

From: [Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Mihlar, Fazil ITT:EX](#)
Cc: [Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX](#); [Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX](#); [Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX](#); [Wright, Don J. PREM:EX](#); [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: CP News: Notley says Alberta to stop importing B.C. wine in pipeline feud
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:10:59 PM

On this *particular* matter, please note that PJH will be making a more general statement.
Evan

From: Fazil Mihlar
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 2:56 PM
To: "Lloyd, Gcpe:Ex"
Cc: "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" , "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX" , "Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX" , Don Wright , Sage Aaron
Subject: Re: CP News: Notley says Alberta to stop importing B.C. wine in pipeline feud
Thx. I talked to MGH. He is on the way to PO.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:43 PM, Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Yes, we are well aware. To date three media calls. FYI ALL media matters and enquiries are being routed to MGH – as sole spokesperson on TMR and related matters.

EVAN LLOYD

Deputy Minister,

Government Communications and Public Engagement – GCPE

evan.lloyd@gov.bc.ca

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From: "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 2:19 PM
To: "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX" <Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca>, Fazil Mihlar <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>, "Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX" <Bobbi.Plecas@gov.bc.ca>, Don Wright <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Lloyd, Gcpe:Ex" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CP News: Notley says Alberta to stop importing B.C. wine in pipeline feud

Don/Fazil/Bobbi:

Don't know if you have seen the latest. Our wine industry is growing increasingly concerned and has been in regular contact with my office and the MO. My Minister is currently in Kelowna meeting with stakeholders (including the wine industry) and is doing a media avail (hopefully trying to avoid speaking to this issues, and definitely not being proactive about it). Our GCPE is awaiting messaging from the PO in case this issue is raised in the media avail.

Wes

From: McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX

Sent: February 6, 2018 2:11 PM

To: Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: CP News: Notley says Alberta to stop importing B.C. wine in pipeline feud

Here.

From: tno@gov.bc.ca [<mailto:tno@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:08 PM

Subject: CP News: Notley says Alberta to stop importing B.C. wine in pipeline feud
CP News

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 6:56 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Time change of scrum

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Geoff

GEOFF MEGGS
Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier
West Annex, Parliament Buildings,
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8

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

From: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 6:30 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Time change of scrum

We have to push it to 2pm because of av issues.

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Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 6:37 PM
To: LP Executive Assistants; LP Ministerial Assistants
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Key Messages

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Thank you,

Layne

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 6:36 PM
To: LP Executive Assistants; LP Ministerial Assistants
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Key Messages

Hi All,

Please see below key messages on the events of today:

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Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
250-818-4881

Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:14 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Heads Up:

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:13 PM
To: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Heads Up:

Just received

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Anderson, Steve JTT:EX" <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 6, 2018 at 3:04:38 PM PST
To: "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX" <Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca>, "Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX" <Janna.Jessee@gov.bc.ca>, "Hammond, James JTT:EX" <James.Hammond@gov.bc.ca>, "Sali, Meghan JTT:EX" <Meghan.Sali@gov.bc.ca>, "McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX" <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>, "Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX" <Lara.Perzoff@gov.bc.ca>, "Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX" <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>, "Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX" <Robert.Musgrave@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Heads Up:

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These are our initial review and factual responses. Please do not hesitate to contact us once you get direction on tone and KMs, as we would like to provide input on trade related speaking points

Steve

From: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:28 PM
To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
Cc: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX; Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Heads Up:

Please have some bullets. But MGH is the lead. ^{s.13}

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:24 PM, Anderson, Steve JTT:EX <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Just spoke with Jamie. We are on it and will have some bullets shortly

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:17 PM, Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX <Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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From: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:14 PM
To: Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Anderson, Steve JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Cc: Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Subject: Heads Up:

Hi we have two media requests from CKNW and CFX on this. I'm waiting to find out if this is our lead or not.

Breaking

Alberta premier announces immediate boycott on B.C. wines

**'I know a lot of Albertans who love B.C. wine, quite
frankly, I'm one of them'**

CBC News Posted: Feb 06, 2018 2:52 PM MT Last Updated: Feb
06, 2018 2:52 PM MT

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From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:10 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Draft KMs - REVISED

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Sage
778-678-0832

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:42 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Draft KMs

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX" <Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 6, 2018 at 2:37:22 PM PST
To: "Beale, William AGRI:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX" <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>, "Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX" <Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Draft KMs

KM's for Popham

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From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:22 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX <Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca>; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX
<Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Draft KMs

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KMs

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Tim Howlett
Issues Manager
Strategic Issues Division, GCPE
250.208.4828

Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:53 PM
To: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William AGRI:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Draft KMs

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Tim Howlett
Issues Management
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Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:22 PM
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Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:26 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: messaging for ravi

Thank you so much!

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:25 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: messaging for ravi

Here is the Premier's statement and some KMs. I will send to Ravi.

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From: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:22 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: messaging for ravi

Ravi is still waiting on messaging –
He is on two shows tomorrow morning

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX

Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: messaging for ravi

Will have something for you shortly.

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
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On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:46 PM, Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX <Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

SEE BELOW

From: Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:46 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Subject: messaging for ravi

Ravi has asked for messaging on Alberta wine situation. He is on two radios tomorrow and wants to know if they ask about Alberta BC war (Kinder Morgan) what can he say?

Shruti Prakash-Joshi
Media Relations Officer
Government Communications & Public Engagement
Shruti.Joshi@gov.bc.ca s.17

Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:36 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Alberta wine ban

Thanks Jenn, Much appreciated.
Shruti

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 6, 2018, at 4:30 PM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Please find the premier's statement and some messages below:

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Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 6:21 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Wine ban

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Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 10:34 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Conference Call Attendees

FYI

From: Beale, William AGRI:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 10:11 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX
Subject: Conference Call Attendees

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Subject: Wine Conference Call Attendees

Winery producers were quite upset with the announcement, but very appreciative of Minister Call and urgency on the issue. The members of the BC Wine Institute on the call felt their industry should not be dragged into a dispute about oil. There is no direct correlation between oil and wine. The BC wine industry is comprised of family farms and small businesses.

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Here is the list of producers from the wine industry that minister had made the calls to.

1. Anthony Von Mandl - Mission Hill
2. Scot Locke - GM Cedar Creek Winery
3. Karnail Sidhu - Owner Kalala Winery
4. David Wilson - Chair Canadian Business Association
5. Miles Prodan - CEO BC Wine Institute
6. Barinder Sall - VP Mark Anthony Group Inc
7. Ian Gilbrith - Mission Hill Estate winery

8. Steven Cipes - Owner Summerhill Winery

9 Ian Tostenson - CEO BC Restaurant and Food Assoc.

Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

From: Beale, William AGRI:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 1:52 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: FW: update on wine
Attachments: Potential options to support BC wine industry.docx

FYI

From: Beale, William AGRI:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject: FW: update on wine

Mira,

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Let me know when you have time to discuss

Will

From: Mack, James AGRI:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 12:35 PM
To: Beale, William AGRI:EX
Subject: FW: update on wine

I'll give you a call to walk through this with you

From: Mack, James AGRI:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 12:34 PM
To: Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX
Cc: Lalani, Arif AGRI:EX; Hrycuik, Lorie AGRI:EX; Easton, Joan E AGRI:EX; Patterson, Mat AGRI:EX; Hodson, Georgina AGRI:EX; Cameron, Sandra AGRI:EX; Scott, Melissa AGRI:EX
Subject: update on wine

Wes,

Lots of moving pieces so wanted to send an update to try and loop everyone in.

