

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 1, 2018 2:02 PM
To: Susannah.Pierce@lngcanada.ca
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: An Open Letter to LNG Canada Stakeholders - Coastal Gas Link Update

Thanks Susannah. I'd like to meet on a different issue after I get back^{s.22}
^{s.22}. I've copied Debbie Wade to make the arrangements, hopefully before Christmas in Vancouver.

Regards

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 1, 2018, at 4:52 PM, "Susannah.Pierce@lngcanada.ca"
<Susannah.Pierce@lngcanada.ca> wrote:

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Since receiving a positive final investment decision by LNG Canada's Joint Venture Participants in early October, LNG Canada has been busy moving forward into the construction phase of the project, doubling our workforce, working closely with our Engineering, Procurement and Construction contractor JGC-Fluor, and supporting Coastal GasLink to advance its Coastal GasLink pipeline project.

Coastal GasLink has unprecedented community and Indigenous support for its 670-km pipeline that will transport natural gas from northeastern BC to our plant site in Kitimat. Mayors and community residents up and down the pipeline right-of-way support the project, as do 20 out of 20 elected First Nations bands who have signed Project Agreements with Coastal GasLink.

LNG Canada supports the extensive efforts Coastal GasLink has undertaken to consult and engage with First Nations along the pipeline right-of-way and is pleased the pipeline has received so much support.

There is one group, however, that opposes the pipeline project and members of this group have erected a barricade over a public access road that Coastal GasLink needs to cross to access a small portion of the pipeline route, initially to conduct some pre-construction work, and later to construct a roughly 60-kilometre section of the pipeline.

On Monday, November 26, despite numerous attempts to respectfully consult with this group and find a solution that works for all parties, Coastal GasLink filed an application for an injunction, asking the Court to ensure it can access the public road and complete important field work this winter. We are concerned that a delay to Coastal GasLink's ability to conduct this work could impact the delivery of jobs and opportunities to local First Nations communities, and in turn, will impact LNG Canada's project schedule.

LNG Canada's first concern is for the safety of the public, for Coastal GasLink's employees and contractors, and for the individuals participating in the blockade. We respect the rights of individuals to peacefully express their point-of-view, as long as their activities do not jeopardize people's safety and are within the law.

There is considerable discussion of this issue in social media, with sharing among the ENGO community and supporters of the blockade. As it will likely be covered in mainstream media as well, we wanted to ensure our stakeholders had important background information, as issues such as these are complex.

- Coastal GasLink requires access to the Morice River Bridge, a bridge crossing on a public road
- The Morice River Bridge is located within the traditional territory of the Wet'suwet'en Nation.
- The elected representatives of the Wet'suwet'en territory support the Coastal GasLink project, however, some of the Hereditary Chiefs do not.
- Near the Morice River Bridge, a group calling itself the Unist'ot'en Camp has built a Healing Centre and some individuals live there permanently, while others visit and access programs and services the Healing Centre offers. Accessing the Morice River Bridge and constructing this portion of the Coastal GasLink pipeline will not require individuals living there to relocate. (See map attached)
- LNG Canada, along with others, has filed an Affidavit in support of Coastal GasLink's application for an injunction, and outlined the impact lack of access would have on our ability to deliver our Project.
- Coastal GasLink and LNG Canada will continue to work to find a peaceful solution, one in which everyone can benefit from these significant projects. Coastal GasLink will also continue to assess its legal options, as efforts to discuss these matters have not been reciprocated.

We invite you to contact LNG Canada or Coastal GasLink directly should you have questions or concerns related to this issue. Thank you for your continued interest and support of our projects.

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 1, 2018 1:41 PM
To: Robinson, Jon PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Container Trucking Commissioner Report Recommendations

Thanks, Jon. Amber, I think we should convene a discussion with James and Will - let's discuss Monday. Jon's note is good, but we need to be sure the earlier commitments are clearly achieved with this last step.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

On Nov 29, 2018, at 7:31 PM, Robinson, Jon PREM:EX <Jon.Robinson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff,

As requested, please see the attached summary of the Container Trucking Commissioner Report Recommendations. I re-arranged James P's work for easier reading and provided more context and a quick comparison to the Ready/Bell report. Let me know if this is satisfactory and if any other information is required.

Best,

Jon Robinson, Director of Policy
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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 1, 2018 5:23 PM
To: Foster, Doug FIN:EX
Subject: Re: Bitter lawsuit between wealthy developers reveals delays, downsizing of Yaletown affordable housing plan was inevitable – Vancouver Sun

Yes, I read with interest^{s.13}

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On Dec 1, 2018, at 8:11 PM, Foster, Doug FIN:EX <Doug.Foster@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Fyi.
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From: Foster, Doug FIN:EX
Sent: December 1, 2018 5:09 PM
To: 'Clark, David' <dclark@dillon.ca>
Subject: RE: Bitter lawsuit between wealthy developers reveals delays, downsizing of Yaletown affordable housing plan was inevitable – Vancouver Sun

Thanks.
Yes, brings back all of memories.....
Thanks for the update on drilling.
Lets stay close on this.
d

From: Clark, David <dclark@dillon.ca>
Sent: December 1, 2018 2:30 PM
To: Foster, Doug FIN:EX <Doug.Foster@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Bitter lawsuit between wealthy developers reveals delays, downsizing of Yaletown affordable housing plan was inevitable – Vancouver Sun

Hi Doug

I expect you've seen today's article in the Sun on the agreement between the City and Concord pertaining to the affordable housing lots. It also goes over history that I'm sure will bring back a lot of memories for you. The links below if you haven't seen it.

Just an update. We completed drilling the affordable housing lots this week. We'll be assessing the data and revisiting the remediation cost estimates provided in October.

Regards
Dave

https://vancouver.sun.com/news/local-news/bitter-lawsuit-between-wealthy-developers-reveals-delays-downsizing-of-yaletown-affordable-housing-plan-was-inevitable/amp?_twitter_impression=true

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 1, 2018 10:12 PM
To: Rathbone, Chris PSEC:EX
Cc: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Zacharuk, Christina PSEC:EX
Subject: Re: Tentative agreement - Facilities Bargaining Association

Great news, many thanks

Geoff

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On Dec 1, 2018, at 9:22 PM, Rathbone, Chris PSEC:EX <Chris.Rathbone@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Don and Geoff,

The Health Employers' Association of British Columbia (HEABC) has reached a tentative agreement with the Facilities Bargaining Association (FBA). The tentative FBA Collective Agreement is consistent with the 2019 Sustainable Services Negotiating Mandate and covers approximately 40,000 health care support workers.

The highlights of the tentative agreement are:

Three year term (April 1, 2019 – March 31, 2022)

General Wage Increases of 2% in each year

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We will work with GCPE and HEABC to determine communications timing.

If you have any questions, please let me know,

Thanks,

Chris

Chris Rathbone | Assistant Deputy Minister

Public Sector Employers' Council Secretariat | Province of BC

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 6:07 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Progress?

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From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: Sunday, December 02, 2018 9:53 PM
To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Progress?

Thanks! Will check.

From: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX
Sent: Sunday, December 2, 2018 9:39 PM
To: Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX; Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Progress?

FYI

Okenge I think this is more your turf in the near term. Once we get the letter we can figure out next steps. I'll let my minister know.

Dave Nikolejsin
Deputy Minister
Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Tremblay, Christyne (NRCAN/RNCAN)" <christyne.tremblay@canada.ca>
Date: December 2, 2018 at 8:00:30 PM PST
To: "Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX" <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Progress?

Hello Dave,

Some progress !

I received the confirmation that the PM will send a letter to Premier Horgan before the FMM. In the letter, we may open the door to exploratory discussions...but I did not see the final draft yet. I still waiting.

When the letter will be finalized, I am proposing that my Minister should have a discussion with yours. Both ministers can give us the mandate to conduct the exploratory work. It has been confirmed that I will have the lead in the federal system for the file.

I will contact you as soon as I get some confirmation.

Christyne

Christyne Tremblay
Sous-ministre, Ressources naturelles Canada
Deputy Minister, Natural Resources Canada
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Le 30 nov. 2018 à 09:48, Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
a écrit :

Thanks Christyne.

Dave Nikolejsin
Deputy Minister
Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

On Nov 30, 2018, at 4:34 AM, Tremblay, Christyne (NRCAN/RNCAN)
<christyne.tremblay@canada.ca<<mailto:christyne.tremblay@canada.ca>>>
wrote:

Good morning Dave,

We had a call with PCO and ECCC yesterday. We are waiting for a last feedback from PMO in order to give you a signal. It looks promising. We are aware that your announcement is next week.

Christyne

Christyne Tremblay
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Le 26 nov. 2018 à 16:01, Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX
<Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca<<mailto:Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>>> a écrit :

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Dave Nikolejsin
Deputy Minister
Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 9:16 AM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: FW: TLA Executive request to meet with the Premier

Let's discuss

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From: David Elstone [mailto:david@tla.ca]
Sent: Monday, December 3, 2018 9:06 AM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: TLA Executive request to meet with the Premier

Dear Premier Horgan,

On behalf of Mike Richardson, TLA President and his executive team, I would like to request a meeting with you prior to the TLA Convention to discuss the key issues affecting timber harvesting contractors and the latest developments in proposed changes to forest policy.

We are able meet in Victoria or Vancouver.

Regards,

David Elstone, RPF
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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 12:10 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Draft economic vision Nov 7.docx
Attachments: Draft economic vision Nov 7.docx; ATT00001.txt

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 1:42 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Revised MO contact List

Please put one in my left desk drawer

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On Dec 3, 2018, at 11:04 AM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi everyone;

Please find attached a revised MO Staff List. If you have any further changes, please let me know.

Thanks!

Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
Office of the Premier
250-356-2785

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 3:35 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: JCC Redevelopment - Updated Briefing Note
Attachments: JCC-BN-181113.docx; ATT00001.htm

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Nico Slobinsky <nslobinsky@cija.ca>
Date: December 3, 2018 at 3:27:20 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Oreck, Mira PREM:EX" <Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca>, "eldad@jccgv.bc.ca" <eldad@jccgv.bc.ca>
Subject: JCC Redevelopment - Updated Briefing Note

Hi Geoff,

I trust all is well with you.

When we ran into each other at the launch of the BC Human Right's Commission, I committed to getting you an updated briefing on the JCC redevelopment project. I am copying Mira, who has been very helpful to us. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Wishing you a holiday season full of peace and joy.

Talk to you soon.
Nico

Best Regards,
Nico

Nicolas Slobinsky
Director, Pacific Region
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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 3:55 PM
To: Nico Slobinsky
Cc: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; eldad@jccgv.bc.ca
Subject: Re: JCC Redevelopment - Updated Briefing Note

Thanks Nico

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On Dec 3, 2018, at 3:27 PM, Nico Slobinsky <nslobinsky@cija.ca> wrote:

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Talk to you soon.
Nico

Best Regards,
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Nicolas Slobinsky

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 4:03 PM
To: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Humphrey, Brent GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX; Robinson, Jon PREM:EX
Subject: Draft economic vision Nov 13
Attachments: Draft economic vision Nov 13.docx

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 4:14 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX; Fogg, Bruce PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Consultation TAC-2018-86544 Due: December 10

No concerns

From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 3:44 PM
To: Fogg, Bruce PREM:EX <Bruce.Fogg@gov.bc.ca>; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca>; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Consultation TAC-2018-86544 Due: December 10

Hi all,

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture received this FOI request from Political Party:
Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages- excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Senior Ministerial Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. (Date Range of Records Search: From: 11/01/2017 To: 11/30/2017)

They identified the attached document as responsive records. Could you please review the below pages and please let me know if you have any concerns with the disclosure of the emails you authored?

Please ignore the page numbers listed on the bottom right of the pages – the page numbers below apply to the page number of the actual PDF document, apologies for the confusion

Bruce – pages 1, 7, 9, 10
Mira – pages 14-16, 24
Sage – Marie's email on page 23
Geoff – pages 25-27

Thank you so much,

Alison

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 4:25 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Premier's Check in

Yes, you can remove.

Geoff

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 4:17 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Premier's Check in

Hi Geoff;

Please Ambers email below. Would you like us to keep the "premiers check ins" in PJH calendar or take them out
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thx

Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
Office of the Premier
250-356-2785

From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, December 3, 2018 4:14 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: McLaren, Chris PREM:EX
Subject: Premier's Check in

Hi Debbie

I'm wondering if the Premier's check ins need to be in the calendar? I think Geoff calls the Premier every morning already but not at the specified time these check ins appear in the calendar. Can you let Chris and I know?

A

Amber Nash, Executive Coordinator
Office of the Premier
Direct: 250-356-0210
Mobile: 778-584-3330

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 4:45 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: Prem S. Vinning s.22
Subject: Mayor of Delta

Hi Debbie, Prem Vinning (copied above) has indicated the Mayor of Delta would like to meet – could you please see what time Prem recommends. We considered lunch, but a simple meeting would be fine.

