to the BC Liberals from individuals connected to Kinder Morgan include:

- Ian Anderson, President, Kinder Morgan Canada: \$7,300
- Gavin Dew, Stakeholder Engagement Specialist: \$13,120
- Lexa Hobenshield, External Relations Manager: \$3,725
- Stephanie Snider, consulting lobbyist: \$1,000

source: <https://dogwoodbc.ca/elections-bc-investigates-kinder-morgan-donations/>

If these allegations are proven to be correct:

- 1) I expect to see all those responsible for, and connected to this scandal resign immediately from political office and/or to not run in the upcoming provincial election. It is clearly unacceptable for any elected representative to continue serving the BC public if they have committed such an offensive act as a member of government. There is simply no alternative.
- 2) in any case, the fines for such illegal, unethical activities need to be raised significantly to address and reflect the serious breach to both public accountability and ethical standards by an elected member of the legislature. Please consider raising the (possible) limit to \$100,000/offence and/or longer jail time. There needs to be more serious, actual consequences and the citizens of BC need to know that people who break these rules WILL face them.
- 3) the public also needs to see specific consequences which quickly address an elected representative's involvement in any such dishonest, unethical actions.

This province must and will set a much higher standard for political representation, especially when it comes to political donations of any kind. It is not acceptable for any group to appear to have "special consideration" because of their monetary links to a political group or individual.

I look forward to clear, honest, honourable and ethical actions from ALL elected representatives, with respect to any and all political donations, period.

Please respond to my concerns in writing at your earliest convenience. The BC electorate deserves to know the full truth about these allegations BEFORE we go to the polls in May.

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copies to: John Horgan, Leader of the NDP; Andrew Weaver, Leader of the Green Party; Elections BC; The Dogwood Initiative; George Heyman, MLA for Vancouver-Fairview; Mike Farnworth, Solicitor General/critic; Leonard Krog, Opposition spokesman for the Attorney General; BC Representative to the Assembly of First Nations; BC citizens BCCed for privacy

s.22

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 10:28 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: New submission from Contact Your Constituency Office

From: s.22  
Sent: March 10, 2017 5:49 PM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: New submission from Contact Your Constituency Office

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Comments & Feedback

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i am very unhappy with the BC Liberal party donation policy, accepting large donations from assorted special interest groups and foreign entities (especially property developers). This practise is undemocratic and immoral, and is very similar to that of the last (and disasterous NPD) government. i will not vote for continued Liberal party governance and will vigorously discuss with my friends and colleagues to act likewise, until this policy is rescinded. The "real time" details that your party is proposing does NOT address the fundamental issue here and is insulting to BC voters.



From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 11, 2017 5:16 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Minister, MNGD MNGD:EX; Minister, ENV ENV:EX; Shepard, Michael EAO:EX

Subject: Woodfibre LNG EA process

March 11, 2017

Dear Madam Premier,

In our opinion the Provincial Government's ability to administer affairs in a fair and impartial manner is absolutely, without question compromised. One can't help but see that the Environmental Assessment to date, for Woodfibre LNG, is called into question. The public will see the Environmental Assessment for Woodfibre LNG as bought and paid for, so, this latest public engagement is a meaningless process at this time. Please let me refresh your memory with just a few items to prove my case -

1. The Globe and Mail shows that while Woodfibre LNG's money was flowing into the Liberal war chest, the B.C. government was conducting its environmental assessment of the project, ultimately approving it, and sweetened the pot for the Indonesian company in a number of other ways. Offered was the very favourable "eDrive rate" for electricity, which critics say is a subsidy worth \$34 million a year. Taxpayer will be on the hook for more increases in our Hydro rates no doubt!!!!