- 1) We have a 3pm call with ADMs from AGRI (both divisions), Liquor Control Licensing Branch (Michelle Carr), Liquor Distribution Branch, and JAG legal counsel
- 2) JTT has a draft note going to their DM on high level options which has been shared with ministries and I've attached it here. Looks okay to me but we're reviewing.
- 3) We have blocked out analysis of the 10 recommendations (second attachment). It includes some ideas of what we could do (includes the two projects Arif mentioned to you) along with the ten recommendations.
 - a. Note that almost all of the recommendations are with LCLB/LDB. Michelle is going to try and fill these in for discussion at 3pm but I anticipate all of them will be described as having legal and trade issues
- 4) Will mentioned that the Minister might have to go out earlier on this so I'll give him a status update waiting for other ministries to weigh in.

Let me know if we're missing anything or if anything else is needed.

James Mack

Assistant Deputy Minister – Agriculture Science and Policy

Ministry of Agriculture

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From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 7:32 AM
To: LP Executive Assistants; LP Ministerial Assistants
Cc: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Bain, Don PREM:EX; Cavanagh, Judy PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Correction to KM

Hi Everyone:

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Please use the below message.

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. Thank you!

Sage Aaron, Communications Director
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For tomorrow...would Premier or Minister be available for an interview on Power & Politics?

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From: [Rochon, Jake](#) PREM:EX
To: [Holmwood, Jen](#) PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Pipeline and BC WINE
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:20:09 PM

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From: donald s
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:14 PM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX
Subject: Pipeline and BC WINE

This is Donald From News now Media Canada
whats the take on the BC govt about Alberta boycotting BC WINE because of a pipeline

can someone email me back

Thanks

Sent from [Outlook](#)

From: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: statement re: Alberta wine boycott
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:28:00 AM

Can you forward?

From: Heather Moriarty [mailto:heather.moriarty@cbc.ca]
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:26 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: statement re: Alberta wine boycott

Hi Jen,

I produce the noon radio program for CBC in Alberta. Please forward me the statement that Premier Horgan has released in reaction to Alberta's boycott of BC wine. Thanks, Heather

From: [Minister, AGRI AGRI:EX](#)
To: [McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX](#); [MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Beale, William AGRI:EX](#); [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Wine Boycott
Date: Friday, February 9, 2018 11:49:26 AM
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)

Hi Folks,

This is a media request that got buried in our general correspondence.

Greg Atkinson

Executive Assistant to Hon Lana Popham
Minister of Agriculture

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From: Popham.MLA, Lana [<mailto:Lana.Popham.MLA@leg.bc.ca>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:44 AM
To: Minister, AGRI AGRI:EX
Subject: FW: Wine Boycott

From: Rachelle Elsiufi [<mailto:Rachelle.Elsiufi@citytv.rogers.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 7:34 AM
To: Popham.MLA, Lana <Lana.Popham.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Wine Boycott

Hello Lana,

I'm a reporter with Citynews Edmonton. I was looking for a statement from your office regarding Alberta's B.C wine boycott.

Do you think similar penalties could be imposed on Alberta's products?

Thanks.

Rachelle Elsiufi
Video Journalist, CityNews

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From: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Premier's response to Notley?
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:50:41 PM
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)

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From: Marcella Bernardo <Marcella.Bernardo@vancouverradio.rogers.com>
Date: February 6, 2018 at 4:44:48 PM PST
To: "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Premier's response to Notley?

Hi,

NEWS1130 hasn't received Horgan's response yet to Notley re: wine.

Would love to talk to him if he's available, but again, some important emails not making it to us.

Thanks?
Marcella

Marcella Bernardo
Reporter/Producer

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To: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#); [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#); [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Messaging for Premier
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:27:40 AM

I know this morning the focus is all on wine, but there are a few additional things I would like to send home with the Premier tonight so he is prepared for his avail and interview tomorrow. Most of these are just documents that need to be forwarded to Amber:

- ICBC messaging
- Cannabis messaging
- Any messaging that frames the upcoming throne speech
- KM letter/wine ban/USW letter (he will probably already have this from today)

Can Amber have these by 4:30 today? Thanks!

Sheena McConnell, Press Secretary
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From: [MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#); [Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Popham
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 12:09:10 PM
Attachments: [Wine Question.m4a](#)

Do you think is the next step BC in some way retaliating against this on some Alberta product?

I mean you can get into a back-and-forth like that, but really it shouldn't be happening at all. I don't know where we're going to go but we should have a healthy relationship with Alberta in the way that we trade products like we bring in a lot of Alberta beef into British Columbia so I would rather not go down that route and I don't know where we're going to go but one thing is for sure is that we'll fight as hard as we can for our wineries.

Could you ban Alberta beef? Is there some mechanism that would allow you to do it? You know what: it's way too early for me to comment on that. You know that also hurts family farms in Alberta so I would rather not see that domino effect happening. Right now we need to gather together out how to do it and being in communication with the wineries is really important right now but they've also said this is going to hurt family farms in the Kelowna area and all across BC so it's serious.

From: Alex MacDonald [mailto:^{s.22}]
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 11:46 AM
To: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX
Subject:

From: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
To: [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)
Subject: popham
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 3:17:00 PM

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From: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Premier Horgan Statement on Alberta Wine ban
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:03:48 PM

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From: [McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: MEDIA REQUEST: Response to Premier Notley's ban on BC wine imports to Alberta
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:38:58 PM

Will has asked me to share all of the media requests that AGRI has received with you. We've been given direction that Environment is to coordinate media response on this one, so they have these as well.

1. Reporter

Matthew Lazin-Ryder, Producer
CBC - Vancouver
matthew.lazin-ryder@cbc.ca
604-662-6957
Deadline ASAP

Request

if Minister Popham is available to respond re: Alberta and BC Wine, we'd love to talk with her here On the Coast in Vancouver. To save time and people bothering you, I'll request interviews for the Kelowna and Victoria shows as well - please let me know if any, all, or none of these can work.

Vancouver: 4:05

Victoria: 4:35

Kelowna: 5:05

If she can only do one, we'd prefer Vancouver.

2. Reporter (the reporter also reached out to PO)

Julie Gordon, Reporter
Thomson Reuters Foundation
julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com

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Deadline ASAP

Request

I was unsure which department would respond to this. Alberta Premier Rachel Notley has said her province will no longer import B.C. wine, due to continuing disagreement over B.C.'s environmental rules related to crude oil transport. Can any of you provide comment on this. For agriculture in particular, what is the value of wine exports to Alberta?