Geoff

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 3, 2018 5:23 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: NYTimes.com: Uber and the False Hopes of the Sharing Economy

From The New York Times:

Uber and the False Hopes of the Sharing Economy

Though ride share companies fought hard against City Council regulations, the laws are unlikely to quell the miseries of professional drivers.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2018/08/09/nyregion/uber-nyc-vote-drivers-ride-sharing.html>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 8:35 AM
To: Val Litwin
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Premier & Cabinet lunch

Val, I believe Minister Heyman is^{s.22} . I've copied Amber Hockin, my deputy, to see what we can determine about the others.^{s.22}

Geoff

From: Val Litwin <vlitwin@bcchamber.org>
Sent: Tuesday, December 04, 2018 7:43 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Premier & Cabinet lunch

Hi Geoff,

We're looking forward to our lunch with the Premier & Cabinet next Monday – and it will be a sellout crowd.

Just a thought, we're missing some of the key ministries with James, Heyman and Donaldson (especially since he's one of the few interior ministers).

May I suggest we try to get Bob D'Eith if Minister James can't make it and Bowinn Ma for Trevena? And might it be possible to double back on either Heyman or Donaldson?

Thanks in advance!

Best, Val

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 10:39 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 10:56 AM
To: Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal

Eric, this is clearer than what I have seen before. s.13
s.13

Geoff

From: Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 10:53 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal

As discussed

Eric Kristianson
ADM, Strategic Initiatives
Office of the Premier, Deputy Minister's Office
778-698-8511 (office)
778-584-1248 (cel)

From: Justine Nelson <jnelson@fraserwatershedinitiative.org>
Sent: November 29, 2018 8:40 AM
To: Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX <Eric.Kristianson@gov.bc.ca>; Fin Donnelly <fin@rivershed.com>
Subject: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal

Hi Eric,

Attached is the Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund proposal which Fin Donnelly has asked me to send to you.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Justine Nelson
Coordinator
Fraser Watershed Initiative

604 773 2416

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 10:57 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Debbie, this would be covered off by a call to Mark Collins. I'll see if I can fit it in today.

GEoff

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 9:18 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Hi Geoff;

Just checking in on this one. You had asked me to touch base in a few weeks.

Thanks!

*Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
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Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: November 13, 2018 11:27 AM
To: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX <Allegra.Wolansky@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Good morning Allegra;

Geoff has asked me to BF this for 2 weeks, and then discuss with him again. I will get back to you at that time.

Thanks!

*Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
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From: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, November 8, 2018 3:50 PM

To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Perfect, thanks Debbie. Much appreciated!

Allegra

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: November 8, 2018 3:47 PM
To: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX <Allegra.Wolansky@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Hi Allegra;

I will touch base with Geoff next week when he is back in the office, and advise you on what his thoughts are.

Thanks!

*Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
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From: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, November 8, 2018 3:32 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Good Afternoon Debbie,

I understand that Geoff had been involved in organizing the outgoing letter from PJH to Mr. Hayes at BC Ferries about shipbuilding in BC. We received a response from Mr. Hayes a few days ago and I just wanted to ensure that Geoff had seen a copy and check if he has any direction about how it should be handled? I spoke with Susan first but she hasn't received direction on it so suggested I check with you.

Thanks!
Allegra Wolansky
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From: Brown, Sheila <Sheila.Brown@bcferries.com>
Sent: November 5, 2018 2:46 PM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX <Premier@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

Forwarding this message on to the Premier's office email.

Sheila Brown, CAP

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From: Brown, Sheila
Sent: November 05, 2018 2:44 PM
To: 'John.Horgan.MLA@leg.bc.ca'
Subject: Correspondence from Donald Hayes, Chair, BC Ferries

The attached correspondence is sent on behalf of Donald Hayes, Chair, British Columbia Ferry Services Inc.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:02 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Signature Block

THanks

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:00 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Signature Block

Sorry, here it is!

GEOFF MEGGS

Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier
West Annex, Parliament Buildings,
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
250-387-1715

*Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
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Office of the Premier
250-356-2785*

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 4, 2018 11:00 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Signature Block

Don't see it?

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 10:56 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Signature Block

Hi Geoff;

I have saved this as your signature block, please advise if you would like any changes.

Thanks!

Debbie Wade

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:18 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Bilateral with PM

I don't think we'll get there but if Wes has a note, let me know.

Geoff

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:05 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>; Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX <Wes.Shoemaker@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>; Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX <Eric.Kristianson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Bilateral with PM

s.13

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

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 4, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX
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- s.13; s.16

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If there are other matters that may arise, please advise.

Thanks for your assistance.

Geoff

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:28 AM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Main, Grant TRAN:EX; Dawes, Jacquie MAH:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: SFU gondola proposal

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- s.13; s.16

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Geoff

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Victoria BC V8V 1X4

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:32 AM
To: Powell, Charlotte PREM:EX
Subject: Re: prebrief follow up - copy of s.12

Thanks very much

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 11:31 AM, Powell, Charlotte PREM:EX <Charlotte.Powell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff – Elizabeth let me know that you had requested a copy of s.12
s.12 from the Nov 26 CCSI meeting. It is attached. Please let me know if there's anything else.

Thanks.

Charlotte Powell | Cabinet Operations | phone: 778-974-5085 | mobile: 250-361-5381 | charlotte.powell@gov.bc.ca

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 11:34 AM
To: Bain, Don PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal
Attachments: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund proposal.pdf; ATT00001.htm

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX" <Eric.Kristianson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 4, 2018 at 10:53:16 AM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal

As discussed

Eric Kristianson
ADM, Strategic Initiatives
Office of the Premier, Deputy Minister's Office
778-698-8511 (office)
778-584-1248 (cel)

From: Justine Nelson <jnelson@fraserwatershedinitiative.org>
Sent: November 29, 2018 8:40 AM
To: Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX <Eric.Kristianson@gov.bc.ca>; Fin Donnelly <fin@rivershed.com>
Subject: Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund Proposal

Hi Eric,

Attached is the Fraser Watershed Restoration Fund proposal which Fin Donnelly has asked me to send to you.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Justine Nelson
Coordinator
Fraser Watershed Initiative

604 773 2416

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Cc: "Main, Grant TRAN:EX" <Grant.Main@gov.bc.ca>, "Dawes, Jacquie MAH:EX" <Jacquie.Dawes@gov.bc.ca>, "Hockin, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 2:39 PM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA
Attachments: PJH Visit to WA Program Concepts Draft (4).docx; ATT00001.htm

Over to you

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX" <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 4, 2018 at 2:27:59 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Hockin, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>, "Nash, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>, "Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX" <Kate.VanMeer-Mass@gov.bc.ca>, "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>, "Wade, Debbie PREM:EX" <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>, "Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX" <Pierrette.Maranda@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Geoff: please find attached a proposed program for PJH's visit to WA in January. Grateful if we could secure your approval (or receive your feedback) by Dec 10.

Many thanks, oym

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 2:50 PM
To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Out of Country Travel Request: BC's participation in CERAWeek by IHS Markit, March 11-15, 2019, in Houston, TX

Melissa, this looks pretty thin. How important is it?

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 1:57 PM, Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff and Amber,

MMM would like to attend this event in Houston. Let them know I would need to run it by PO. The speaking opportunity would be about the BC LNG experience.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX" <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 3, 2018 at 7:45:56 PM PST
To: "Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX" <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 105540 BN DM OGD CERA Week

<105540 BN DM OGD CERA Week.docx>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:31 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: BMO Spend Dynamics Statement Ready

How much?

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "BMO Administration" <do-not-reply@spenddynamics.com>
Date: December 4, 2018 at 3:08:04 PM PST
To: Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca
Subject: BMO Spend Dynamics Statement Ready
Reply-To: do-not-reply-spenddynamics@bmo.com

Your BMO Statement is Available

We are pleased to advise that the statement for your corporate card is available for review.

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:32 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: PMO

They know in general terms only - would be good to be sure ministry is aware

G

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 1:28 PM, Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I would defer to Geoff and Amber re: PMO. Thanks, oym

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Deputy Minister
Intergovernmental Relations Secretariat
Office of the Premier

From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 4, 2018 12:19 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX
Subject: PMO

Has anyone reached out to their office about CleanBC? I know Environment has reached out to McKenna – who has asked for a plan – but they have not yet sent it in the event we want to ask PMO. Please advise. Thank you.

Mira Oreck, Director of Stakeholder Relations
Office of the Premier
#740 – 999 Canada Place
Vancouver, BC
604 839 1967

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:33 PM
To: Wynans, Tim ISMC:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Office 365 upgrade

Any time - ^{s.22} . Debbie can assist

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 1:38 PM, Wynans, Tim ISMC:EX <Tim.Wynans@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff,

I was wondering when a good time would be to come and upgrade your office software.
It should only take about 15-20 minutes.

Tim Wynans

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:33 PM
To: Robinson, Jon PREM:EX
Cc: Dewar, Bob PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: VANCOUVER ISLAND FOREIGN TRADE ZONE

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

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From:
Date: December 4, 2018 at 1:29:40 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: VANCOUVER ISLAND FOREIGN TRADE ZONE

Hi Geoff!

Below is some of the information on the Vancouver Island FTZ. There has not been a major announcement-moment from us on this, but it is something we have referenced in a few tours.

ABOUT THE FTZ INITIATIVE:

- The FTZ Point Initiative was announced by the federal government in 2013. An FTZ Point refers to one of Canada's strategic locations for international trade, where an organization is supported by a single point of access to information on relevant government policies and programs. This information is provided through a single window task force coordinated by a regional development agency and is comprised of representatives from relevant federal and provincial departments. Details on the FTZ Point Initiative are provided in Annex I.
- To date, Prince George is the only municipality that has been approved for FTZ Point designation in BC.

THE VANCOUVER ISLAND ECONOMIC ALLIANCE APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH AN FTZ

- The Vancouver Island Economic Alliance (VIEA) submitted a proposal to WD-BC to establish an FTZ Point on Vancouver Island in June 2017. Details of the proposal are provided in Annex II.
- WD-BC established a single window task force comprised of representatives from WD-BC, Global Affairs Canada (GAC), Canada Border Service Agency (CBSA), Canada Revenue Agency, and Transport Canada, as well as two provincial ministries – Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure, and Ministry of Jobs, Trade and Technology.
- The task force assessed the proposal from the VIEA, and the proposal essentially meets the criteria outlined by Finance Canada, listed in Annex I.
- Minister Navdeep Bains approved the designation of Vancouver Island as a Foreign Trade Zone Point in February 2018.

Details of the Vancouver Island Economic Alliance's Proposal

The proposal from the VIEA aims to recognize an FTZ Point on Vancouver Island and to have access to a single window FTZ task force comprised of representatives from relevant federal and provincial departments. The application for an FTZ on Vancouver Island has support from the following private and public stakeholders:

- The Province of British Columbia
- Quester Tangent Corporation
- Coulson Group
- Western Forest Products Inc.
- Royal Bank of Canada
- Seaspans Ferries Corporation
- Bandinotti Net Services Canada Ltd.
- San Industries Ltd.
- Community Futures – Central Island
- Mid-Island Business Initiative
- Community Futures – Cowichan
- Naut'sa Mawt Tribal Council
- Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce
- Parksville & District Chamber of Commerce
- Duncan Cowichan Chamber of Commerce
- South Island Prosperity Project
- Kawatsi Economic Development Corporation
- City of Nanaimo
- City of Parksville
- City of Campbell River
- City of Port Alberni
- Town of Ladysmith
- District of Port Hardy
- Cowichan Valley Regional District
- Nanaimo Airport
- Comox Valley Airport
- Nanaimo Port Authority
- Port Alberni Port Authority
- Greater Victoria Harbour Authority
- Fraser River Industrial Association
- Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities
- Greater Vancouver Chamber of Commerce
- Vancouver Island University
- Community Futures – Alberni-Clayoquot

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:35 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Advise for meetings in Vancouver

Prem is in hold - would like to include Ravi. I'm seeing Kevin today. Hold on Tasha. There will be more

G

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 1:01 PM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff;

Attached are a few requests that I've been holding for upcoming possible meetings in Vancouver. Can you please advise YES / NO / Maybe on the below.

If you do not get around to this no worries, I will BF s.22

- 1) Susannah Pierce – You already advised YES
- 2) Prem Vinning – I spoke to him today – He requested **90** minutes. I kindly advised that you only had 30 minutes – he asked me to go back to you and request 45 minutes 😊
- 3) Mira Oreck – have confirmed 30 minutes on Thurs. Nov. 20th
- 4) Kevin Quinlan ?
- 5) Mauro Vescera – CEO Museum of Vancouver?
- 6) Tasha Sutcliffe?

Thanks!

Debbie Wade

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 3:53 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Harms Review OOP-2018-85296 - 1 page

No I don't

G

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 11:44 AM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff,

Would be able to review the attached page and please let me know if you see any harms in the disclosure of Layne's email?

Thank you so much!

Alison

<Pages from OOP-2018-85296.pdf>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 4:00 PM
To: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: B Dewar - Nov invoice

Thanks, looks good

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 3:42 PM, Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi – would you please review and approve the attached invoice.

The total amount in Bob's contract for fees is \$120,000. Including this invoice, he has billed a total of \$86,078, leaving \$33,921 for the remaining 4 months (contract is for April 2018 – March 2019). Bob will be ^{s.22}, so I expect the contract amount to be sufficient for the remainder of the year. However, he and I are monitoring this and will make adjustments as needed.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Vanessa

From: Dewar, Bob PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 4, 2018 7:33 AM
To: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: work

Hi Vanessa,

Here is my invoice for November.

Thanks,
Bob

Sent from my iPhone

<Executive Council - Invoice 75, November 2018 .docx>
<Detailed work November 2018.docx>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 4:12 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Bilateral with PM

WE should also consider including reference to obtaining consideration of carbon tax refunds in BC; caribou issue.