2. Remember back, to that exclusive, "private members" fundraiser at Capilano Golf & Country Club sponsored by Woodfibre LNG. This just weeks away from Provincial Government considering to grant an Environmental Permit for the LNG export terminal at Woodfibre. Read more at - <http://www.vancouverobserver.com/news/bc-liberals-sponsored-woodfibre-lng-swanky-fundraiser>

2. Woodfibre LNG and their staff have donated \$166,934 to the BC Liberal party since 2013, while the project was undergoing its environmental assessment. I question the integrity of BC's environmental assessment process, looks like a rubber stamp approval for the project. With Elections BC calling in the RCMP to investigate, it would seem right for the environmental process be halted until the RCMP findings are completed. Can we count on you to that?

s.22

From: s.22  
Sent: Sunday, March 12, 2017 1:13 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Corruption

Corruption has many forms. Woodfibre LNG donations to the BC Liberals bought the environmental assessment process & then the Indonesian company (with a very questionable record) was given a subsidy worth \$34 million a year. The BC citizens will pay for this for years to come. Shame on you.

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

From: s.22

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 10:48 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Globe and Mail article on liberal corruption

<https://beta.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/bc-liberals-stance-on-donations-an-insult-to-voters/article34253247/?ref=http://www.theglobeandmail.com&service=mobile>

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

From: s.22

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 10:50 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: BC Liberals' stance on donations an insult to voters - The Globe and Mail

<https://beta.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/bc-liberals-stance-on-donations-an-insult-to-voters/article34253247/?ref=http://www.theglobeandmail.com&service=mobile>

Sent from my iPhone

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

From: s.22

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 10:34 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: party financing

Dear Premier:

Am unable to understand how you believe it is fitting and proper for you and your party to accept money from anyone who wants to buy your favour.

There is no way that anyone not entitled to vote in the next provincial election should be allowed to donate to you or your party.

There is no way that anyone but individuals should be allowed to donate.

Individual donations should be limited to one or two hundred dollars per person per year.

People running for office should be supported by public funds, if they meet a basic set of criteria.

No politician, including yourself, should be allowed to be paid any money by anyone or any organization while they hold public office.

You all know what you are running for, and the conditions under which you will serve, if successful.

Accepting money from foreign corporations, and holding private meetings where rich people can get the undivided attention of politicians is beyond despicable.

Apparently ethics in politics is not a part of the Liberal party of British Columbia's strong suits.

s.22

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 3:18 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: political party financing reform

From: s.22  
Sent: March 8, 2017 11:34 PM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: political party financing reform

Dear Ms. Clark:

s.22 to urge that your government implement a ban on donations to B.C. political parties from foreign sources. I am disappointed that I did not receive a response.

I am now writing to express my concern that your government's present initiative on political campaign financing reform does not include a limit on donations, either from domestic or foreign donors. This gives the impression--particularly in light of the recent Globe and Mail investigation of multiple donations to your party by political lobbyists--that your government supports a system of cash-for-access.

I urge your government and the B.C. Liberal Party to take the high road on the issue of political financing reform by banning foreign donations and by setting strict limits on donations from domestic sources. As a B.C. taxpayer, I also support the use of public money to fund B.C. political parties as a means of safeguarding our democracy from undue influence by large private, corporate and union donors. As a disturbing example of the possible deleterious effects of corporate donations, I refer you to yesterday's Vancouver Sun article by Stephen Hume about the B.C. environmental disasters left behind by mining companies.

s.22

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

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 5:29 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: FW: Donations

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

From: s.22

Sent: March 6, 2017 8:30 PM

To: Clark.MLA, Christy

Subject: Donations

After reading about the latest reports about donations to the Liberal Party I just have a feeling outrage and disgust.

Thousand dollar plus a plate private dinner parties.

Hundreds of thousand dollar donations from developers and now the shenanigans regarding donations from lobbyists.

This is truly the wild west. You may think it is legal under the present rules but it seems to me that the rules are being bent.

I think that it is time to put a cap on donations. Access to government by a monied few is not right.

I think the Green Party's idea of restricting donations is the only way to go.

I can hardly wait to see the results of Elections BC and if need be the CRA or RCMP.

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From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 5:27 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: Ban cash for access

From: s.22  
Sent: March 7, 2017 11:31 AM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: Ban cash for access

Election 2017, right around the corner! Delete the corrupt liberal party, delete elitism, delete cash for access! You playing on the wrong side of the tracks. Times up, and time out! Karma catches up!