3. Reporter

Roszan Holmen, Producer
CFAX 1070
roszan.holmen@bellmedia.ca

s.22

Deadline ASAP

Request

Is Minister Popham available for an interview tomorrow morning to discuss Notley's move to halt BC wine imports? I'm aiming for an interview sometime BEFORE 9 a.m.

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:06 PM
To: McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX
Cc: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: MEDIA REQUEST: Response to Premier Notley's ban on BC wine imports to Alberta

Thanks Meghan. I will have some more direction to you shortly.

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
250-818-4881

On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:04 PM, McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX <Meghan.McRae@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Jen,

Checking to see if the Premier plans to respond to Premier Notley's call for Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission to immediately stop the import of BC wine. We have the request below. As well, Minister Popham is heading into a planned media avail in Kelowna at 3:00 PM to discuss the ALR revitalization and her roundtable with Okanagan growers. This will likely dominate that avail.

Thanks,
Meghan

From: Matthew Lazin-Ryder [<mailto:matthew.lazin-ryder@cbc.ca>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 1:56 PM
To: Townsend, Dave H GCPE:EX
Subject: CBC Radio Interview Requests re: Alberta/BC Wine

Hi Dave,

Matthew here - if Minister Popham is available to respond re: Alberta and BC Wine, we'd love to talk with her here On the Coast in Vancouver. To save time and people bothering you, I'll request interviews for the Kelowna and Victoria shows as well - please let me know if any, all, or none of these can work.

Vancouver: 4:05
Victoria: 4:35
Kelowna: 5:05

If she can only do one, we'd prefer Vancouver.

I'm here or at 604 662 6957 - number to call in for interview would be 604 669 3733

Thanks Dave,

Matthew Lazin-Ryder

CBC Radio Vancouver
604 662 6957
matthew.lazin-ryder@cbc.ca

Meghan McRae
Communications Director,
Ministry of Agriculture
Government Communications and Public Engagement
P:250-952-0622

From: [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Media requests - Various media - AB wine boycott
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:28:14 PM

And again.

Kevin Orland, Reporter
Bloomberg Media - Calgary
korland@bloomberg.net

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From: Karn, David GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:20 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media requests - Various media - AB wine boycott

One more new.

Kumud Azad
Assignment Editor
CITY TV/OMNI
Kumud.azad@rci.rogers.ca

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From: Karn, David GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:57 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX
Subject: Media requests - Various media - AB wine boycott

Jen, as requested.

Reporters

Kyle Benning, Producer
CKNW AM 980
kyle.benning@corusent.com

s.22 c: 604-331-2766

Mike Smyth, Reporter
Province
msmyth@theprovince.com
250-812-6462

Roszan Holmen, Producer

CFAX 1070

roszan.holmen@bellmedia.ca

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Tess Van straaten, Reporter (Wants to send camera ASAP)

CHEK TV - Victoria

tvanstraaten@cheknews.ca

250-480-3700 c: 250-885-7577

Julie Gordon, Reporter

Thomson Reuters Foundation

julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com

604-396-7906 c: 778-374-3856

Matthew Lazin-Ryder, Producer

CBC - Vancouver

matthew.lazin-ryder@cbc.ca

604-662-6957

Request

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Vancouver: 4:05

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Deadline ASAP

Request

seeking comment from government regarding AB wine boycott

Recommendation

From: Mary Griffin
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Minister Popham
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 3:25:14 PM

Thanks very much, Jen. Much appreciated.

On 7 February 2018 at 14:36, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Mary,

Following on your question regarding Minister Popham, I've included a transcription of the questions and answers from her exchange in Kelowna yesterday below for more context. Let me know if you have any questions.

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From: [Townsend, Dave H GCPE:EX](#)
To: ["julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com"](mailto:julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com); [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Notley says Alberta will no longer import B.C. wine
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:14:45 PM

Thanks for the email Julie, we will look into this for you.

Cheers,

Dave Townsend

Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Agriculture
Office: 250 356-7098 Cell: 250 889-5945
Email: dave.h.townsend@gov.bc.ca

From: julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com [<mailto:julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:09 PM
To: Townsend, Dave H GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Karn, David GCPE:EX
Subject: Notley says Alberta will no longer import B.C. wine

Hi all,

Apologies for the broad email, I was unsure which department would respond to this. Alberta Premier Rachel Notley has said her province will no longer import B.C. wine, due to continuing disagreement over B.C.'s environmental rules related to crude oil transport. Can any of you provide comment on this. For agriculture in particular, what is the value of wine exports to Alberta?

Best,

Julie Gordon

*Vancouver Correspondent
LNG and Energy Reporter*

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julie.gordon@thomsonreuters.com
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From: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
To: [Hunter, Justine](#)
Subject: Re: PM question
Date: Monday, February 5, 2018 12:50:44 PM

We have received it, but have not replied yet.

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
250-818-4881

> On Feb 5, 2018, at 12:36 PM, Hunter, Justine <JHunter@globeandmail.com> wrote:

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> K, ta.

> And my last question - really! - is this: has the premier received a letter from notley yet? (and did he respond?)

> Okay technically that's two questions. But think of it as a question with a supplementary.

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> Here's the reference from one of our stories last week:

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> "Ms. Notley said she will send a letter to Mr. Horgan advising him Alberta has suspended all talks to do with electricity deals that could have netted B.C. up to \$500-million a year through several existing interprovincial transmission lines. "They do not include any discussion of purchases related to Site C, which we will have more to say on later."

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

> From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX [<mailto:Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>]

> Sent: Monday, February 05, 2018 12:25 PM

> To: Hunter, Justine

> Subject: RE: PM question

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> Popham hasn't said anything yet and she's not at caucus today. Her ministry may have something to say, but I haven't chatted with them yet.

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

> From: Hunter, Justine [<mailto:JHunter@globeandmail.com>]

> Sent: Monday, February 5, 2018 12:16 PM

> To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

> Subject: RE: PM question

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> Sorry! bugging you again. We're hearing that the bc wine boycott is growing, is there anything to that? has popham said anything?

> (I didn't go up for caucus outs because I'm waiting by my phone for mungall)

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

> From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX [<mailto:Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>]

> Sent: Monday, February 05, 2018 12:00 PM

> To: Hunter, Justine

> Subject: Re: PM question

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> I think it was before :)

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> Jen Holmwood

> Deputy Communications Director

> Office of the Premier | Government of BC

> 250-818-4881

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>> On Feb 5, 2018, at 11:55 AM, Hunter, Justine <JHunter@globeandmail.com> wrote:

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>> Thanks. was that before all those rude people shouted at the PM in Nanaimo, or before?

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>> I can't imagine trudeau was in a good mood after that town hall... (or maybe he really enjoyed it. what do I know)

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

>> From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX [<mailto:Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>]

>> Sent: Monday, February 05, 2018 11:52 AM

>> To: Hunter, Justine

>> Subject: Re: PM question

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>> He spoke with him Friday.