Geoff

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 4, 2018 4:54 PM
To: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Sunshine Coast

Many thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 4:50 PM, Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX <Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

We have arrived at a satisfactory conclusion. BCTS will be reaching out to the regional district to offer a presentation before this proceeds

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 3:36 PM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Tim, could we defer the the auction referenced below?

Geoff

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Simons, Nicholas" ^{s.17} >
Date: December 4, 2018 at 12:44:34 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Sunshine Coast

Hi Geoff,

BCTS is about to auction not one, but two (2) of the most contentious blocks on the Sunshine Coast;^{s.13; s.16}

^{s.13; s.16} One, referred to as Clack Creek, in what many hope would become a protected area, and another, the only block left in the Gibsons urban/rural interface, known as Lot 1313.

Both are being fought by equally well-organized groups with prominent supporters and many followers.

What I am told is that the Clack Creek block is going ahead, but that in exchange (to simplify) other protections will be put in place, somewhat addressing the concerns of the public (but not really).

However, the second, Timber Sale Licence A91376 (aka Lot 1313) is scheduled to be auctioned in January. It was announced after the Regional District elections and before the 8 new Directors and one returning Director were sworn in. s.13; s.16

Thanks very much.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 9:24 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Your Folio for s.15
Attachments: s.15

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Begin forwarded message:

From: s.15
Date: December 5, 2018 at 8:14:07 AM PST
To: <geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Your Folio for s.15

Dear Geoff Meggs,

Please find your folio of hotel charges attached. Any questions related to your folio can be directed to s.15

Thank you for staying with us. We look forward to welcoming you back in the future.

Best Regards,
Guest Services
s.15

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 9:56 AM
To: Gary Mason
Subject: Fwd: Finals - NR and Highlights
Attachments: NR-CleanBC_Dec 5 2018.pdf; ATT00001.htm; CleanBC_HighlightsReport_120318.pdf; ATT00002.htm

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 5, 2018 at 9:51:51 AM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Finals - NR and Highlights

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 9:58 AM
To: Gary Mason
Subject: Fwd: Embargoed CleanBC report and highlights document
Attachments: CleanBC_HighlightsReport_120318.pdf; ATT00001.htm; CleanBC_Full Report_120318.pdf; ATT00002.htm

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From: "Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 5, 2018 at 9:44:31 AM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Embargoed CleanBC report and highlights document

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 11:07 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Urgent

Fyi

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Simons, Nicholas" s.17
Date: December 5, 2018 at 10:29:12 AM PST
To: "Robinson, Selina" s.17
Cc: "Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX" <Matt.Djonlic@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Urgent

Hi Selina.

The situation in Gibsons is urgent. Sechelt has been full every night and people are being turned away with absolutely no options. It is dire. I can't imagine for the life of me what the holdup is. Raincity is ready. The facility is ready. The people are homeless and living rough in extreme cold. This cannot wait any longer for obvious reasons. I've been on this for over a month. What makes things worse is that your Ministry didn't seem to know that Gibsons had a shelter last year. Tell me what I can do to help! Thanks.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 11:31 AM
To: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: update on RHTF and homelessness - confidential

Thanks Vanessa, sounds good

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2018, at 10:47 AM, Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi – wanted to provide you a quick update:

RHTF

- Release is planned for next Wed (Dec 12) – MSR will receive the report from MLAs SCH and AO (s.22 – will be at Leg as the timing between Cabinet and TB does not enable offsite. Validators will not be at event, but we will have people who media can to for comment.
- An event in Metro with validators will be planned for the new year when the actions govt is taking are announced - TF members will be included.

Homelessness

- MSS, Leah and I sat down on Monday and reviewed the Homelessness Action Plan as it currently exists – we have some ideas for supporting community based action and prevention that we think will strengthen it – next step is to get information and advice from Deputy and to coordinate X Ministry actions – goal is release HAP as part of, or linked to, Poverty Reduction Strategy in Feb
- Leah and I are trying to meet with Neil and Anita next week to discuss the DTES and other issues related to homelessness
- Homelessness count report will be released next Tues (Dec 11) – will be a press release with MSS and MSR available for comment. Narrative will link issue of homelessness to poverty (reduction) and prevention

More to come. Let me know if you have any thoughts or concerns.

Vanessa

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 12:00 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Cc: LP PO Deputy Minister; LP PO Executive Office; LP Premiers Vancouver Office
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87466 Records Due December 12, 2018

No records

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2018, at 11:53 AM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello,

Please see the below request and please let me know by December 12th whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: All Staff

s.22
All correspondence regarding

(Date Range for Record Search: From 08/17/2018 To 11/23/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

If you think that the search for records will take you over 1 hour and/or the total volume of records will exceed 100 pages, please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you all for your assistance with this request! If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Alison Wensink, Executive Administrative Coordinator
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Room 272 - West Annex, Parliament Buildings
Victoria BC V8W 9E1
Phone: (250) 387-2987

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 12:33 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: AG vacation

Thank you

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2018, at 12:22 PM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

FYI - Minister Eby's vacation below.

Thanks!

Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
Office of the Premier
250-356-2785

From: Nanninga, Tanera AG:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 11:31 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: AG vacation

Great! Thanks Debbie!

AG's vacation dates:

s.22

Cheers,

Tanera Nanninga
Administrative Coordinator to the Honourable David Eby, QC
Attorney General and Minister responsible for Liquor, Gaming, and ICBC
Phone: (250-387-1866)

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 11:25 AM
To: Nanninga, Tanera AG:EX
Subject: RE: AG vacation

Yes that would be great. If you could send it to me, I will forward to Geoff and Amber.

Thanks!

Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
Office of the Premier
250-356-2785

From: Nanninga, Tanera AG:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 11:21 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: AG vacation

Hi Debbie,

Does the PO need to know our Minister's vacation dates? I feel like I saw an email asking us, but my Minister hadn't confirmed his dates at the time and now I can't find that email.

Cheers,

Tanera Nanninga
Administrative Coordinator to the Honourable David Eby, QC
Attorney General and Minister responsible for Liquor, Gaming, and ICBC
Phone: (250-387-1866)

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 2:06 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Cc: LP PREM Directors; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: Thanks for a very successful Clean BC launch

Dear friends,

I've just come from the Vancouver Public Library where the Premier, along with Ministers Heyman and Mungall and Andrew Weaver launched the Clean BC climate action plan. This plan is undoubtedly one of this government's most important achievements and it flows directly from the CASA agreement with the Green Party. I know countless hours of work was required within the ministries, with stakeholders and through the CASA process to bring it to this point. I want to express my appreciation for the contribution everyone made on the Premier's Office team and at GCPE to today's event. The event looked great, the organization was impeccable, the validation from stakeholders outstanding. Thanks to everyone who made it possible.

Geoff

**CHIEF OF STAFF,
OFFICE OF THE PREMIER**
West Annex, Parliament Buildings
Victoria BC V8V 1X4

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 2:39 PM
To: 'Wright, Don J. PREM:EX'; Dewar, Bob PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Hand off notes
Attachments: Memorandum - s.22 docx

An update on some issues on my desk:

Geoff

**CHIEF OF STAFF,
OFFICE OF THE PREMIER**
West Annex, Parliament Buidlings
Victoria BC V8V 1X4

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 3:56 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Dewar, Bob PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Meeting Confirmed with PM

Great!

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2018, at 3:30 PM, Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Both,

I wanted to give you confirmation that I have confirmed a 1:1 with the Prime Minister on Friday at 5:50pm. The meeting will take place at ^{s.15}

I am confirming the length and room location.

(This request came through Amanda Campbell to Amber H yesterday).

A

Amber Nash, Executive Coordinator
Office of the Premier
Direct: 250-356-0210
Mobile: 778-584-3330

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 5, 2018 3:57 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Cooper stories summary

Thanks Tim

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2018, at 3:23 PM, Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff, here is a short summary document on Sam Cooper's fentanyl/money laundering articles.

s.22

From: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 3:21 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Updated doc

<2018.12.05 Summary Doc.docx>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 11:17 AM
To: s.22
Subject: Fwd: Workers at Coast Hotel issue strike notice!

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: UNITE HERE Local 40 <updates@uniteherelocal40.org>
Date: December 6, 2018 at 7:48:25 AM HST
To: geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca
Subject: Workers at Coast Hotel issue strike notice!
Reply-To: updates@uniteherelocal40.org

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Robert Demand
Executive Director
UNITE HERE! Local 40

Sent via ActionNetwork.org. To update your email address, change your name or address, or to stop receiving emails from UNITE HERE Local 40, please [click here](#).

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 3:40 PM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Massey crossing

Folks, Debbie was asking if I could join a call Monday re Massey report. Happy to do so, if necessary, but here's what I gathered from a brief conversation with Will and James last week (I have not seen the report):

- the report rejects a 10-lane bridge and slams the failure to consult appropriately with affected municipalities, etc.;
- the report recommends a new consultation - not sure if there is a time frame proposed, but in my view it should not be long;
- the report proposes some immediate mitigation with interim measures.

My sense was that the minister would release the report, implement mitigation measures and commit to a swift process (terms and personnel to be defined).

Additional considerations: outreach to the Mayor of Delta, George Harvey, and to affected MLAs, especially PS Kahlon.
s.13; s.16

I'm working on a meeting with Harvey and PS Kahlon either before Christmas or after depending on everyone's availability. I don't think that meeting has to come first, but the comms plan should make sure those people, as well as Mayor Brodie in Richmond, are included in outreach planning.

If you want me to call in that's no problem — I'm generally available.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 3:53 PM
To: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: BCFL meetings/calls

Sounds good

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 6, 2018, at 12:22 PM, Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi – Jaime and I spoke today about setting out a schedule of meetings/calls for Geoff and Laird. Geoff and Irene had calls scheduled every 3 weeks. The last one scheduled for 2018 is at 10am on Monday Dec. 17th. If Geoff is ok to keep that time (8.22), we recommend that Geoff and Laird have a preliminary chat and confirm their desire for ongoing meetings/calls.

Moving forward, Jaime and I recommend that Geoff and Laird have an in-person meeting the week of Jan 17th or 24th (in Victoria) with Suzanne and Amber as appropriate, and then move to calls/meetings (as required) every 3 weeks.

PJH also met with Irene every 6 months or so. Jaime and I also recommend that, if possible, a second meeting with PJH be set up for the same day in Victoria, and then a schedule of meetings every 6 months be set up.

Marisha will be in touch with you to coordinate the dates/times etc.

Let me know if any other information needed.

Thanks Vanessa

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 3:54 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: G7G Letter of support from Premier

Bf next week

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Mark Olsen" <molsen@liuna-wc.ca>
Date: December 6, 2018 at 12:22:53 PM HST
To: <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: G7G Letter of support from Premier

Geoff;

Matt Vickers emailed me today requesting to see any response from the BC NDP (see below) regarding a support letter from the Premier.

I have not sent the email you sent to Manuel on to Matt. And I do not want to do so unless you agree.

In the alternative would you please answer Matt directly and copy me.

Please let me know.

Thank-you.

Mark Olsen
Western Canada Sub-Regional Manager
#203-15127-100th Avenue
Surrey, BC V3R 0N9
Phone: 604-951-8877

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From: Matt Vickers [<mailto:matt@mattvickers.com>]
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2018 11:12 AM

To: 'LiUNA Western Canada' <jfarish@liuna-wc.ca>

Cc: 'Mark Olsen' <molsen@liuna-wc.ca>

Subject: RE: Letters written

Jennifer and Mark, deeply appreciate these hard copy letters.

We understand Premier Horgan's Office responded to this letter, can we please receive a copy of that as well.

Best regards,
Matt

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 3:56 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Call for Records OOP-2018-87710 Records Due December 19, 2018

If possible I'd like to review before delivery

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "OOP FOI PREM:EX" <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 6, 2018 at 11:09:42 AM HST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Wade, Debbie PREM:EX" <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Call for Records OOP-2018-87710 Records Due December 19, 2018

Hi Geoff,

Please see the request below and please let me know by December 19th whether or not you have any records. Please PDF records into this folder:

Z:\Government\FOI\OOP-2018-87710 - Geoff all sent July\Records

Please let us know if you need any help with PDF'ing these records.

To PDF records:

- Shift and up arrow to select emails (batches of about 100-150 emails at a time)
- File, Print, change printer to Adobe PDF
- Save in LAN folder

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments - sent from Geoff Meggs.

(Date Range for Record Search: From 07/01/2018 To 07/31/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

Amanda Shortt, Administrative Assistant
Deputy Minister's Office | Office of the Premier
Room 272 - West Annex, Parliament Buildings
Victoria BC V8W 9E1

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 6, 2018 5:52 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: From: s.22 - We need more rental housing options

Please set up a rule to send these to deleted folder

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: BC Rental Project <info@bcrentalproject.ca>
Date: December 6, 2018 at 2:33:25 PM HST
To: geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca
Subject: From: s.22 - We need more rental housing options
Reply-To: s.22

Sender information

Name: s.22
Email:

Hello Sir or Madam,

I am signing this petition and sending this message to the BC government because token measures toward addressing chronic issues with rental housing supply are not working and will not work to improve affordability and the quality of homes for the people of our province. We are asking that the BC government immediately implement policy that incentivizes the creation of new rental housing with a school tax exemption, PST exemption, and other incentives until vacancy rate hits a target of three percent. Vacancy control hurts renters and low income earners and should be kept out of the market rental sector. Not implementing vacancy control further incentivizes owners and developers of rental housing to build new rental homes and renovate aging, existing stock. Finally, we ask that the government maintain the ability of rental owners to run buildings efficiently and be incentivized to reinvest in them.