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The forgotten will be voting this year so you won't be able to forget anymore. Go back to LA LA land. We have had enough of your elitist attitude that ignores the vast majority of our people.

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

From: s.22

Sent: Sunday, March 12, 2017 1:02 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; John Horgan

Cc: Karagianis.MLA, Maurine E LASS:EX

Subject: political contributions

So, would I rather know about the extent of the near-limitless influence peddling involving wealthy, corporate, and even foreign special interests IN REAL TIME, or would I rather it weren't happening at all, that everyone with a vote had the same access to the province's politicians?

Yet another reminder, Ms Clark-it was Stephen Harper's disdain for the electorate that brought about his defeat.

s.22



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

From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 11, 2017 9:37 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; terry.leg.mla@leg.bc.ca; Lee.MLA, Richard LASS:EX

Subject: Shabby Disgusting Sleazy

Those three words best describe you Liberals. DO YOU REALLY THINK WE ARE STUPID? That money Mr. Lake for care homes should have been given years ago. Now we hear the RCMP is going to investigate for underhanded contributions to your party. Even if you are cleared I DON'T TRUST YOU AS FAR AS I COULD THROW YOU. Without a word of a doubt you are all disgusting excuses of human beings, not caring about PEOPLE. It is all about BIG business and that golden pension when you leave. s.22

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I want to know who in Fraser Health had the lack of brains to consolidate the outside health units into the hospital? The CEO's of Fraser Health do not have the mental capacity of a 10 year old. That hospital is so F in busy now and they do that. I guess they have to justify the big salaries. TOP HEAVY AS HELL. But the best part of this ( and I am laughing) is when Richard Lee told me in an email EXACTLY ONE YEAR AGO TODAY, that there would be 4 million dollars in the next three years to plan for rebuilding Burnaby Hospital. You just brought down a budget, and I heard site C, I heard care homes, I heard another chain cable clearing bridge, I heard transportation, I heard schooling, BUT I HEARD NOTHING ABOUT BURNABY HOSPITAL. So Richard Lee is full of BS. If he spent less time hosting coffee parties and putting his picture in the Burnaby Now Paper and DID SOMETHING FOR BURNABY HOSPITAL he would be doing what he is supposed to do. Mind you I don't fault him entirely, when he has an IGNORANT PREMIER, who governs for Big Business and has no use for Mayor Corrigan because he is NDP, well I can see why we don't have a new hospital. The SECOND busiest hospital in the lower mainland and s.22

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Again another politician who will get that golden pension and fade into the sunset

like Harry Bloy who was nothing but a bloody joke. Now you stick Steve Darling in here. Grade 12 education I have been told and nothing more than a face and fluff. God help him if he comes to my door for my vote. I can go toe to toe with him, Richard Lee or you Christy anytime. You are all a bloody disgrace. I am glad Mr.

Lake is not running again and Richard Lee should do the same along with Cadieux, Bond, Linda Reid the bun warmer lady and Mr. Coleman. That would be a great start to cleaning up a disgraceful core that have been there too long like Harper. Have you people no scruples, or honesty left? YOU DO NOT GOVERN FOR JUST LIBERAL AREAS. You are supposed to be the government of "B.C." and that means you help ALLLL of us. s.22

s.22 And if I was I would be soooo disappointed with the way you have caused hardship on the seniors, school children in the East End and the SICK in hospitals. Then you have the audacity to put out TV commercials telling us how much you and the Liberals have done. When they come on or you come on I switch to another channel. Tell me how much is this costing us for you to buy votes? I actually PRAY for the demise of your party. We need a party who works for and with people and business not just for those underhanded lobbyists that support you. Do something right before you leave one way or the other. At least Trump didn't takes bribes or so called DONATIONS, to finance his election as you are doing. Because YOU KNOW and I KNOW they will come back to be repaid. They can't do that to Trump. So STOP THE DAMN "CORRUPT" PRACTICE as the Green Party has stated on the news this week. What a shame we can't have a party like the Socreds back where BOTH sides benefited, not just ONE side. Christy get a life and do something HONORABLE before you leave. Every time I see that word before MLA's names I want to vomit. Honorable my ass. Finally Richard Lee what I went through again the other night, was disgusting. So maybe you should step aside for lack of doing NOTHING.

s.22

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

From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 11, 2017 10:46 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Corporate Donations are Disgraceful . . .