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>> Jen Holmwood

>> Deputy Communications Director

>> Office of the Premier | Government of BC

>> 250-818-4881

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>> On Feb 5, 2018, at 11:37 AM, Hunter, Justine

<JHunter@globeandmail.com<<mailto:JHunter@globeandmail.com>>> wrote:

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>> I see in one of our recent stories that Premier Notley had a half hour call with the PM last Thursday. Which made me curious, when was the last time Premier Horgan spoke with the PM?

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From: Charlie Cho
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: THIS MORNING interview request - CBC Radio Early Edition
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 7:01:48 AM

Thanks for checking, and have a great day!

On 7 February 2018 at 07:00, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
<Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sorry Charlie, the Premier isn't available this morning.

On Feb 7, 2018, at 6:21 AM, Charlie Cho <charlie.cho@cbc.ca<<mailto:charlie.cho@cbc.ca>>> wrote:

Good morning, Sheena and Jen.

Would Premier John Horgan be available today at 8:10 a.m. to do a live, seven-minute interview about this?

Premier Horgan tells Alberta to end 'threatening position' boycotting B.C. wine
<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/b-c-wine-boycott-horgan-1.4523843>

Please let me know as soon as you can what is possible.

My desk number is [604-662-6982](tel:604-662-6982).

Stephen Quinn is our host.

Many thanks,
Charlie

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Charlie Cho
Associate Producer, The Early Edition / B.C. Almanac
CBC Vancouver
[604-662-6982](tel:604-662-6982)<[tel:\(604\)%20662-6982](tel:604-662-6982)>

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Charlie Cho
Associate Producer, The Early Edition / B.C. Almanac
CBC Vancouver
[604-662-6982](tel:604-662-6982)

From: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
To: ["Meissner, Dirk"](#)
Cc: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#); stephanie.sherlock@leg.bc.ca
Subject: RE: wine alert
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:25:32 PM

Hey Dirk, we will be putting a statement out.

From: Meissner, Dirk [<mailto:Dirk.Meissner@thecanadianpress.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:02 PM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; stephanie.sherlock@leg.bc.ca
Subject: wine alert

Hello, is the government going to comment on the latest from Alberta to restrict B.C.F. wine?
Thanks, Dirk

From: [Beale, William AGRI:EX](#)
To: [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: wine growers
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:35:34 AM

Got it

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:34 AM
To: Beale, William AGRI:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: wine growers

Hi Will,

Putting you on notice we may (probably with a chance of no) will want Lana out on something in support of wine growers today.

Sage Aaron, Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 778-678-0832

From: [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#); [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: statement
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:59:23 PM

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Sage Aaron, Communications Director
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501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 778-678-0832

From: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Transcript
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 12:48:12 PM

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Matt Hannah
Director of Issues Management
778.584.1249

From: Nelson Bennett
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Will John Horgan respond to Alberta's boycott of BC wine?
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:30:27 PM

I will be posting a story shortly on Rachel Notley's announcement that Alberta will boycott BC wine. Will the premier be responding? If so, I'd like to get his response.

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Nelson Bennett
Reporter
BUSINESS IN VANCOUVER
604-608-5157 • [biv.com](#) • [twitter.com/nbennett_BIV](#)

From: Hammond, James JTT:EX
To: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Cc: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX; Vale, Elaine LCLB:EX; Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX; Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Scott, Douglas S AG:EX
Subject: Call with BCWI - 7 Feb
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 12:32:17 PM

Fazil

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Jamie
James W. Hammond
Assistant Deputy Minister
International Strategy and Competitiveness

Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology
778-698-8778

From: [Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: As Requested: More Q's about Wine
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 11:07:30 AM

FYI. s.14

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Anderson, Steve JTT:EX" <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 7, 2018 at 11:06:28 AM PST
To: "Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX" <Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>, "Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX" <Janna.Jessee@gov.bc.ca>, "Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX" <Robert.Musgrave@gov.bc.ca>, "Hammond, James JTT:EX" <James.Hammond@gov.bc.ca>, "Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX" <Lara.Perzoff@gov.bc.ca>, "Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX" <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>, "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>, "Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX" <Michelle.Carr@gov.bc.ca>, "Carnaghan, Matthew JTT:EX" <Matthew.Carnaghan@gov.bc.ca>, "McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX" <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>, "Scott, Douglas S AG:EX" <Douglas.S.Scott@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: As Requested: More Q's about Wine

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From: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 8:09 PM
To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
Cc: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX; Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX; Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX; Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX; Carnaghan, Matthew JTT:EX; McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Subject: Re: As Requested: More Q's about Wine
I will wait for your green light Steve.

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 8:08 PM, Anderson, Steve JTT:EX <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Ok.

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 8:06 PM, Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Steve: s.14
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Fazil

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 7:31 PM, Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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From: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 5:56 PM
To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
Cc: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX;
Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX;
Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: More Q's about Wine
Hi Steve: s.13

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s.13 Please include DM Wes
Shoemaker in emails. Tash should see it as well
so that it can go to GCPE central s.13

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s.13 Thx.
Fazil

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 5:34 PM, Anderson, Steve
JTT:EX <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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Cheers

From: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 5:00 PM

To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX

Cc: Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

Subject: More Q's about Wine

Hi Steve et al,

PO issues mgmt. team has further questions they are hoping to get answered. I am hopeful that you can assist with some information. They are looking to get the information as quickly as you are able tomorrow morning.

Thanks,

Tasha

From: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 4:58 PM

To: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX

Cc: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX

Subject: Request for Info

Hi Tasha,

As discussed, I'm hoping to get more background information on the dispute resolution processes in both the NWPTA and the CFTA. With respect to the consultation process for both agreements:

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We're hoping to get this info ASAP
– by tomorrow morning would be
great.

Thank you!

Sheila Matthen

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From: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 3:05
PM

To: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

Cc: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX; Jessee,
Janna L JTT:EX; Hammond, James
JTT:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; McColl,
John-Michael JTT:EX; Perzoff, Lara
GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX;
Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX

Subject: RE: Heads Up:

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These are our initial review and factual responses. Please do not hesitate to contact us **s.13,s.16**
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Steve

From: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:28 PM

To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX

Cc: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX; Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX

Subject: Re: Heads Up:

Please have some bullets. But MGH is the lead. And all comms on this should move through PO.

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:24 PM,
Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
wrote:

Just spoke with
Jamie. We are on it
and will have some

bullets shortly

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 2:17 PM, Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX
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From:

Schollen,
Tasha
GCPE:EX

Sent:

Tuesday,
February
6, 2018
2:14 PM

To:

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Janna L
JTT:EX;
Anderson,
Steve
JTT:EX;
Hammond,
James
JTT:EX;
Sali,
Meghan
JTT:EX;
McColl,
John-
Michael
JTT:EX;
Mihlar,
Fazil

JTT:EX

Cc:

Perzoff,
Lara
GCPE:EX;
Stewart,
Courtney
GCPE:EX

Subject:

Heads
Up:
Hi we
have
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media
requests
from
CKNW
and
CFAX
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to find
out if
this is
our
lead or
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Breaking

**Alberta
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announces
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boycott
on
B.C.**

wines

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Cc: [Scott, Douglas S AG:EX](#); [Harvey, James JAG:EX](#); [Mack, James AGRI:EX](#); [Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: follow up on wine
Date: Friday, February 9, 2018 8:43:43 PM

Here's where we landed for tonight.