In the midst of the current housing crisis, rental options are critically important to the people of BC. We need to stop policies that make the affordability of and access to rental housing worse and actively work to establish a robust set of incentives for increased rental housing options.

Thank you,

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 7, 2018 10:25 AM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87742 Records Due December 19, 2018

No records

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 7, 2018, at 8:12 AM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello,

Please see the below request and please let me know by December 19th whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: All Exec staff

All communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff

(Date Range for Record Search: From 08/01/2018 To 11/30/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

Thank you all for your assistance with this request! If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Amanda Shortt, Administrative Assistant
Deputy Minister's Office | Office of the Premier
Room 272 - West Annex, Parliament Buildings
Victoria BC V8W 9E1

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 7, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Jeremy Hainsworth
Subject: Re: Quick question

s.22

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 7, 2018, at 11:14 AM, Jeremy Hainsworth <jhainsworth@glaciermedia.ca> wrote:
>
> Good to see you the other day.
>s.22
> Thanks
> Jeremy

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 7, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Position

Third week of December - 20 or 21

G

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 7, 2018, at 9:47 AM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

>

> It was s.22 job that I discussed with s.22

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> s.22

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> Enjoy the sleep.

>

> On 2018-12-07, 11:36 AM, "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

>

> Yes please - did you discuss s.22 ? s.22

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> s.22

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> G

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Dec 7, 2018, at 9:23 AM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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>> Hi Geoff,

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>> I talked to s.22

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>> s.22

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>> Would you like me to arrange a meeting for when you get back?

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>> s.22

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>> Don

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>> Sent from my iPhone

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 8, 2018 10:32 AM
To: Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX
Cc: Haslam, David GCPE:EX; Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Subject: Re: PRES -

I think we should plan for two announcements — this and a follow-up.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 7, 2018, at 6:44 PM, Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX <Bobbi.Plecas@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Great news. It was already referenced on Wednesday so we need to message appropriately

On Dec 7, 2018, at 9:09 PM, Haslam, David GCPE:EX <David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Yup. Targeting Jan feb.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 7, 2018, at 12:05 PM, Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

FYI. An excellent follow up announcement opportunity

Dave Nikolejsin
Deputy Minister
Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

Begin forwarded message:

From: "MacLaren, Les EMPR:EX"
<Les.MacLaren@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 7, 2018 at 12:00:15 PM PST
To: "Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX"
<Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: PRES -

FYI

From: Sopinka, Amy EMPR:EX
Sent: Friday, December 7, 2018 11:25 AM
To: MacLaren, Les EMPR:EX
<Les.MacLaren@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wieringa, Paul EMPR:EX

<Paul.Wieringa@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: PRES -

s.12

Happy Friday!

A

<image001.jpg> Amy Sopinka
Director, Transmission and Interjurisdictional Branch
Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources
Office: 778-698-7280 Mobile: 250-888-5183

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 8, 2018 4:55 PM
To: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UPDATE:s.13; s.16

s.13; s.16

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 8, 2018, at 1:50 PM, Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sage please note that I have spoken with Okenge and am briefed on the latest.

s.13; s.16

Evan

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX" <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 8, 2018 at 2:30:55 PM PST
To: "Donaldson, Doug FLNR:EX" <Doug.Donaldson@gov.bc.ca>, "Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX" <Bruce.Ralston@gov.bc.ca>, "James, Carole FIN:EX" <Carole.James@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>, "Hockin, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>, "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX" <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca>, "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>, "Allan, John FLNR:EX" <John.Allan@gov.bc.ca>, "Manwaring, Richard G FLNR:EX" <Richard.Manwaring@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: UPDATE:s.13; s.16

Ministers:

Don Wright asked me to update you on s.13; s.16
s.13; s.16

s.13; s.16

Should you require additional information, please feel free to contact me at s.17
s.17

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

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 9, 2018 7:49 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update

Never mind, found the e-mail.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 9, 2018, at 5:46 PM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Debbie please print this out with the e-mail from last week from Mark Olsen. Also please see if you can find the e-mail I sent to Ma u Alvernaz referenced in Mark's e-mail.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX" <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 4, 2018 at 1:07:01 PM HST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX" <Michelle.J.Mungall@gov.bc.ca>, "Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX" <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update

Thanks Geoff.

If you have the referenced presentation I could give you some immediate feedback. Else you could send them to me and my folks to listen to the pitch. Fair warning we can only handle so many good ideas at a time!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 4, 2018, at 3:01 PM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Dave, as you can see from the string below,^{s.13; s.21}
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I would just like to put this on your radar – please let me know if there's more the minister or this office should consider.

Geoff

GEOFF MEGGS

Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier
West Annex, Parliament Buildings,
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
(250) 356-6271

From: Matt Vickers [<mailto:matt@mattvickers.com>]
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 2:22 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: 'Joe Barrett'; Manuel Alvernaz; 'Mark Olsen'
Subject: FW: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update
Importance: High

Afternoon Geoff,

After presenting to you we then presented to your counterpart in Alberta – Nathan Rotman and Principal Secretary – Jim Rutkowski and they are arranging for their technical team to get together with our engineering firm AECOM.

s.16; s.21

Will update you when I hear more from the further discussions with CIBC's representative in Toronto and Mr. Jeff Wilkie (funders representative).

Best regards,
Matt

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX [<mailto:Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: May 3, 2018 10:32 AM
To: 'Matt Vickers' <matt@mattvickers.com>
Cc: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca>; Mark Olsen (molsen@liuna-wc.ca) <molsen@liuna-wc.ca>
Subject: RE: Our presentation yesterday - My summary

Dear Matt,

Thanks for this note and the presentation a few days ago. This is obviously a big and ambitious project. I have updated the Premier but don't think we can provide a letter without a much clearer understanding of the financing expectations you referenced in our chat. If you can provide more clarity on that front I would be happy to have the relevant officials review the idea and provide some advice.

Thanks again and best wishes

Geoff

GEOFF MEGGS

Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier
West Annex, Parliament Buildings,
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
(250) 356-6271

From: Matt Vickers [<mailto:matt@mattvickers.com>]

Sent: Tuesday, May 1, 2018 10:45 AM

To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX

Cc: 'Mark Olsen'; 'Joe Barrett'; Ward Kemerer; Len Wilson

Subject: Our presentation yesterday - My summary

Importance: High

Morning Geoff,

Again, thank you for making time for our meeting yesterday.

As per my usual procedure I am doing a summary of the meeting from my perspective, so please add or correct from your perspectives as well:

- Geoff welcomed us to his office and we introduced ourselves
- Matt did a recognition of the Coast Salish territory
- Geoff mentioned that he had briefly gone through the presentation provided
 - s.13; s.16; s.21
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That's my memory of what transpired during the meeting gentlemen.

Then after the meeting during our de-brief outside Mark mentioned he would talk to Joseph Mancinelli's team back east about getting us into the PMO as soon as possible.

Looking forward to your feedback additions/corrections guys.

Best regards,

Matt Vickers, CET

Partner/CEO

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 10, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Dewar, Bob PREM:EX
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: s.13

Hi folks, just talked to Don. He sees no problem with language along the lines of s.13
s.13 " With regard to funding, we said we would
get done — and done right — and we haven't changed our mind.s.13
s.13 . etc., because we need to scope the project, get it done right, and so forth.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 10, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: econ enviro fg reports

Yes, thanks

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 9, 2018, at 8:15 PM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

pwd is^{s.15}

Are these what you were looking for?

<BC Gov Econ Enviro FG Landscape Review Sept 28.pdf>

<BC Gov Econ Enviro FG Report Final Sept 26.pdf>

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<BC Gov Econ Enviro Mandarin FG Report Sept 28.pdf>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 10, 2018 6:21 PM
To: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Cc: Dewar, Bob PREM:EX; Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CHNL: Weaver - CASA ■

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Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 10, 2018, at 1:29 PM, Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX <Evan.Lloyd@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: <tno@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 10, 2018 at 2:12:34 PM PST
To: Undisclosed recipients;;
Subject: CHNL: Weaver - CASA ■

CHNL (Kamloops)

10-Dec-2018 13:03

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 11, 2018 10:06 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Post Confirm Notification

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Begin forwarded message:

From: <donotreplyBCPSA@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 11, 2018 at 4:03:04 AM HST
To: <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Post Confirm Notification

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 11, 2018 10:48 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Catch-up

Debbie, please try to arrange a call for Amber, Bob and myself on Monday morning for a catch up. Also I'd like to have lunch or coffee with Evan Pivnick. Finally, please include me in the Thursday p.m. briefing with PJH - I'll say hi ^{s.22}
^{s.22} would be good to catch up with him. (That last one is this Thursday, I'll be in Victoria.) ^{s.22}
^{s.22}

Geoff

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 11, 2018 4:26 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: ROGERS In Victoria Feb 28

Just f next week

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Cindy Grauer <Cindy.Grauer@rci.rogers.com>
Date: December 11, 2018 at 10:09:00 AM HST
To: "geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca" <geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ROGERS In Victoria Feb 28

Hi Geoff,

Senior executives from ROGERS (including Phil Lind Vice Chair and Dean Prevost President of the Enterprise Unit (also representing Chief Technology Officer) will be in Victoria on February 28, meeting with Minister Sims and other senior government people.

This email is to enquire whether lunch with the Premier, you and Don Wright might be possible.

Cindy

Cindy Grauer
604-375-1564

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 12, 2018 11:31 AM
To: Ian Waddell
Subject: Re: Canadian Club

What date Ian?

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 12, 2018, at 9:06 AM, Ian Waddell <tort@shaw.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff

I'm on the board of the Canadian club in Vancouver, they have a luncheon spot open for a speaker in January, and have asked me to ask you to invite the Premier. It's usually a friendly audience, with a good spot. It lasts from 11:45-2:00. Please pass it on to the appropriate decision makers.

Best of the season,

--

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Vancouver, B.C. V6K 4G2
604.803.1069
tort@shaw.ca

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 12, 2018 11:34 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: MBR letter to Freeland Morneau

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Sent from my iPad

On Dec 12, 2018, at 9:05 AM, Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Amber Hockin
Deputy Chief of Staff
7785840867
Amber.hockin@gov.bc.ca
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Begin forwarded message:

From: "McNish, James JTT:EX" <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 12, 2018 at 10:57:53 AM PST
To: "Hockin, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: MBR letter to Freeland Morneau

From: McNish, James JTT:EX
Sent: December 12, 2018 10:51 AM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Talbot, Sarena GCPE:EX <Sarena.Talbot@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: MBR letter to Freeland Morneau

James McNish
Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Bruce Ralston
Minister of Jobs, Trade, and Technology
Cell: 250-812-7036
James.mcnish@gov.bc.ca

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 11:09 AM
To: Glumac, Rick
Cc: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX; Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: Re: BC Priorities for PNWER - 2019.pdf

Thanks Rick,

These look good with the exception of ^{s.13; s.16}
s.13; s.16

Geoff

From: Glumac, Rick <^{s.17}
Sent: Friday, December 14, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: BC Priorities for PNWER - 2019.pdf

Hey Geoff, these are the priorities we have come up with for PNWER for the upcoming year. They have been approved by Minister Ralston and we'd like to request approval from the Premiers office. Please let me know.

Thanks,
Rick Glumac

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 11:27 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Cooper stories summary
Attachments: 2018.12.05 Summary Doc.docx; ATT00001.htm

Please print, tnx

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 11, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Cooper stories summary

Don, I'd like to discuss these stories next week and wondering if the documents cited, which I assume are available to the Solicitor General and/or the Attorney General, have been obtained by government and provided to the two review processes under way.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX" <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 5, 2018 at 1:23:51 PM HST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Cooper stories summary

Geoff, here is a short summary document on Sam Cooper's fentanyl/money laundering articles.

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From: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 5, 2018 3:21 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Updated doc

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 11:47 AM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Call for Records OOP-2018-87781 Records Due December 21, 2018

Alison , I don't know if I replied to this, but no records.

Geoff

From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, December 13, 2018 12:15 PM
To: LP PO Deputy Minister; LP PO Executive Office; LP Premiers Vancouver Office
Subject: Call for Records OOP-2018-87781 Records Due December 21, 2018

Hello,

Please see the below request and please let me know by December 21st whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: All Staff

Any records referring to Brilliant Circle Holdings International Ltd., a company involved in land development in B.C.

*(Date Range for Record Search: From: **01/01/2014 To: 12/01/2018**) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY*

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

If you think that the search for records will take you over 1 hour and/or the total volume of records will exceed 100 pages, please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you all for your assistance with this request! If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Victoria BC V8W 9E1
Phone: (250) 387-2987

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 6:34 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Re: from Fazil

Thanks. Yue Shan is an important local Chinatown association and Koman Chow is one of its leaders.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 14, 2018, at 4:33 PM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

FYI.