Ms. Clark,

Provincial politics hasn't particularly been on my radar until now given the fracas in the US.

However, now that the media is reporting on the out-of-control and probably illegal donations to the Liberal Party of BC, I am honestly shocked and disappointed at what has been going on under the noses of BC residents for years. The New York Times even saw fit to publish a story about the issue.

If you intend on being re-elected in May, you and your party had better clean up this disgraceful situation.

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[https://www.nytimes.com/2017/01/13/world/canada/british-columbia-christy-clark.html?\\_r=0](https://www.nytimes.com/2017/01/13/world/canada/british-columbia-christy-clark.html?_r=0)

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From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 11, 2017 11:20 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Campaign Financing

I urge your government, in the strongest terms, to deal with this issue once and for all. And I don't mean by enhancing the so-called transparency requirements which you are apparently going to announce shortly.

Nothing short of rewriting ALL ASPECTS of campaign finance rules to mirror the eminently reasonable and workable rules in Quebec will be acceptable to many of your current electorate. The smoke and mirrors tactics you have used to date are an insult to us all and only serve to underscore the extent of your governments cynicism on this issue.

Premier....you surprised all of us with your unforeseen win in the last election. If you continue to be unresponsive and tone deaf on this critically important issue, you're going to be equally surprised at how fast we voters are going to withdraw our support.

FIX IT NOW! The issue will dissipate in time to have minimal effect in the upcoming campaign allowing your otherwise very credible track record to dominate. Continue to obfuscate and this monster WILL suck the oxygen out of your campaign and leave the door to victory wide open to an NDP win.

Last point; do you really trust polling that may be telling you that this is not a big issue to voters? You've now got an RCMP investigation underway with results/updates to be leaked out on whose schedule?? You have major national media pillorying your government for its lack of response. You would do well to recall how the last weeks of a campaign can change the outcome of an otherwise sure thing election; just ask Hillary!

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

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 10:19 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: FW:

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

From: s.22

Sent: March 12, 2017 7:57 PM

To: Clark.MLA, Christy

Subject:

Dear Ms Clark

I note your new ads denouncing Horgan. Ads paid for by corporate donations that you and your party continue to accept despite overwhelming public opposition. Despite the fact that it is glaringly apparent you and your party are in the pockets of corporate interests that care little for the needs of the average BC voter.

Ain't going to fool me, Ms Clark. If you want to have a hope of being elected again, you need to stop being a self serving liar and start listening to your citizens.

Sincerely

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Sent from my iPhone

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From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 10:12 AM

To: Fassbender.MLA, Peter LASS:EX; OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Political Financing

Changes need to be immediate not months down the road, get with it or you will loose the next election. Take action now.

s.22

Sent from my iPad

From: s.22  
Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 5:42 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Leadership?

Madam Premier

So you promise to set up a group to investigate if fund raising rules should be changed. This promise is contingent on the re-election of your government and you are under no obligation to act on any recommendations proposed. Nothing has changed. This is a serious election issue and it is not going away!

Talk is cheap. s.22

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

From: s.22

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 9:18 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Bribery

Dear Premier Clark:

I don't want my government determining health policy based on the size of donations to the governing Party from Big Pharma, Big Pot, Big Alcohol, or Big Tobacco, establishing environmental programs based on the size of donations from the oil industry or fish farmers, or deciding taxation and social safety net strategy based on the size of donations from only the wealthiest citizens.

Donations to political parties must be limited to \$100 per person, and completely prohibited from corporations and unions in order for true democracy to be established and maintained.

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From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 7:41 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Larson.MLA, Linda LASS:EX; Horgan.MLA, John LASS:EX

Subject: Political Donations

Dear Premier,

I would like to express my concerns that the BC Liberals have still not moved to severely limit the amount and the source of donations to political parties. It is very undemocratic and un-Canadian to have rich foreigners and corporations possibly gaining undue influence with elected officials through such donations.