Wes

W.H. (Wes) Shoemaker, MBA

Deputy Minister

Ministry of Agriculture

[5th Floor, 808 Douglas Street](#)

[Victoria, BC V8W 9B4](#)

Tel: ^{s.17} Cell: [250.516.6892](#) | Fax: [250.356.7279](#)

E-mail: wes.shoemaker@gov.bc.ca

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Date: February 9, 2018 at 7:42:22 PM PST

To: "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>, "Scott, Douglas S AG:EX" <Douglas.S.Scott@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: "Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX" <Michelle.Carr@gov.bc.ca>, "Hrycuik, Lorie AGRI:EX" <Lorie.Hrycuik@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: follow up on wine

Doug Scott pulled LCLB, LDB and AGRI together following the DMs' meeting.
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James Mack
Assistant Deputy Minister – Agriculture Science and Policy
Ministry of Agriculture
Phone: 250-356-1821
Fax: 250-356-7279
e-mail: James.mack@gov.bc.ca

From: [Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#); [Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX](#); [Fyfe, Richard J JAG:EX](#); [Harvey, James JAG:EX](#); [Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX](#)
Cc: [Jang, Monica JTT:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Trade action on wine
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 5:22:01 PM

Hi Okenge: See response from staff below to your question. Fazil

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From: "Anderson, Steve JTT:EX" <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 8, 2018 at 5:09:54 PM PST
To: "Jang, Monica JTT:EX" <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>, "Hammond, James JTT:EX" <James.Hammond@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Trade action on wine

Hi

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From: [Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Fyi
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 1:14:22 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Subject: AB Premier Notley - posted video

Notley (closing in on 2000 views already):
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From: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: IN for your info
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 4:58:48 PM
Attachments: IN #boycottbc_Feb2018_CI.docx

Okenge:

Tourism IN re BC-Alberta issue for your info.

Pierrette

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Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture

Date: February 7, 2018

Minister Responsible: Hon. Lisa Beare

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NEWS COVERAGE:

B.C. Premier John Horgan says he 'will not be distracted' by Alberta wine ban

'I don't think it's in anyone's interest to have duelling premiers'

CBC News Posted: Feb 07, 2018 1:45 PM PT Last Updated: Feb 07, 2018 2:37 PM PT

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With files from the Canadian Press

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From: [Sigurdson, Judi IGRS:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX](#)
Subject: MB Premier Pallister reaction and SK update
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:29:48 AM
Attachments: [IMG_1345.png](#)

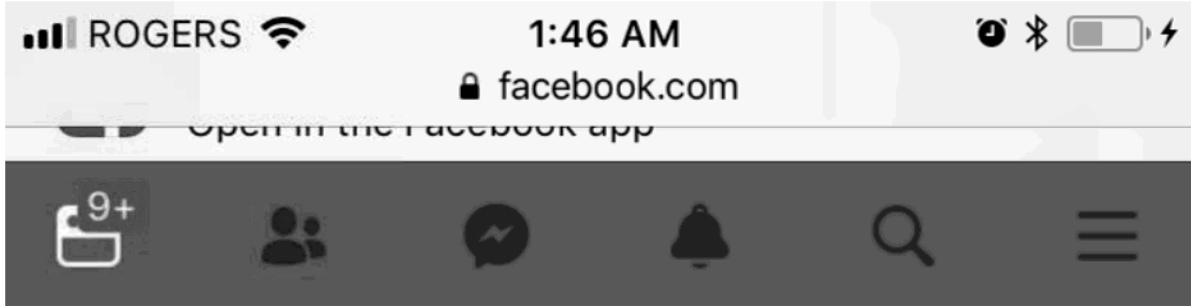
See attached reaction from Premier Pallister, as discussed.

Also, SK Premier Moe has said he will not join AB in a wine ban:

<http://business.financialpost.com/pmn/business-pmn/premier-scott-moe-says-saskatchewan-will-not-ban-b-c-wines-in-pipeline-dispute>

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Judi



PREMIER PALLISTER CALLS FOR CLARITY AND RESOLUTION ON TRANS MOUNTAIN PIPELINE

Clear need to de-escalate situation: Pallister

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Premier Brian Pallister's statement regarding
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From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
To: Fyfe, Richard J JAG:EX; Harvey, James JAG:EX; Mihar, Fazil JTT:EX; Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX; Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Subject: Premier Notley
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 1:18:13 PM
Attachments: image001.png

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From: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: RE: s.16
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 12:42:18 PM

Thanks.

Please have a look at this link at the end of my email. Interesting quote:

“That campaign, launched late Wednesday morning, will ask Quebecers to commit to buying B.C. wine and to post a photo with the hashtag #QCLovesBCWine. Restaurants will also be approached to publicly commit to buying B.C. wine. Several big Quebec groups, including Greenpeace, Equiterre, David Suzuki Foundation, Coule pas chez nous and the RVHQ (another anti-pipeline coalition) launched the challenge to their followers this morning, and activists in Quebec are planning trips to the liquor store today to buy B.C. wine.”

<https://ricochet.media/en/2116/quebec-groups-join-bc-alberta-wine-brawl>

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 12:37 PM
To: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: FW: s.16
Importance: High
FYI only.

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 10:20 AM
To: Lloyd. Evan GCPE:EX; Fvfe. Richard J JAG:EX; Harvey, James JAG:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Subject: s.16
Importance: High

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From: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#)
To: [Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX](#)
Subject: Re: As Requested: More Q's about Wine
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:29:36 AM

Thanks!

Okenge Yuma Morisho
Deputy Minister
Intergovernmental Relations Secretariat
Office of the Premier

From: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:27 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: As Requested: More Q's about Wine

FYI.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Anderson, Steve JTT:EX" <Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 6, 2018 at 8:46:32 PM PST
To: "Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX" <Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>, "Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX" <Janna.Jessee@gov.bc.ca>, "Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX" <Robert.Musgrave@gov.bc.ca>, "Hammond, James JTT:EX" <James.Hammond@gov.bc.ca>, "Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX" <Lara.Perzoff@gov.bc.ca>, "Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX" <Hope.A.Hickli@gov.bc.ca>, "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>, "Carr, Michelle LCLB:EX" <Michelle.Carr@gov.bc.ca>, "Carnaghan, Matthew JTT:EX" <Matthew.Carnaghan@gov.bc.ca>, "McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX" <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: As Requested: More Q's about Wine

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 8:09 PM, Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX
<Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I will wait for your green light Steve.

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 8:08 PM, Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Ok.