From: Okenge <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Friday, December 14, 2018 at 4:23 PM
To: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: from Fazil

Please see below the English translation of the story that was posted on
<http://www.gzqw.gov.cn/gzqw/gzdt/201812/459db828eda14b06890835cc949393d6.shtml>

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 6:37 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Thanks Okenge -^{s.13}
by existing. We can discuss Monday, tnx

Not new work, just issues raised

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 14, 2018, at 4:19 PM, Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff: as requested.

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 14, 2018 11:19 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca>; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX <Kate.VanMeer-Mass@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX <Pierrette.Maranda@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Okenge, I understand Governor Inslee is deepening his commitment to high speed rail. Please get an update on the work we have participated in so far and what next steps the Premier

might be expected to support. In particular, I wonder if MOTI has made any decision about the right of way for a line from Seattle to Vancouver/Surrey.

Geoff

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 11, 2018 5:26 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Thanks Kate. We are on it. oym

From: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, December 11, 2018 4:47 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Spoke with PJH and he is good with the trip as described.

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, December 7, 2018 10:59 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Appreciated. Thanks, oym

From: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, December 7, 2018 1:54 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Maranda, Pierrette IGRS:EX
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Visit to WA

Okenge I checked with Kate on the process and Kate will put this in front of the Premier for feedback Monday. Thanks. Amber Hockin.

Amber Hockin
Deputy Chief of Staff

Amber.hockin@gov.bc.ca

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2018, at 2:28 PM, Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff: please find attached a proposed program for PJH's visit to WA in January.
Grateful if we could secure your approval (or receive your feedback) by Dec 10.

Many thanks, oym

<PJH Visit to WA Program Concepts Draft (4).docx>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 16, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Time tomorrow

Don, 3.30 to 4.30 would take some shuffling but quite possible. Could continue our 11 meeting through to 12.30. 5.30 to 6.30 is fine.

Geoff

Sent from my iPad

On Dec 16, 2018, at 8:31 AM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff,

We have 30 minutes scheduled for tomorrow, but I think my list will take considerably longer than that. Would you have some extra time?

Times that would work for me:

Noon – 1;
3:30-4:30
5:30-6:30

If none of those work, perhaps we can find some time on Tuesday.

Thanks.

Don

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 12:57 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Call for Records OOP-2018-87939 Records Due January 3, 2019

Sorry, wrong about that – I have a few e-mails. Debbie, please provide the string with Evan last week.

Geoff

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 12:34 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87939 Records Due January 3, 2019

No records

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 17, 2018, at 11:00 AM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello Geoff,

Please see the below request and please let me know by January 03rd whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: Geoff Meggs

All communications sent or received by Geoff Meggs regarding Meng Wanzhou (Date Range for Record Search: From 11/23/2018 To 12/14/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

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Amanda Shortt, Administrative Assistant
Deputy Minister's Office | Office of the Premier
Room 272 - West Annex, Parliament Buildings

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 12:59 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Call for Records OOP-2018-87939 Records Due January 3, 2019

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Geoff

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Sent: December 17, 2018 12:34 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87939 Records Due January 3, 2019

No records

Sent from my iPhone

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Amanda Shortt, Administrative Assistant

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 2:07 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

No, we're well-covered, thanks

Geoff

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 12:09 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

See below.

From: Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 11:45 AM
To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

Any concerns with us politely declining this one?

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

----- Original message -----

From: "Reid, Heidi FIN:EX" <Heidi.Reid@gov.bc.ca>
Date: 2018-12-17 2:41 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX" <Rob.Gillezeau@gov.bc.ca>, "Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX" <Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

Can I just regret her attendance? She has a CASA meeting that day which we've moved many time and in Vancouver again all day Thursday & Friday for Cab Planning...

Let me know your thoughts!

Thanks...Heidi

From: Jonathan Buchanan <jbuchanan@amebc.ca>

Sent: December 17, 2018 11:37 AM

To: Reid, Heidi FIN:EX <Heidi.Reid@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Simone Hill <shill@amebc.ca>; Rob Stevens <rstevens@amebc.ca>

Subject: RE: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

Dear Heidi,

Thank you for taking a moment to discuss the possibility of Minister James giving remarks at AME Roundup.

We understand that late January will be a busy time for the Minister; here are times at which members of the Cabinet will be speaking or are invited to speak.

Sunday, January 27 -Minister George Heyman will be addressing the Student-Industry Networking Event
 -Minister Michelle Mungall will be providing remarks at the Chair's Welcome Dinner.

Monday, January 28 -Premier John Horgan will be providing welcoming remarks at the Official Opening Ceremony.
 -Minister Michelle Mungall will be providing opening remarks at the AME Lunch, and is a
panelist at the Government-Industry Forum.

Tuesday, January 28 -Minister Scott Fraser will be providing remarks at the Reconciliation Breakfast.
 -Minister Doug Donaldson will be providing opening remarks AME's The Gathering Place.
 -Minister Carole James is invited to provide remarks at the Finance Lunch.

I have also attached a revised Events at a Glance sheet. We are finalizing our speaker program this week, so if you are able to confirm by end of day tomorrow, that would be ideal.

I look forward to hearing back from you regarding Minister James' participation.

Regards,
Jonathan



Jonathan Buchanan

Director, Regulatory and Technical Policy
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T: 604.630.3923 C: 778.840.0620

From: Jonathan Buchanan

Sent: Friday, December 07, 2018 2:03 PM

To: Reid, Heidi FIN:EX <Heidi.Reid@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: 'Nash, Amber PREM:EX' <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>; Simone Hill <shill@amebc.ca>; Rob Stevens
<rstevens@amebc.ca> <rstevens@amebc.ca>

Subject: Invitation for Minister James to Participate in AME Roundup - Finance Lunch - Tues., Jan. 29

Dear Heidi,

As mentioned in the forwarded invitation, we look forward to hearing regarding Minister James's availability to provide remarks at the AME Finance Lunch on Tuesday, January 29, 2019.

Date: Tuesday, January 29, 2019

Location: East Meeting Room 123, Vancouver Convention Centre East
Time: 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM (**note revised time**)

Our keynote speaker, Dr. Nicole Adshead-Bell, Director, Cupel Advisory Corp., will provide her perspective on the progression of exploration financing over the past 5 to 15 years and the innovative ways companies are approaching financing today.

We welcome Minister James to provide remarks on how BC continues to provide a fiscal platform that is globally competitive for attracting mineral exploration and development.

We are flexible in terms of the timing of remarks – they may be either before the lunch service (i.e. 12:05 or 12:10, or after the lunch service – i.e. around 12:40).

Please feel free to be in touch if you have any questions.

Regards,
Jonathan



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Director, Regulatory and Technical Policy
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T: 604.630.3923 C: 778.840.0620

From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Friday, December 07, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Jonathan Buchanan <jbuchanan@amebc.ca>
Cc: Reid, Heidi FIN:EX <Heidi.Reid@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: AME Roundup - contact for Minister James' office

Thanks Jonathan. Connecting you with Heidi Reid (copied here) in Minister James office regarding this invitation.

Amber

Amber Nash, Executive Coordinator
Office of the Premier
Direct: 250-356-0210
Mobile: 778-584-3330

From: Jonathan Buchanan [<mailto:jbuchanan@amebc.ca>]
Sent: December 6, 2018 2:14 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Simone Hill; Rob Stevens
Subject: AME Roundup - contact for Minister James' office

Hi Amber,

Thank you for helping us confirm the Premier for the Official Opening at Roundup; we are looking forward to having him.

On another note, we have invited Minister James to provide opening remarks at our Finance Lunch on Tuesday, January 29, 2019, and Simone suggested that you might have an idea on whom to approach in her office (I have attached the original invite).

Date: Tuesday, January 29, 2019
Location: East Meeting Room 123, Vancouver Convention Centre East
Time: 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM **(note revised time)**
Speaker: Nikki Adshead-Bell, Director, Cupel Advisory Corp.

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Thank you again!

Regards,
Jonathan



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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 5:51 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: ES_FACTAP announcement.docx

Routley would be great^{s.13; s.22}

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 17, 2018, at 5:21 PM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> This is the federal announcement.^{s.22}

Doug Routley? Wild Salmon Advisory cttee, local MLA...

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> <ES_FACTAP announcement.docx>

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>

> Sage

> 778-678-0832

> Sent from my mobile device

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 5:30 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: china
Attachments: Fwd: FINAL - Fw: Minister's statement on rescheduling China leg of forestry trade mission; Fwd: Comms re; China ; China Mission; Fwd: UPDATE: Forest Sector Delegation

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 5:51 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: s.17 -lockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: For review: Yalda (Persian solstice) statement

Thank you

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 17, 2018, at 5:13 PM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

We sent a similar greeting last year.

For Immediate Release
Office of the Premier
Dec. 20, 2018
Corp. Cal: PREM-

Premier John Horgan's statement on the celebration of Yalda

Premier John Horgan has issued the following statement on Yalda, the Iranian celebration of solstice:

"Tonight, families from Iranian, Afghan, Tajik, Azeri and Kurdish communities in British Columbia, and around the world, will be celebrating Yalda, the ancient celebration of the winter solstice.

"For thousands of years, family and friends have gathered together to mark the longest and darkest night of the year.

"Yalda Night is an opportunity to join together in ritual to reflect on the arrival of winter, the renewal of the sun and the victory of light over darkness.

"To everyone celebrating Yalda, I wish you a wonderful evening and brighter months ahead for you, your family and all British Columbians.

"Shab-e Yalda Mobarak!"

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Premier
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 5:51 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: 1:1 between PSRG and GM

Sure

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 17, 2018, at 4:42 PM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Are you ok If I book this meeting for this Friday @ 2:30pm @ VCO ?

Thanks!


Debbie Wade
Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff
and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
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From: Kesteven, Torey [<mailto:Torey.Kesteven@leg.bc.ca>]
Sent: Monday, December 17, 2018 3:59 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: 1:1 between PSRG and GM

Hi Debbie,

Hoping to schedule a 1:1 meeting between PS Rick Glumac and Geoff Meggs during the end of Dec/early January. PSG needs Geoff to sign off on some proposed travel. Rick will be at VCO for a meeting at 1:30pm on Thursday, January 3rd, perhaps Geoff has some time this day?

Best,

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 5:52 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Let's get it done this week

G

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 17, 2018, at 3:55 PM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff;

Please advise if you would like to proceed with the meeting on Thurs. Dec. 20th @ 9:30-10:00am @ VCO with Ravi Kahlon and Prem Vinning (with Mayor of Delta) or for me to reschedule in January. As mentioned Prem has been fairly persistent about this happening this week, but is also wanting 45- 60 minutes.

Please advise
Thanks!

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From: Virk, Rajmeet [<mailto:Rajmeet.Virk@leg.bc.ca>]
Sent: Monday, December 17, 2018 3:52 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Hi Debbie,

Unfortunately Ravi will be in Victoria to meet with the Canadian World Jr Hockey Team at that time. He is however, available to meet at 9am at VCO if that works well?

Best,
Raj

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rajmeet.virk@leg.bc.ca | www.bcndpcaucus.ca

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX [<mailto:Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Monday, December 17, 2018 2:33 PM
To: Virk, Rajmeet <Rajmeet.Virk@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Hi Raj;

Geoff Meggs has agreed to meet with Prem Vinning and the Mayor of Delta - George Harvie on Thursday Dec. 20th @ 2:00-2:45pm, however he would like Ravi to attend as well. Could you please advise if he would be available to meet at VCO on that day.

Thanks!

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 7:22 PM
To: McNish, James JTT:EX
Subject: Re: From Minister Ralston: Why Fujitsu chose Vancouver

Thanks James

From: McNish, James JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, December 17, 2018 7:04 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: From Minister Ralston: Why Fujitsu chose Vancouver

Hi Geoff,

Minister Ralston wanted to pass on to you a slide deck from Fujitsu on why they have chosen Vancouver to be their global artificial intelligence headquarters. It highlights some key advantages the BC has that we can continue to capitalize on and build a strong tech sector.

Key Points:

pg 4 - Reorienting business to Canada
pg 7 - Why Canada?
pg 8 - Why Canada? That's where the Game Happens
pg 9 - Why Canada? Ecosystem & Partners
pg 10 - 1Qbit BC Company
pg 11 - Cost of Business - Accessible, 2 of Canada's top 3 universities"

All the best,

-James

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Minister of Jobs, Trade, and Technology
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 17, 2018 7:35 PM
To: matt@mattvickers.com
Cc: Mark Olsen; Manuel F. Alvernaz (malvernaz@cswu1611.org); Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: G7G project - bitumen pipeline

Dear Matt,

I'm following up on Mark Olsen's recent query to me about the status of the support letter you have requested from Premier Horgan. Since I received Mark's note I have reviewed our earlier correspondence and checked back on my feedback from our Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources.

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I know this will be disappointing news, but it's the reality we face at the moment.
Best wishes

Geoff Meggs,
Chief of Staff,
West Annex, Legislature Bldgs.
Victoria

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 18, 2018 10:49 AM
To: 'bob.penner@stratcom.ca'
Subject: Meeting with Geoff today

Good morning Bob;

Geoff asked me to let you know he will now be available at 5:00pm, (instead of 5:30pm). Hope that works for your schedule.