It is shocking that this continues to be a very real possibility in BC.

Legislation can be enacted quickly - the ethically right thing to do would be to change the law today.

There should be no donations over one hundred dollars.

Yours truly,

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Sent: Friday, March 10, 2017 11:20 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; Coleman.MLA, Rich LASS:EX

Subject: B.C. Political Donations

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we continue to follow with interest the ongoing 'cash for access' scenario within this province and your party. Unlimited corporate and union donations to political parties are not only unethical, but also are eventually poisonous to the recipient. We're watching and we don't like what we see. The optics suck!

Recent newscasts and the March Maclean's Magazine report have laid bare the incestuous relationship between your government and big business, unions and organizations. Time to clean up your act, Liberals! Our votes hang in the balance.

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From: s.22

Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 11:48 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Fed: Elizabeth May: Leader of the Green Party of Canada; Conservative Party of Canada c/o Hon Rona Ambrose, Leader of the Opposition; CAPP (Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers); CCPA (Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives); m- Local News at Times Colonist; Media - The Tyee (2/08)

Subject: YOUR upcoming choices, "expert" panelists for BC's Campaign funding / Electoral reform

Madam Premier

May one trust that, for example, if you seek nominees through the like of Rona Andrews MP, and Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers - you will also seek nominees through the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives and Elizabeth May MP?

Sincerely

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From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 11:53 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: New submission from Contact Your Constituency Office

From: s.22  
Sent: March 14, 2017 8:07 AM  
To: Clark.MLA, Christy  
Subject: New submission from Contact Your Constituency Office

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Comments & Feedback  
Good Am Madame Premier

I hear a panel will be in place soon to look at to investigate political fundraising etc etc...

I myself look forward to answers what started 50 plus years back many many many promise's made ...

Now been s.22 and always a Activist.....I hope my vision, determination and the many many Good Women and Men who educated in Good faith what the Goal has always been

Does the above lines confuse ????? or again is it just a way to have you read and comment back starting from within :):):)

Keep my Name on File for this Panel.....Ive only spent s.2 years of this life looking for answers and any and all challenges to make things better for ALL

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The Premier  
 P.O. Box 9041  
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 Victoria BC  
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Mr Clark:

More than two years have passed since I first began the process of contacting you for a personal meeting or telephone conference to discuss issues which are of a real concern to me.

During this time I have sent you a handwritten note and multiple emails and telephone requests, but all to no avail. Working with my MLA Terry Lake's office also proved to be futile, so it is out of this feeling of frustration that I continue the process, which in a democracy is my right. Even my emails to your "scheduling" department have not been acknowledged.

I am well aware you cannot meet with everyone who requests it, but more than two years of this process still has gotten me nowhere. Is it that you do not consider my concerns important or that you do not see any value

in speaking with an ordinary citizen?

It is knowledge that foreign and domestic corporations, wealthy individual donors and business and real estate conglomerates donate thousands of dollars to speak with you at your party's fund-raising events. It is a given that these donors will have a certain influence on the decisions you and your party make for the direction of this province. Sadly, because of financial constraints, most of us cannot participate in the above process, which in essence is undermining the "democratic process". It is becoming evident that British Columbia is essentially a "plutocracy" where the wealthiest of us are now governing the province.

I continue to request either a personal meeting or a telephone conference with you to discuss the issues which I have repeatedly expressed in previous communications with your office.

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

From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, December 8, 2016 2:08 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Michael Den Tandt: Trudeau must end cash-for-access fundraising, or face a crippling erosion of his brand

Ms Clark,

Please peruse this article from today's National Post as it certainly is applicable to you and your party's position on cash for access.

We, the citizens of BC deserve better when it comes to an open and accountable government.

I am requesting a personal reply from you with justification for your cash-for-access fundraising within the BC Liberal party.