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 8:06 PM, Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
<Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Steve: These KMs strike the right tone.
We should move this to GCPE issues desk
s.13 Thx for
the quick turn around. Fazil

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 6, 2018, at 7:31 PM, Anderson,
Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Fazil
As requested (please check for
tone) and based on PJH statement
that we were sent. We may have
gone too detailed but always
easier to remove than to add.
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From: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 5:56 PM

To: Anderson, Steve JTT:EX

Cc: Schollen, Tasha GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L JTT:EX; Musgrave, Robert JTT:EX; Hammond, James JTT:EX; Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX; Hickli, Hope A GCPE:EX

Subject: Re: More Q's about Wine
Hi Steve: who knew trade law would be this exciting! Can u put together some KMs based on trade law, what if anything we could say to stakeholders? Please include DM Wes Shoemaker in emails. Tash should see it as well so that it can go to GCPE central. KMs should be in line with PJH statement. Any statements to stakeholders also has to go through PO. Thx. Fazil

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On Feb 6, 2018, at 5:34 PM,
Anderson, Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
wrote:

Hi

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Cheers

From: Schollen, Tasha
GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February
6, 2018 5:00 PM

To: Anderson, Steve
JTT:EX; Jessee, Janna L

JTT:EX; Musgrave,
Robert JTT:EX;
Hammond, James JTT:EX
Cc: Perzoff, Lara
GCPE:EX; Hickli, Hope A
GCPE:EX; Mihlar, Fazil
JTT:EX

Subject: More Q's about
Wine

Hi Steve et al,
PO issues mgmt.
team has further
questions they are
hoping to get
answered. I am
hopeful that you can
assist with some
information.

They are looking to
get the information
as quickly as you are
able tomorrow
morning.

Thanks,
Tasha

From: Matthen, Sheila
GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February
6, 2018 4:58 PM

To: Schollen, Tasha
GCPE:EX

Cc: McColl, John-
Michael JTT:EX; Sali,
Meghan JTT:EX;
Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX

Subject: Request for
Info

Hi Tasha,
As discussed, I'm
hoping to get more
background
information on the
dispute resolution
processes in both the
NWPTA and the
CFTA. With respect
to the consultation

process for both
agreements:
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We're hoping to get
this info ASAP – by
tomorrow morning
would be great.

Thank you!
Sheila Matthen
Issues Management
| 250-893-5218

From: Anderson, Steve
JTT:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February
6, 2018 3:05 PM

To: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

Cc: Schollen, Tasha
GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L
JTT:EX; Hammond,
James JTT:EX; Sali,
Meghan JTT:EX; McColl,
John-Michael JTT:EX;
Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX;
Stewart, Courtney
GCPE:EX; Musgrave,
Robert JTT:EX

Subject: RE: Heads Up:
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These are our initial review and factual responses. Please do not hesitate to contact us s.13,s.16
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Steve

From: Mihlar, Fazil

JTT:EX

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 2:28 PM

To: Anderson, Steve

JTT:EX

Cc: Schollen, Tasha

GCPE:EX; Jessee, Janna L

JTT:EX; Hammond,

James JTT:EX; Sali,

Meghan JTT:EX; McColl,

John-Michael JTT:EX;

Perzoff, Lara GCPE:EX;

Stewart, Courtney

GCPE:EX

Subject: Re: Heads Up:

Please have some

bullets. But MGH is

the lead. s.13

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On Feb 6, 2018, at
2:24 PM, Anderson,
Steve JTT:EX
<Steve.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
wrote:

Just
spoke
with
Jamie.
We are
on it
and will
have
some
bullets
shortly

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mail the
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the
message.

On Feb
6, 2018,
at 2:17
PM,
Schollen,
Tasha
GCPE:EX
<Tasha.Schollen@gov.bc.ca>
wrote:
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From:
Schollen,
Tasha
GCPE:EX

Sent:
Tuesday,

February
6,
2018
2:14
PM

To:

Jessee,
Janna
L
JTT:EX;
Anderson,
Steve
JTT:EX;
Hammond,
James
JTT:EX;
Sali,
Meghan
JTT:EX;
McColl,
John-
Michael
JTT:EX;
Mihlar,
Fazil
JTT:EX

Cc:

Perzoff,
Lara
GCPE:EX;
Stewart,
Courtney
GCPE:EX

Subject:

Heads
Up:
Hi
we
have
two
media
requests
from
CKNW
and
CFAX

on
this.
I'm
waiting
to
find
out
if
this
is
our
lead
or
not.
Breaking

**Alberta
premier
announces
immediate
boycott
on
B.C.
wines**

'I
know
a
lot
of
Albertans
who
love
B.C.
wine,

**quite
frankly,
I'm
one
of
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From: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#)
To: [Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Scrum Summary - Horgan with Press Gallery
Date: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 3:23:38 PM
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)

Many thanks.

Okenge Yuma Morisho
Deputy Minister
Intergovernmental Relations Secretariat
Office of the Premier

From: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 2:57 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Scrum Summary - Horgan with Press Gallery

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Rogers network.

From: van Marum, Karen IGRS:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 2:31 PM
To: Sigurdson, Judi IGRS:EX
Cc: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: Scrum Summary - Horgan with Press Gallery

Summary – BC won't be escalating trade war with Alberta (no beef ban). Reiterated he's protecting interests of BCians. Mentioned tomorrow's meeting between Ottawa and BC officials. Wants to focus on agenda ahead (Throne Speech – child care, affordability, housing etc).

I'll send around transcript once I see it come through.

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
To: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Cc: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Jang, Monica JTT:EX; Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX; Fyfe, Richard J JAG:EX; Harvey, James JAG:EX; Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX
Subject: Re: Trade action on wine
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 6:04:10 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 8, 2018, at 5:18 PM, Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> Evan

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> Sent from my iPhone

>

>> On Feb 8, 2018, at 4:54 PM, Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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>> Thanks Fazil (and Monica).

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Thx, oym

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>> Original Message

>> From: Jang, Monica JTT:EX

>> Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 12:37 PM

>> To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX; Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX; Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Fyfe, Richard J JAG:EX; Harvey, James JAG:EX; Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX

>> Cc: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX

>> Subject: Trade action on wine

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>> Please find attached from DM Mihlar.

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>> Thanks,

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>> Monica.

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>> Monica Jang

>> Director, Executive Operations

>> Deputy Minister's Office

>> Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology

>> Phone: 604 660-3346

>> Mobile: s.17

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From: [Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#); [Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX](#); [Eyfe, Richard J JAG:EX](#); [Mihlar, Fazil ITT:EX](#); [Harvey, James JAG:EX](#); [Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Wine Industry List
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:57:53 AM

Some caution in assessing the list sent previously is warranted. Wes is clarifying provenance and is in direct connection with BC Wine Institute concerning their most recent, considered, position (there may be a somewhat different 5-point plan later today).

Evan

On 2018-02-08, 9:17 AM, "Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As discussed. Wes is leading the assessment of this.

Evan Lloyd
Deputy Minister,
Government Communications and Public Engagement – GCPE
evan.lloyd@gov.bc.ca
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On 2018-02-07, 10:17 PM, "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As discussed.