Thanks
Debb

GEOFF MEGGS

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 18, 2018 3:35 PM
To: Gordon Orlikow (gordon.orlikow@kornferry.com)
Subject: FW: FYI: CV
Attachments: s.22

From: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Sent: December 18, 2018 2:25 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: FYI: CV

As mentioned. s.22

Sent from my iPhone

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:45 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Yes, no problem

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:25 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Hi Geoff;

If you like I can look to re-schedule this meeting on Monday Jan. 7th. Currently you have no other meetings in your calendar, so you could fly to Vancouver that morning and do this meeting along with a few others? Please advise and I will get in touch with Prem.

Thanks!

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From: Virk, Rajmeet [<mailto:Rajmeet.Virk@leg.bc.ca>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2018 9:32 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Hi Debbie,

I just spoke with Ravi and he said Geoff was willing to reschedule this meeting for a different time as it might be tough for him to make it. He has availability on Jan 7th or 8th in the morning and the week of Jan 21st as well. Would that work?

Best,
Raj

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From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX [<mailto:Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2018 9:14 AM
To: Virk, Rajmeet <Rajmeet.Virk@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Good morning Raj;

Geoff has just confirmed he can do 9:30-10:00am, does that work? His helijet lands at 9:10 and he will go straight to the VCO.

Thanks so much for touching base !!

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Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2018 8:10 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Hi Debbie,

Just following up on this. Has Geoff gotten back to you about 9am yet?

Best,
Raj

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Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Request for MLS Kahlon to attend meeting

Thank you Raj;

I am just checking with Geoff and will get back to asap.

Thanks!

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Debbie Wade

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:45 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Lobmeier, Lucy S IGRS:EX; Smith, Grant H IGRS:EX; Periwal, Sukumar IGRS:EX; Farmer, Susan PREM:EX
Subject: RE: ADVICE: Myanmar National Day

Yes, I agree with the recommendation, thank you

Geoff

From: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:01 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX <Kate.VanMeer-Mass@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Lobmeier, Lucy S IGRS:EX <Lucy.Lobmeier@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Grant H IGRS:EX <Grant.H.Smith@gov.bc.ca>; Periwal, Sukumar IGRS:EX <Sukumar.Periwal@gov.bc.ca>; Farmer, Susan PREM:EX <Susan.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ADVICE: Myanmar National Day

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Background

- While Canada has diplomatic relations with Myanmar, there are economic sanctions currently in place and human rights (in particular the treatment of ethnic and religious minority groups) remains a serious concern.
- Most recently, the Rohingya population, an ethnic minority who has been the subject of widespread discrimination, has been forced to flee Myanmar because of a brutal security operation led by Myanmar's security forces.
- Stemming from a spike in violence, including a significant security operation and "clearing exercise" by Myanmar's armed forces, over 730,000 Rohingya refugees have fled from Myanmar to Bangladesh since August 2017.
- This crisis has resulted in widespread and significant humanitarian needs in both Myanmar and Bangladesh.
- The refugees are living in extremely difficult, congested conditions. The situation in the camps and settlements was aggravated by the severe monsoon rains and flooding from July to September 2018. The humanitarian situation in Rakhine state—and other conflict-affected regions of Myanmar—is also alarming.
- In October 2017, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau appointed the Honourable Bob Rae as Special Envoy to Myanmar. In April 2018, Mr. Rae submitted his final report outlining 17 recommendations for Canadian action. In May 2018, Prime Minister Trudeau released Canada's Strategy to respond to the

Rohingya Crisis, which includes a commitment of \$300 million of international assistance funding over three years to address humanitarian, development and peace and stabilization needs in Myanmar and Bangladesh.

- In June 2018, Canada and the EU sanctioned seven individuals involved in the military operations launched in Rakhine state in August 2017. Canada has in place comprehensive sanctions related to Myanmar under the Special Economic Measures (Burma) Regulations, including an arms embargo and an asset freeze and dealings prohibition targeting both entities and individuals.
- Canada also sanctioned a high-ranking military official in February 2018 under the Justice for Victims of Corrupt Foreign Officials Act as a result of the significant role played by this military official in human rights violations against the Rohingya.
- Canada continues to exercise its leadership in promoting international cooperation in response to the crisis in order to better coordinate assistance and align advocacy efforts. Canada will also support efforts at the UN and in other multilateral institutions to build political will and coordinate international efforts.

Regards, oym

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



Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:54 AM
To: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX; Loubert, Danny PREM:EX; Bain, Don PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Moran, Roseanne LASS:EX
Subject: RE: 830 phone line quality

Thank you.

From: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 8:57 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX <Kate.VanMeer-Mass@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>; Loubert, Danny PREM:EX <Danny.Loubert@gov.bc.ca>; Bain, Don PREM:EX <Don.Bain@gov.bc.ca>; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca>; Moran, Roseanne LASS:EX <Roseanne.Moran@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: 830 phone line quality

Sorry for the group email but the quality of the sound on the 830am call has never been good but has been worse since the UC transfer. Kate tells me that Geoff's office does not have a plug into the wall star phone with corded microphones. I have been told this kind of phone has very good sound quality so Danny will be ordering one for this CoS office – it will have its own phone number and so can stay in the office indefinitely.

If this is not a good idea, please let me know by noon.

Thanks Vanessa

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Baskerville, Shannon AEST:EX; Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Delphi

Yes, thanks very much

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2018, at 1:06 PM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Thanks Shannon.

That's helpful.

Don

From: Shannon Baskerville <Shannon.Baskerville@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Wednesday, December 19, 2018 at 12:51 PM
To: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bobbi Plecas <Bobbi.Plecas@gov.bc.ca>, Amber Hockin <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>, Geoff Meggs <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Delphi

Hi Don,

I followed up for Bobbi (^{s.22}) on your points raised below and our conversation this am and can confirm:

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2. s.13

I would offer that if there are concerns being raised, Bobbi and/or I would be pleased to meet to clarify purpose and address any concerns, and make necessary changes / additions – there's still time.

Shannon

From: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX"
<Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 19, 2018 at 10:27:00 AM PST
To: "Plecas, Bobbi ENV:EX"
<Bobbi.Plecas@gov.bc.ca>, "Baskerville, Shannon
AEST:EX" <Shannon.Baskerville@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Hockin, Amber PREM:EX"
<Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>, "Meggs, Geoff
PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Delphi

Hi Bobbi,

I had a chance to talk to Shannon about this, but
wanted to make sure you are in the loop.

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Thanks Bobbi.

Don

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 2:15 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: CALLER - FOR GEOFF - RAYMOND GREENWOOD

No thanks - pls call him and ask what I can help with

G

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2018, at 1:44 PM, Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Please advise if you'd like me to you'd like me to get any info or set up a phone call.

Thanks!

*Debbie Wade
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From: Privett, Don PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, December 19, 2018 11:52 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALLER - FOR GEOFF - RAYMOND GREENWOOD

Voice mail msg receive today at 11:45

Raymond Greenwood
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Called for Geoff, requesting a call back; no context

Don

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West Annex, Room 156 | Parliament Buildings, Victoria, BC V8W 9E1
<image002.jpg>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 2:17 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Submission re: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM
Attachments: TriU Chairs Natural Disaster Research proposal 19Dec2018.pdf; ATT00001.htm

Don, what next for this? Let's discuss

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Larson, Janice" <janice.larson@ubc.ca>
Date: December 19, 2018 at 1:48:15 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Nash, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>, "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>, "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Submission re: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM

Greetings Mr. Meggs:

Further to our Oct.16th email exchange below, please find attached our submission regarding the creation of three BC Regional Research Chairs in Natural Disaster Management.

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It is requested that these funds be allocated as part of the Province of BC's 2019 Budget to enable each IURC institution to proceed in establishing the chairs and installing timely and critical regional natural disaster research support to the BC Interior and the province.

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Please advise if you have any questions or require any further information or materials.

We look forward to hearing from you, and we wish you a very happy holiday season.

Regards,

Janice Larson
Director, Tri-University Partnership Office
UBCO VPR Partnerships Office
Ph. 250-807-8025

From: Larson, Janice
Sent: Tuesday, October 16, 2018 3:07 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM

Many Thanks Geoff for your reply.

In answer to local governments' need for research capacity with a regional lens to understand and address local and regional natural disaster risks and recovery, a request for funding will be forthcoming to support the creation of endowments for three complementary provincial research chairs (one each at UNBC, TRU and UBCO). These chairs will work with their respective cities to look at all facets of Natural Disaster Management, including flood/fire/drought prediction and response, interface fuel management, evacuation management, snowpack monitoring, high-value assets/critical infrastructure protection, community health and ecosystem impacts.

Further to the attached letter dated September 26th to Premier Horgan from Mayors Hall, Christian and Basran seeking a meeting in Victoria on November 16th, we look forward to receiving confirmation of this meeting and the opportunity to move forward with this important initiative.

Thanks again,

Janice Larson
Director, Tri-University Partnership Office
UBCO VPR Partnerships Office
Ph. 250-807-8025

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX [Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, October 16, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Larson, Janice
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM

Janice, this came to us as a project that was being undertaken by the universities. If there is a funding ask please let us know the details. You can share it with me and I'll follow up. However, it was not evident to me at the time that any money was being sought.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 16, 2018, at 9:30 AM, Larson, Janice <janice.larson@ubc.ca<<mailto:janice.larson@ubc.ca>>>

wrote:

Greetings Mr. Meggs:

Further to Premier Horgan's Sept. 14th announcement at UBCM to establish three research chairs in the BC Interior (see below), I am writing to inquire as to the status and the process for establishing these research chairs.

I am the Director of the Tri-University (UNBC, TRU and UBCO) Partnership and work with the Mayors of Prince George, Kamloops and Kelowna. In this regard, I would be happy to provide further background/context and assistance to those of your MFIN colleagues tasked with this file, and I would welcome any further information or MFIN connections you could provide.

Regards,

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WHISTLER, B.C. — NDP Premier John Horgan tipped his hat to three B.C. mayors for their collaborative approach to the wildfire crisis.

He did so in his keynote speech at the UBCM conference in Whistler today.

"I spoke with Mayor Christian from Kamloops. He and Mayor Hall (Prince George) and Basran from Kelowna have already started to collaborate on bringing research chairs to UNBC, to UBCO Okanagan and Thompson Rivers. That's an initiative I support," said Horgan.

"I talked with the minister of finance about how we can enable having research chairs in our Interior institutions to make sure that we're getting real-time information and state-of-the-art thinking on how we can better prepare to get those interface fires under control."

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 3:11 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Submission re: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM
Attachments: TriU Chairs Natural Disaster Research proposal 19Dec2018.pdf

Importance: High

Don, let's discuss.

Geoff

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Many Thanks Geoff for your reply.

In answer to local governments' need for research capacity with a regional lens to understand and address local and regional natural disaster risks and recovery, a request for funding will be forthcoming to support the creation of endowments for three complementary provincial research chairs (one each at UNBC, TRU and UBCO). These chairs will work with their respective cities to look at all facets of Natural Disaster Management, including flood/fire/drought prediction and response, interface fuel management, evacuation management, snowpack monitoring, high-value assets/critical infrastructure protection, community health and ecosystem impacts.

Further to the attached letter dated September 26th to Premier Horgan from Mayors Hall, Christian and Basran seeking a meeting in Victoria on November 16th, we look forward to receiving confirmation of this meeting and the opportunity to move forward with this important initiative.

Thanks again,

Janice Larson
Director, Tri-University Partnership Office UBCO VPR Partnerships Office Ph. 250-807-8025

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX [Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, October 16, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Larson, Janice
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Research Chairs announcement at UBCM

Janice, this came to us as a project that was being undertaken by the universities. If there is a funding ask please let us know the details. You can share it with me and I'll follow up. However, it was not evident to me at the time that any money was being sought.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 16, 2018, at 9:30 AM, Larson, Janice <janice.larson@ubc.ca<mailto:janice.larson@ubc.ca>> wrote:

Greetings Mr. Meggs:

Further to Premier Horgan's Sept.14th announcement at UBCM to establish three research chairs in the BC Interior (see below), I am writing to inquire as to the status and the process for establishing these research chairs.

I am the Director of the Tri-University (UNBC, TRU and UBCO) Partnership and work with the Mayors of Prince George, Kamloops and Kelowna. In this regard, I would be happy to provide further background/context and assistance to those of your MFIN colleagues tasked with this file, and i would welcome any further information or MFIN connections you could provide.

Regards,

Janice Larson

Director, Tri-University Partnership Office UBCO VPR Partnerships Office Ph. 250-807-8025

WHISTLER, B.C. — NDP Premier John Horgan tipped his hat to three B.C. mayors for their collaborative approach to the wildfire crisis.

He did so in his keynote speech at the UBCM conference in Whistler today.

"I spoke with Mayor Christian from Kamloops. He and Mayor Hall (Prince George) and Basran from Kelowna have already started to collaborate on bringing research chairs to UNBC, to UBCO Okanagan and Thompson Rivers. That's an initiative I support," said Horgan.

"I talked with the minister of finance about how we can enable having research chairs in our Interior institutions to make sure that we're getting real-time information and state-of-the-art thinking on how we can better prepare to get those interface fires under control."

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 3:12 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Anne McMillan

Debbie, please book an appointment with Anne, of UDI in the new year in Vancouver.

Geoff

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 3:35 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Call for Records OOP-2018-87773 Records Due December 28, 2018

Would be from Evan Lloyd or Sage as e-mail.