Regards,

s.22

<http://news.nationalpost.com/full-comment/michael-den-tandt-trudeau-must-end-cash-for-access-fundraising-or-face-a-crippling-erosion-of-his-brand>

Sent from my iPad



From: s.22

Sent: Saturday, March 4, 2017 7:21 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: Fundraising - Globe and Mail

Premier Clark

I have read the story in the Globe and Mail (link below) about the lack of fundraising regulation in BC. s.22 and I have to say that I find the allegations made in the story to be quite troubling. I'm curious what your response is. I certainly hope that regulations similar to those in other jurisdictions are introduced here soon.

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<http://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/investigations/wild-west-bc-lobbyists-breaking-one-of-provinces-few-political-donationrules/article34207677/>

Sent from my LG Mobile

From: s.22  
Sent: Monday, March 6, 2017 10:04 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Cc: contact@bcliberals.com; Horgan.MLA, John LASS:EX  
Subject: Liberal fundraising

Ms. Clark

There have been numerous articles in the papers recently about the nuances of the fundraising practices being used by the BC Liberals. I am appalled and horrified that you and the party believe that such practices are acceptable.

They are not.

These practices make it appear that influence peddling is normal practice for your government. That cannot be allowed to continue.

s.22 unless you announce a complete revamp of the laws governing political contributions, eliminating corporate and union donations, eliminating fundraising dinners and especially banning donations from registered lobbyists.

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s.22 given the arrogant, disdainful and disrespectful way you deal with the people of this province.

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

From: Clark.MLA, Christy [mailto:Christy.Clark.MLA@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 10:18 AM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Subject: FW: CBC news : Vancouver West End renters shocked by proposed monthly increase to rent

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

From: s.22

Sent: March 12, 2017 8:24 PM

To: Clark.MLA, Christy

Subject: CBC news : Vancouver West End renters shocked by proposed monthly increase to rent

Maybe if they resold BC Liberal Party fundraising tickets they could get a break on rent.

Residents of an apartment building on Harwood Street in Vancouver's West End say their property manager, Martello Property Services, is unfairly raising their rents by as much as 43 per cent, prompting the local MLA to ask for changes to the Residential Tenancy Act.

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/vancouver-west-end-geographic-area-increase-clause-spike-rents-1.4021985>

Shared from the CBC News App for iPhone

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From: s.22

Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 5:16 PM

To: Horgan.MLA, John LASS:EX; Stilwell.MLA, Michelle LASS:EX; OfficeofthePremier,  
Office PREM:EX

Subject: Another American Style Political Ploy?

Ms. Clark & Ms Stilwll,

Is the accusation that the NDP hacked your Liberal computers just another Donald Trump wanna be trick to garner yourselves attention? It gets you headlines on the local Liberal newspapers and TV stations, but they are well known, like you, at making "Fake News".

Is this the kind of election that we can expect with your millions of dollars of donations from real estate agents and other millionaires? s.22 while you get "your expenses paid".

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when it comes to the

election in the spring.

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From: s.22  
Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 10:52 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Thanks

To: Christy Clark

Hi,  
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I would like to thank you for taking time out of your very busy schedule to introduce most of us to Doug Clovechok.

In those discussions that always take place after the event, it was a consensus that you were well-informed, articulate, and, the best attribute, in my estimation, you cared - translated, a class act. We were pleased that you came to see us.

Although I wanted to ask you a blunted question, I was glad I didn't get a chance because of what I watched on CBC National that evening: " Elections BC hands donations probe over to RCMP ".

On the way out, I asked Doug what he thought about the donations and he asked me to come and see him . Of concern is the question of how this will play out for him as the challenger in the upcoming campaign and election now that its prominent national news.

In a coincidental twist, I received a call from my MLA Norm MacDonald minutes before attending the Clovechok introduction. This concerned the NDP policy of running either women or LGBTQ candidates only, when he vacates his seat prior to the election. ( he had no idea that you were in Invermere).

I'm sure the NDP will be running hot and heavy with this RCMP probe. But then again, it may be  
s.22 I wanted to caution you with regard to these donations, but, after meeting you, I could see that you would be quite capable of handling adverse situations.

It was my pleasure to meet such an intelligent and elegant lady . If I may be of assistance to you or the party, please contact me.

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From: s.22  
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 10:21 AM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: Re: Thanks

Received. s.22

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