Wes

From: [Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX](#)
To: [Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX](#)
Cc: [Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX](#); [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#); [Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX](#); [Fyfe, Richard J JAG:EX](#); [Mihlar, Fazil ITT:EX](#); [Harvey, James JAG:EX](#); [Scott, Douglas S AG:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Wine Industry List
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 10:03:08 AM

Wes, this was provided yesterday to Mira Oreck in my office by Barinder Sall, who I believe works for one of the major wineries — although the impression was this was generated by BCWI — and effectively said this was the wish list. We understand it includes many long-standing issues. THanks for ensuring we have the right priorities based on your checks with BCWI.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

On Feb 8, 2018, at 9:28 AM, Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

My staff will be working with AG staff on this. Can we clarify where list came from. Assume not the BCWI as there are some things on the list that small wineries would not support - so flagging that this may not necessarily reflect an industry wine perspective. Also, I am hearing that BCWI may also be compiling a list of their top 5 recommendations?

Wes
W.H. (Wes) Shoemaker, MBA
Deputy Minister
Ministry of Agriculture
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On Feb 8, 2018, at 9:17 AM, Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As discussed. Wes is leading the assessment of this.

Evan Lloyd
Deputy Minister,
Government Communications and Public Engagement – GCPE

evan.lloyd@gov.bc.ca
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On 2018-02-07, 10:17 PM, "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX"
<Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As discussed.

Wes

MINISTRY OF JOBS, TRADE AND TECHNOLOGY

DECISION NOTE

Cliff #: 139852

Date: February 8, 2018

PREPARED FOR: Fazil Mihlar, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology

ISSUE: Government of Alberta's boycott of the purchase of BC Wines by the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Control Board

BACKGROUND:

On February 6, 2018 Alberta Premier Rachel Notley announced that the Government of Alberta (Alberta) was immediately implementing measures to boycott British Columbia (BC) wines including the halt of imports by the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC); and stepped up enforcement of Direct to Consumer sales. These measures were in response to its opposition to BC's January 30th, 2018, announcement that BC was proposing a second phase of consultations and regulations to improve preparedness, response and recovery from potential spills (i.e., Kinder Morgan Trans Mountain pipeline expansion project).

In response, Premier Horgan issued a statement on February 6, 2018 stating BC's support for its wine producers and the intent to respond to the Alberta's "unfair trade actions". In an interview on February 7, 2018, Premier Horgan further stated that BC would not seek retaliatory action but reiterated BC's intent to defend the BC wine industry.

In 2017, BC exported an estimated 17.2 million bottles or over 1.4 million cases of wine worth an estimated \$70 million (wholesale) to Alberta.

BC and Alberta are parties to both the New West Partnership Trade Agreement (NWPTA) and the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) which include specific trade obligations and dispute settlement provisions.

The BC Wine Institute (BCWI) met with the Minister of Agriculture, the Honourable Lana Popham on February 6, 2018 and with representatives of the Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology and the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch of the Ministry of Attorney General on February 7, 2018.

DISCUSSION:

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From: [Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX](#); [Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX](#); [Eyfe, Richard J JAG:EX](#); [Mihlar, Fazil ITT:EX](#); [Harvey, James JAG:EX](#); [Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX](#)
Subject: Wine Industry List
Date: Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:17:03 AM
Attachments: [Farm to Bottle February 7.pdf](#)
[ATT00001.txt](#)

As discussed. Wes is leading the assessment of this.

Evan Lloyd
Deputy Minister,
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evan.lloyd@gov.bc.ca
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On 2018-02-07, 10:17 PM, "Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX" <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As discussed.

Wes

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From: [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Speaking Notes - next draft
Date: Thursday, February 22, 2018 8:45:04 AM
Attachments: 20180222 SN News Conference_draft7.docx
ATT00001.htm

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2018 8:41 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Speaking Notes - next draft
Latest draft

Sage
778-678-0832
Sent from my mobile device

Begin forwarded message:

From: "McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX" <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca>
Date: February 22, 2018 at 8:26:54 AM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>, "Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca>, "Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX" <Robb.Gibbs@gov.bc.ca>, "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Speaking Notes - next draft

Hi,
Here is a clean version of the latest draft of the script/press conference notes. Adding Sage to the loop.
Cara

- We are gathered on the territory of the Songhees and Esquimalt First Nations
- I'm here today to speak to our continued efforts to stand up for the interests of British Columbians – to stand up for our coast – Canada's Pacific coast.
- To stand up for the rights of British Columbians by doing all we can to protect our land and waters, our coastal communities, and our local economies.
- The people of British Columbia are looking to our government to make sure any spill of diluted bitumen flow does not threaten our province's future.

- To that end, we recently announced our intention to speak with British Columbians about the safeguards they're demanding.
- This included consultations on:
 - Spill response times
 - Geographic response plans
 - Compensation for loss of public and cultural use of land
 - And application of regulations to marine spills
- We will be moving forward in the coming weeks with consultations on these four points.
- We're here today to address the fifth area of consultation... regarding the restriction

of additional bitumen flows pending further scientific study on spill response.

- This point has generated disproportionate and illegal reactions from the Alberta government...
- Actions that threaten an entire industry and the livelihoods of people who've spent a lifetime in the work they love
- We have taken the steps necessary to protect our wine industry from the resulting unwarranted trade action by the Alberta government...
- Most recently by challenging their trade restrictions through the Canadian Free Trade Agreement process
- We believe it is our right to consult with British Columbians on all appropriate

measures to protect our coast from the drastic consequence of a diluted bitumen spill.

- And we are prepared to test our beliefs in the courts.
- So, today, I'm announcing that we are preparing to refer this constitutional question to the courts... and that we are retaining expert legal counsel to ready that reference.
- Further, to honour the independence and integrity of this process, we are suspending our consultation on point five pending the outcome of this reference.
- It is our belief that this critical issue rightly is one of the rule of law.
- It's not about politics. It's not about trade.

- It's about British Columbians' right to have their voices heard on this critical issue...
- And it's about B.C.'s right to defend itself against the risks stemming from any action that may threaten our people, our province and our future.

From: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Toast the coast
Date: Saturday, February 10, 2018 10:26:57 AM

This weekend, government ads will appear in the Globe and Mail and National Post encouraging people to support BC winemakers. Ministers and staff can share their support for BC wines on social media using the hashtag #toastthecoast

Messages:

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Matt Hannah
778.584.1249

From: [Kristianson, Eric GCPE:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#); [Beale, William AGRI:EX](#); [McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Wine stuff
Date: Tuesday, February 13, 2018 1:54:11 PM

- In response to Alberta's sudden attack on the BC wine industry, the BC government pulled together an advertising campaign over the weekend aimed at supporting BC producers.
- The ads ran in the BC edition of the Globe and Mail, the Vancouver Sun, the Province and the Prince George Citizen.
- The final cost of the campaign is expected to be less than \$40,000.
- The ads were produced by Grey Advertising in Vancouver. Grey is an established Vancouver firm and is a new addition to GCPE's list of pre-approved advertising suppliers.
- Going forward, government is also exploring a number of specific measures to support the BC Wine industry.
- These measures will focus on both supporting smaller vineyards who face a disproportionate impact from Alberta's boycott as well as measures aimed at promoting BC wines to a broader audience.
- My colleague Lana Popham will be announcing additional details in the coming days.

Eric Kristianson
ADM Strategic Issues
GCPE
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From: Traci Deman
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Attorney General Eby, Minister Ralston, Minister Popham
Attached please find BC Wine Institute's recommended mitigation measures related to the recent embargo by the Government of Alberta.
Please contact BCWI President/CEO Miles Prodan at MProdan@WineBC.com (250-762-9744 ext. 101 or 250-863-9379).

Thank you.

Sent on behalf of Miles Prodan by

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BC Wine Institute (BCWI)
Mitigation measures recommended to The Government of BC for immediate implementation regarding the Alberta Government Embargo
February 2018

BC WINE INSTITUTE (BCWI) POSITION

We are disappointed that the Alberta Premier and Government are aggressively boycotting BC wineries over a yet-to-be-determined British Columbia government policy in a different sector.

The BCWI asks for BC Government support for the implementation of mitigation tactics to offset the impact Alberta's action has, and will continue to have, on the BC wine industry.

BCWI RECOMMENDATIONS to the PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA

1. Funding to assist a BCWI-led challenge of the constitutionality of and Canadian Free Trade Agreement compliance of the recent actions taken by the Government of Alberta and the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) to prohibit the importation of British Columbia wines.
2. Activate the BC Liquor Distribution Branch, in concert with BC Liquor Stores (BCLS), to immediately implement a Buy BC: Eat Drink Local program that includes:
 - Immediate increased support from the BCLS by proactively purchasing small-lot BC wines from local wineries and featuring Buy BC: Eat Drink Local promotions in all BC Liquor Stores.
 - More shelf space for small-lot wines and additional BC wine SKUs not normally featured in BC Liquor Stores.
 - Prominent store-front displays and increased general advertising focused on BC craft products, especially products from small and medium sized wineries not normally carried in BC Liquor Stores.
 - Increased number of local craft product tastings in BC Liquor Stores.
 - Wholesale prices provided to licenced restaurants in support of a Buy BC: Eat Drink Local campaign on a 60-day trial basis to specifically encourage the sale and promotion of BC wine products in hospitality venues.
3. Immediately repatriate back under industry control and activate the six remaining Special Wine Store (SWS) licences to sell 100% BC products via the grocery channel (i.e. BC VQA Wine Stores). Government has already recognized, and activated, the SWS licences as originating from 60 farm distribution licences grandfathered into NAFTA and ratified by CETA.
4. Funding for a province-wide Buy BC: Eat Drink Local campaign to include BC agri-foods products and all certified 100% BC craft alcohol (i.e. grape wine, beer, cider, fruit wines, and (potentially) distilled products) and to bring attention to local BC products by leveraging media, creating unique events, etc.
5. Funding for programming support to increase BC VQA Wine export sales and expansion of international markets focusing on trade shows, food fairs, sales exhibitions and/or participation in events or missions.
6. Expedite implementation of the recommendations made by the BC Wine Appellation Task Force Group to the Ministry of Agriculture. This will serve to show the BC wine industry that Government supports its initiatives and stands by the industry.

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From: Sigurdson, Judi IGRS:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 11:26 AM
To: Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: Media Release: BC Wine Institute to seek injunction to protect BC wineries from Alberta ban

FYI, not sure if you saw this action by BC Wine Institute

From: BC Wine Institute [<mailto:lkittmer@winebc.com>]

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BC Wine Institute to seek injunction to protect BC wineries from Alberta ban

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Subject: Quebec groups join B.C.-Alberta wine brawl | Ricochet

Just in case you haven't seen this. Going viral on Facebook.

<https://ricochet.media/en/2116/quebec-groups-join-bc-alberta-wine-brawl>

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From: Carnaghan, Matthew JTT:EX
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Pls see attached.

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DECISION NOTE

Cliff #: 139852

Date: February 8, 2018

PREPARED FOR: Fazil Mihlar, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology

ISSUE: Government of Alberta's boycott of the purchase of BC Wines by the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Control Board

BACKGROUND:

On February 6, 2018 Alberta Premier Rachel Notley announced its intent to implement measures to boycott BC wines including the immediate halt of imports by the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) and stepped up enforcement of Direct to Consumer sales (Alberta wine boycott). These measures were in response to its opposition to BC's request for further review of the Kinder Morgan Trans Mountain pipeline expansion project (Trans Mountain project), Alberta has not released, to date, written or specific details on the Alberta wine boycott measures.

In response, Premier Horgan issued a statement on February 6, 2018 stating BC's support for its wine producers and the intent to respond to the Alberta's "unfair trade actions". In an interview on February 7, Premier Horgan further stated that BC will not seek retaliatory action but reiterated BC's intent to defend the BC wine industry.

In 2017 BC was estimated to export about 17.2 million bottles or over 1.4 million cases worth an estimated \$70 million in wine to Alberta.

BC and Alberta are parties to both the New West Partnership Trade Agreement (NWPTA) and the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) which include specific trade obligations and dispute settlement provisions.

The BC Wine Institute (BCWI) met with the Minister of Agriculture, the Honourable Lana Popham on February 6, 2018 and with representatives of the Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology and Liquor Control and Licensing Branch of the Ministry of Attorney General on February 7, 2018.

DISCUSSION:

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INFORMATION NOTE

Cliff #:

Date:

PREPARED FOR: Honourable Bruce Ralston, Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology

ISSUE: Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) dispute challenging Alberta's measures on the importation of BC wine.

BACKGROUND: On February 6, 2018 Alberta announced measures directing the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) to halt its importation of BC wine into that province. BC believes these measures violate numerous provisions of the CFTA and has directed a formal trade dispute against Alberta be launched.

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Subject: RE: AB Notley TRANSCRIPT

Thanks, Judi.

From: Sigurdson, Judi IGRS:EX
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In case you want it ... share with your internal trade team

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Subject: Global piece re two premiers, feeral government & business

Global news piece on Premier Horgan's response to Premier Notley includes this concern about federal government inaction from BC Chamber of Commerce ...

<https://globalnews.ca/news/4010294/b-c-premier-vows-province-will-respond-to-unfair-wine-boycott/>

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Subject: Throne Speech - Alberta

Today is Throne Speech Day in Alberta...

Here is a copy of the speech. BC mentioned (portion copy and pasted below)

<https://www.alberta.ca/release.cfm?xID=5354449E52A82-919C-74E4-A1BC68139A916603>

Ensuring Canadian tidewater access for Alberta energy

That applies to Canada, too.

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Hello,

Please forward any items for Okenge to raise at Friday's DMC. Here is last week's list.

Thank you,

Kelly Brubacher

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