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Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "OOP FOI PREM:EX" <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 19, 2018 at 2:43:07 PM PST
To: LP PO Deputy Minister <LPPODM@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP PO Executive Office <LPPOEO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Premiers Vancouver Office <LPPVO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Call for Records OOP-2018-87773 Records Due December 28, 2018

Hello,

Please see the below request and please let me know by December 28th whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: All staff

Regarding the announcement and news release of Dec. 5, 2018 related to the CleanBC plan involving Premier John Horgan, Andrew Weaver, Environment Minister George Heyman and others: the event proposal including visual messages, written messages, rollout, media plan, strategic communications, media relations, Q&As and event information/speaking notes; records about the scheduling of the news release and news conference, and the creation of quotes contained in the news release; the list of invitees to the media event/photo op/hospitality event in Vancouver; the list of attendees to the media event/photo op/hospitality event in Vancouver; The list of all elected and appointed Province of B.C. officials who traveled to and from the Dec. 5, 2018 CleanBC news conference from outside Metro Vancouver, the mode of transportation they used, and the cost of their transportation.

(Date Range for Record Search: From 11/23/2018 To 12/05/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

If you think that the search for records will take you over 1 hour and/or the total volume of records will exceed 100 pages, please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you all for your assistance with this request! If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Phone: (250) 387-2987

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 5:26 PM
To: Gordon Orlikow
Subject: Fwd: CV
Attachments: s.22

As discussed

Sent from my iPhone

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 20, 2018 9:26 AM
To: Rathbone, Chris PSEC:EX
Subject: Re: Tentative Agreement - UVic and the PEA

Great, thank you

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2018, at 8:58 AM, Rathbone, Chris PSEC:EX <Chris.Rathbone@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Don and Geoff,

The first tentative agreement amongst the research universities was reached last night – UVic has signed an agreement with their Professional Employees Association (PEA) bargaining unit, covering approximately 900 employees.

The agreement is consistent with the 2019 mandate,^{s.13}
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There's no other bargaining going on between now and the New Year, so this should be the last update from us.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,

Chris

Chris Rathbone | Assistant Deputy Minister
Public Sector Employers' Council Secretariat | Province of BC
Phone: 778.698.8530 | Mobile: 250.812.3246
gov.bc.ca/PSEC
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 20, 2018 4:14 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87918 Records Due December 31, 2018

No records

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2018, at 11:23 AM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff,

*Please see the below request and please let me know by December 31st whether or not you have any records. **Please let me know if someone else in the PO would hold records***

All records documenting John Horgan's confirmation on December 12, 2018 that he has discussed with Andrew Weaver that the confidence and supply agreement between his party and the BC Greens could be renegotiated in the New Year.

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

If you think that the search for records will take you over 3 hours and/or the total volume of records will exceed 200 pages, please let me know as soon as possible.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 20, 2018 5:01 PM
To: Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX
Cc: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Fortis Update

Thank you

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2018, at 3:43 PM, Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Geoff,

A few further points that may be helpful:

- The NEB approval conditions included integrity digs and running smart pigs though the line (assessing the actual pipeline). Those conditions were met before Enbridge was allowed to increase pressure.
- The overall safety of the pipeline is fully regulated and overseen by the NEB. The NEB has been directly involved in providing instructions to Enbridge for operation of the pipeline following the rupture.
- The TSB is continuing their investigation and it is expected that full results will not be available for up to 18 months (after the rupture). The BC Oil and Gas Commission has an official observer on the investigation. The BC OGC is very impressed with the process that the TSB is following for the investigation.

Best regards,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Minister Mungall
Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources
PO Box 9060, Station Prov Gov, Victoria, BC, V8W 9E2 | Cell: 250-896-4532

From: Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 4:16 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fortis Update

Hi Geoff,

We have requested further information from Ministry staff as to what information persuaded the NEB that the increases in pressure were warranted and safe. We also inquired about the status of the TSB report. We hope to have more information by end of day tomorrow.

A timeline of recent events may be helpful in the interim:

Nov. 17 – Enbridge issues statement announcing that the National Energy Board has approved increasing pressure on the T-South line to 85%. https://noms.wei-pipeline.com/notices/ci_notice.show?id=51100

Nov. 22 – FortisBC issues news release announcing an improving natural gas supply picture for B.C. It says this is the result of proactive measures to strengthen natural gas supply, continued warmer than average weather, and the recently announced increases in Enbridge's pipeline operating pressure. <https://www.fortisbc.com/MediaCentre/NewsReleases/2018/Pages/20181122-FortisBC-gas-supply-outlook-improves.aspx>

Nov. 30 – Enbridge issues statement that the NEB granted its request to operate a portion of the T-South line at full operating capacity following a detailed engineering assessment. This portion begins near Chilliwack, B.C. and continues south to the Canadian border with the United States at Huntingdon/Sumas. Further details can be found here: <http://www.enbridge.com/media-center/media-statements/prince-george-pipeline-incident>. This allowed for a gradual increase to 1.4 Bcf/d of natural gas being supplied to the Huntington area.

Dec. 17 – Due to T-South's increased capacity, increased storage and mild weather, FortisBC updates its public facing natural gas supply dashboard and informs its customers that they can resume normal use of natural gas. https://www.fortisbc.com/MediaCentre/BCsNaturalGasSupplyIsLimited/Pages/default.aspx?utm_campaign=epr&utm_content=reduceyouruse

Best regards,

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Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources
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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 11:55 AM
To: Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fortis Update

Thanks, Scott

From: Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX
Sent: December 19, 2018 7:51 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Hockin@gov.bc.ca>; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Fortis Update

Good morning Geoff,

My understanding is that the primary driver was the mild weather and successful conservation efforts. This has allowed for storage facilities to stock up. We did not discuss the NEB on yesterday's call.

We will follow up with Fortis and get further details regarding the pressure increases and how these decisions were made.

Best regards

Scott

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2018, at 6:55 AM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Melissa, I would appreciate some background on who made what decisions and when that allowed this good news. I assume the TSB report is not yet available. Was it the NEB that kept approving increases? Did they issue written decisions? I'm most interested in what information persuaded them the increases in pressure were warranted and safe.

Thanks

Geoff

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2018 10:02 PM

To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX

Cc: Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX

Subject: Fortis Update

Fortis announced today they are optimistic about their gas supply due to increased pipeline capacity, good weather, storage levels and conservation. Their forecast shows Ongoing conservation by customers is no longer required although they say until the capacity of the pipeline is at 100% they want people to be mindful.

Attached to this email is their dashboard that shows forecast of demand and peaks throughout the winter.

Link to their media

note: https://www.fortisbc.com/MediaCentre/BCsNaturalGasSupplyIsLimited/Pages/default.aspx?utm_campaign=epr&utm_content=reduceyouruse

The weekly calls our office and GCPE has had with them will now be held on an "as needed basis".

If you have any questions, please let me know.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 20, 2018 9:27 PM
To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Andrews, Scott EMPR:EX
Subject: Re: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (9 p.m. update)

Thanks Melissa, just would note this kind of detail was not available in the Enbridge/Fortis case, which fortunately did not get to service loss. There are aspects of how service is being restored we didn't have in that case.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2018, at 9:14 PM, Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Scott, Mora" <Mora.Scott@bchydro.com>
Date: December 20, 2018 at 9:09:30 PM PST
To: "Sanderson, Melissa MEM:EX" <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>, "David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca" <David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Sauer, Darwin" <Darwin.Sauer@bchydro.com>, "Pillon, Lawrence" <Lawrence.Pillon@bchydro.com>
Subject: FW: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (9 p.m. update)

Hi Melissa and David – Please find the latest update below.

Thanks,
Mora

From: Scott, Mora
Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 9:01 PM
To: Scott, Mora
Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (9 p.m. update)

9 p.m. update

There are currently about 260,000 customers without power in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. Since the windstorm hit earlier today, BC Hydro has safely restored power to more than 240,000 customers.

Winds up to 100 kilometres an hour in some areas have resulted in damage to more than 750 spans of wire, 270 poles, 400 cross-arms and 150 transformers. This is one of the most severe storms BC Hydro has experienced in years.

There are more than 550 field staff working to restore power, and crews will be working around-the-clock until all damage is repaired. Due to the extent of the damage, many customers will be without power overnight – and for some customers it could be days.

At this time, priority goes to damage that presents an immediate danger like live wires across roads or near homes, as well as restoring circuits to critical services like hospitals. From there, BC Hydro will make repairs to high-voltage transmission lines and substations as this will bring the most customers back as quickly as possible. For example, a circuit serving 5,000 customers will be restored before restoring a line that serves 50 customers.

BC Hydro appreciates its customers' patience as repair work continues and will provide updated estimates for power restoration as they become available at bchydro.com/outages.

From: Scott, Mora

Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 4:00 PM

To: Scott, Mora

Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (4 p.m. update)

4 p.m. update

There are currently about 335,000 customers without power in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. The hardest hit areas at this time include:

- Surrey: 45,000 customers without power
- Nanaimo: 36,000 customers without power
- Victoria: 34,000 customers without power
- Duncan: 30,000 customers without power
- Abbotsford: 28,000 customers without power

BC Hydro crews are hard at work repairing the damage, and will continue to work around-the-clock until all customers are restored. Some customers will be without power overnight.

There are reports of dozens of downed power lines. The public should assume a downed line is live and stay back at least 10 metres, and call 911 immediately.

BC Hydro appreciates its customers' patience as repair work continues and will provide updated estimates for power restoration as they become available at bchydro.com/outages.

From: Scott, Mora

Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 1:46 PM

To: Scott, Mora

Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast

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Dec. 20, 2018

BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast

VANCOUVER: Strong winds have caused hundreds of individual power outages, affecting more than 300,000 customers in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. In the Lower Mainland, the hardest hit areas are Surrey, Langley and Abbotsford.

There is extensive damage from branches and trees breaking and coming into contact with BC Hydro's electrical equipment. Continued strong winds have made damage assessment and repairs difficult, but where safe, crews are busy repairing damaged power lines, poles and transformers. All available resources will work throughout the day and into the evening to safely restore power.

BC Hydro is also receiving reports of downed power lines. A downed power line is considered an emergency situation and members of the public should stay at least 10 metres back and call 911 immediately.

BC Hydro appreciates its customers' patience as repair work continues and will provide updated estimates for power restoration as they become available at bchydro.com/outages.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 8:02 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Pending Approvals Notification

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Begin forwarded message:

From: <donotreplyBCPSA@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 21, 2018 at 7:05:48 AM PST
To: <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Pending Approvals Notification

Be advised that there are Time or Leave transactions that may require your approval. If you are an alternate approver/expense authority, please confirm with the primary before taking action.

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As a Time Approver/Expense Authority, please logon to Time and Leave to approve your employees' time or exceptions to pay. Please note that Expense Authority must be applied no later than 5:00 p.m. Monday in order to process within the current pay period.

Time and Leave Website: <https://timepay.gov.bc.ca/>

At this time, you should also adjust your personal timesheet and/or leave requests if you have any exceptions to report such as overtime or leave during this pay period.

If you require assistance or have any questions that affect your approval, please call MyHR at 250-952-6000 or 1-877-277-0772 (Press "1" for Time and Leave support) or use AskMyHR to submit an online service request.

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 8:02 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Your Folio for s.15
Attachments: s.15 pdf; ATT00001.htm

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: s.15
Date: December 21, 2018 at 7:51:58 AM PST
To: <geoff.meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Your Folio for s.15

Dear Geoff Meggs,

Please find your folio of hotel charges attached. Any questions related to your folio can be directed to s.15

Thank you for staying with us. We look forward to welcoming you back in the future.

Best Regards,
Guest Services
s.15

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

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Sent: December 21, 2018 8:02 AM
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 11:08 AM
To: Neumann, Ken
Subject: Re: Contacts

Hi Ken - not sure about review but I'll follow up

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 21, 2018, at 10:09 AM, Neumann, Ken <kneumann@usw.ca> wrote:

Geoff Thanks for your time yesterday is there a chance we could see your revised submission before it is sent? I just want to make sure we are in sync .

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 12, 2018, at 9:38 AM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Ken, good to see you last night. My cel is ^{s.17}

GEOFF MEGGS

Chief of Staff, Premier's Office
West Annex, Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC, V8V 1K7
250 387-1715

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 2:14 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-87976 Records Due January 8, 2019

No records - likely source is the minister's office.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 21, 2018, at 12:34 PM, OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello,

Please see the below request and please let me know by January 8th whether or not you have any records:

Canvassed: Geoff Meggs, Sage Aaron, Jen Holmwood, Don Wright, Christine Kennedy, Don Bain – please let me know if anyone else in the office would hold records

A copy of the government's four – seven year plan for universal child care and/or a copy of the government's ten-year plan for universal child care.

(Date Range for Record Search: From 07/18/2017 To 12/12/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

UPDATE: It is no longer necessary to send records as a PDF. Please send records in whatever way is most convenient.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 2:15 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: FEE ESTIMATE REQUEST: OOP-2018-87993

Debbie, I believe I have a file on this.

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

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From: "OOP FOI PREM:EX" <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 21, 2018 at 12:30:20 PM PST
To: LP PO Deputy Minister <LPPODM@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP PO Executive Office <LPPOEO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Premiers Vancouver Office <LPPVO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FEE ESTIMATE REQUEST: OOP-2018-87993

Hello,

*Please see the below request. **We are anticipating that there may be a fee for this request due to a high volume of records and time involved for search. At this time, please do not provide records. Please estimate how long this search will take you, and approximately the number of pages.***

All documents related to Broughton Archipelago aquaculture tenure decision making held by the Premier's Office/Deputy Minister's Office.

(Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2017 To 12/18/2018) Date Format is MM/DD/YYYY

Thank you all for your assistance with this request! If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 2:56 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Consultation MAG-2018-85897 Due: December 31, 2018

No concerns

Geoff

From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 2:50 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Consultation MAG-2018-85897 Due: December 31, 2018

Hi Geoff,

The Ministry of Attorney General received this FOI request from Media:

All records including e-mails, briefing notes and clippings on the Globe and Mail article on SRO housing and the Sahota family first published May 28, 2018 (<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/british-columbia/article-for-low-income-residents-in-vancouver-a-different-kind-of-real-estate/>). (Date Range for Record Search: From 05/27/2018 To 08/09/2018)

They identified the attached document as responsive records. Would you be able to review the attached 2 pages and please let me know if you have any concerns with the disclosure of the email you authored?

Thank you so much!

Alison

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 3:00 PM
To: XT:Elstone, David FLNR:IN; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: RE: The TLA's Xmas list

Thanks, David, much appreciated.

Geoff

From: David Elstone <david@tla.ca>
Sent: December 21, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: The TLA's Xmas list

Geoff and Don,

The TLA Board is once again very excited to have Premier Horgan speak at the TLA Convention in January. Premier Horgan's speech in January 2017 set the tone and got many members interested in the Premier (make sure this time though that John has the time to work the crowd a bit afterwards). As your government prepares for the new year and recognizing that the TLA Convention is a prime event for announcing policy or regulatory changes, I thought I would provide a list of items for consideration as announcements:

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Furthermore, my Executive would like the opportunity to discuss these issues with the Premier at some point ahead of the Convention - hoping that can happen. Of course, you can reach me anytime for further details.

Have a great holiday break!

Regards,

David Elstone, RPF
Executive Director
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Sent: December 21, 2018 3:05 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge IGRS:EX
Cc: Glumac, Rick JTST:EX; Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Steel/aluminum issue at PNWER

Good afternoon, everyone:

s.13; s.16

Geoff

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Subject: Amended CITT submission

Don, just a request, notwithstanding the holiday, for the earliest possibly opportunity to review the draft amended submission to CITT. I've been asked again today to confirm we will be making some changes and would like to have this well in hand before the end of year deadline.

Thanks, Don

Geoff

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 5:35 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Invitation to Premier to be Chief Guest on National Day of India

FYI - perhaps Ralston and many others?

Geoff

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Consul General of India, Vancouver" <cg.vancouver@mea.gov.in>
Date: December 21, 2018 at 4:07:51 PM PST
To: Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca
Cc: Premier@gov.bc.ca
Subject: Invitation to Premier to be Chief Guest on National Day of India

Please find attached a letter from Consul General of India Mrs. Abhilasha Joshi addressed to Premier Hon'ble John Horgan inviting him to be the Chief Guest at India's National Day reception being held by the Consulate General of India on 26th January 2019 at Fraserview Banquet Hall, Vancouver.

Om Prakash
Consul
Consul General of India
Vancouver



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Hon'ble Premier,

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a Diplomatic Reception

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 21, 2018 9:09 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (5 p.m. update)

Don, this just in

Geoff

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From: "Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX" <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: Fwd: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (5 p.m. update)

Good evening - below is the latest update from BCH. It is expected to be a multi day event.

They have been unable to conduct a full damage assessment but there has been extensive damage to their infrastructure primarily through the mid Island and Gulf Islands. One of the key challenges is accessing their assets due to trees in road etc. They have crews from all over the province on it however they still have a significant amount of customers out in the LM as well.

Darwin has informed me that Chris O'reilly will likely be reaching out to our Ministry (Dave Nik) to seek support on coordination with EMBC and MOTI to assist. The concern is that some pockets of communities could be out through Christmas.

They have been communicating frequently through various channels and Chris O'Reilly was on the ground and posted a video to social media.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sent from my iPhone

Sent: Friday, December 21, 2018 5:00 PM
To: Scott, Mora
Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (5 p.m. update)

5 p.m. update

BC Hydro crews continue to make good progress and have restored power to more than 465,000 customers since the windstorm began Thursday morning. About 115,000 customers in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast, Vancouver Island and Gulf Islands remain without power.

Additional crews have been brought in from other parts of the province to assist with restoration efforts on Vancouver Island as it was the hardest hit region.

BC Hydro will continue to prioritize repairs that pose a safety risk, such as downed power lines, and on making repairs to high-voltage transmission lines and substations as this will bring the most customers back on as quickly as possible. Due to the extent of the damage, many customers will be without power for a second night – and for some customers it may be days.

There continue to be reports of downed power lines. The public should assume a downed line is live and stay back at least 10 metres, and call 911 immediately.

BC Hydro appreciates its customers' patience as repair work continues and will provide updated estimates for power restoration as they become available at bchydro.com/outages.

From: Scott, Mora

Sent: Friday, December 21, 2018 6:02 AM

To: Scott, Mora

Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (6 a.m. update)

6 a.m. update

Crews made significant progress overnight and have restored power to 400,000 customers since the windstorm began Thursday morning. About 160,000 customers in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast, Vancouver Island and Gulf Islands remain without power

Additional crews are being brought in from other parts of the province to assist with restoration efforts as severe damage remains. Crews are scheduled to be on the first ferries this morning to Vancouver Island, which remain the hardest hit region. BC Hydro also plans to perform helicopter patrols to survey damage to its transmission infrastructure from the air.

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From: Scott, Mora
Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 9:01 PM
To: Scott, Mora
Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (9 p.m. update)

9 p.m. update

There are currently about 260,000 customers without power in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. Since the windstorm hit earlier today, BC Hydro has safely restored power to more than 240,000 customers.

Winds up to 100 kilometres an hour in some areas have resulted in damage to more than 750 spans of wire, 270 poles, 400 cross-arms and 150 transformers. This is one of the most severe storms BC Hydro has experienced in years.

There are more than 550 field staff working to restore power, and crews will be working around-the-clock until all damage is repaired. Due to the extent of the

damage, many customers will be without power overnight – and for some customers it could be days.

At this time, priority goes to damage that presents an immediate danger like live wires across roads or near homes, as well as restoring circuits to critical services like hospitals. From there, BC Hydro will make repairs to high-voltage transmission lines and substations as this will bring the most customers back as quickly as possible. For example, a circuit serving 5,000 customers will be restored before restoring a line that serves 50 customers.

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From: Scott, Mora

Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 4:00 PM

To: Scott, Mora

Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast (4 p.m. update)

4 p.m. update

There are currently about 335,000 customers without power in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. The hardest hit areas at this time include:

- Surrey: 45,000 customers without power
- Nanaimo: 36,000 customers without power
- Victoria: 34,000 customers without power
- Duncan: 30,000 customers without power
- Abbotsford: 28,000 customers without power

BC Hydro crews are hard at work repairing the damage, and will continue to work around-the-clock until all customers are restored. Some customers will be without power overnight.

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Sent: Thursday, December 20, 2018 1:46 PM

To: Scott, Mora

Subject: Operational update: BC Hydro crews working to restore power as windstorm hits South Coast

Operational update



Dec. 20, 2018

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VANCOUVER: Strong winds have caused hundreds of individual power outages, affecting more than 300,000 customers in the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Sunshine Coast and on Vancouver Island. In the Lower Mainland, the hardest hit areas are Surrey, Langley and Abbotsford.

There is extensive damage from branches and trees breaking and coming into contact with BC Hydro's electrical equipment. Continued strong winds have made damage assessment and repairs difficult, but where safe, crews are busy repairing damaged power lines, poles and transformers. All available resources will work throughout the day and into the evening to safely restore power.

BC Hydro is also receiving reports of downed power lines. A downed power line is considered an emergency situation and members of the public should stay at least 10 metres back and call 911 immediately.

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
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To: Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Situation Report

Robb, FYI

Geoff

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Subject: Re: Premier Ford Phone Call

Thanks Anish, Premier Horgan is^{s.22} . I'll check^{s.22} and get back to you. He'll be back soon.

Geoff

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Geoff

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> Don. I've reviewed Darwin's com plan and IB and recommend a green light to action.

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Dec 22, 2018, at 1:40 PM, Sauer, Darwin <Darwin.Sauer@bchydro.com> wrote:

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>> Hi,

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>> On behalf of BC hydro, please find attached our briefing and communications materials. We are hoping to issue our IB at 2 pm but will wait until we hear back from you and/or GCPE before releasing and activating the communications plan.

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>> Please find attached:

>> - BN updating the situation and addressing Don Wright's questions

>> - Communications plan

>> - Info bulletin and weblink screenshots to be activated once the IB goes out.

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>> Please let me know if anyone has any changes or concerns with our timeline.

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>> Thanks

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

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>> Sent: 2018, December 22 6:59 AM

>> To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Haslam, David GCPE:EX; Sanderson,

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>> BC Hydro Situation Assessment for December 20, 2018 Coastal Windstorm

>> Event

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>> Background:

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>> · The windstorm of December 20, 2018 was of historic proportions and has led to extensive damage on Vancouver Island and many parts of the Lower Mainland.

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>> · Over 585,000 customers lost power. As of 730pm, December 21 approximately 103,000 customers remain without power: about 66,000 on Vancouver Island and the remainder in the Lower Mainland, predominantly in Surrey, Abbotsford, White Rock, Maple Ridge and Mission.

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>> · While BC Hydro has been communicating that some customers could face outages for a number of days, our most current assessment is that full restoration could now take between four and seven days.

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>> · Examples of areas facing the longest outages include:

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>> o some Gulf Islands where BC Hydro crews are prevented from restoring power because roads are littered by fallen trees;

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>> o the Duncan area where there are possibly hundreds of trees that have fallen onto powerlines that have yet to be cleared;

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>> o Bamfield where 70 spans of lines are down and will require at least three days of restoration. Due to difficult access, some poles of up to 80 feet have to be climbed to carry out repairs;

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>> o neighbourhoods in Qualicum and Nanaimo where there are multiple examples of damaged poles and lines that will require days of restoration; and

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>> o Surrey, White Rock, Abbotsford, Maple Ridge and Mission all have extremely high volumes of outages, each requiring multiple crews and co-ordinated work plans.

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>> · BC Hydro has not yet completed all of its damage assessment which means there will likely be other examples of communities facing prolonged outages. There's been damage to more than 1,110 spans of wire, 300 poles, 550 cross-arms and 170 transformers.

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>> · BC Hydro is utilizing all of its available crews and contractors to respond to these two regions, including, where possible, some crews from other parts of the province. There is currently more than 550 field staff working around the clock to restore power.

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>> · Complicating matters is the extent of the damage to our infrastructure in both the Coastal and Vancouver Island regions. As an example, on Vancouver Island a significant storm event might generate 300 trouble calls while this storm was the cause of more than 1800 trouble calls.

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>> · In addition, under “normal” storm conditions, one region is typically harder hit which allows a large number of crews from the other region to help support restoration efforts. Due to the volume of work in each region, this is not possible today.

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>> · The holiday season further complicates the situation as customers will need to make alternative plans if they are affected by long outages.

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>> Request:

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>> · Support from Emergency Management BC and the Provincial Government to raise awareness about these extended outages with affected communities and the public in addition to facilitate co-ordination of assistance where required. This may include emergency preparedness for vulnerable populations and assistance from other government ministries and agencies (i.e., Transportation, Ferries).

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>> December 21, 2018

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 22, 2018 5:52 PM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Draft

fyi

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, December 22, 2018 5:50 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Kennedy, Christine PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Draft

Thanks, I'll get back to you tomorrow midday I hope.

Geoff

From: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, December 22, 2018 3:02 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX; Kennedy, Christine PREM:EX
Subject: Draft

Geoff,

As discussed, here is a draft letter to Morneau and Freeland.

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Don

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 22, 2018 9:30 PM
To: s.22
Subject: NQ-2018-002 _ CITT - Anti-Dumping Injury Inquiries - Inquiries (section 42) - Findings and Reasons - COLD-ROLLED STEEL

<http://www.citt.gc.ca/en/node/8484>

Sent from my iPad

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 22, 2018 9:50 PM
To: s.22
Subject: Steel and aluminum

https://international.gc.ca/trade-commerce/controls-controles/steel_alum-acier_alum.aspx?lang=eng

Sent from my iPad

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 23, 2018 10:40 AM
To: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Draft

Thanks Amber, just sending you and Don a memo with further revisions.
s.13; s.16

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From: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Sunday, December 23, 2018 9:06 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Draft

Geoff, s.13; s.16
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Happy to kick this around. Thanks.

Amber Hockin
Deputy Chief of Staff

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Amber.hockin@gov.bc.ca

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 22, 2018, at 9:04 PM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Date: December 22, 2018 at 3:02:13 PM PST
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Mihlar, Fazil JTT:EX" <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>, "Kennedy, Christine PREM:EX" <Christine.Kennedy@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Draft

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Don

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 23, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Confidential BN - CITT Steel Safeguards Participation
Attachments: Memorandum - steel.docx; Morneau steel CITT DW Dec 22 1132 GM .docx

Don, attached is a memo with some of the stuff I gleaned from my own research, which may not be entirely accurate. If inaccurate, my revisions may be off base. Plus your draft with some proposed revisions. Not far apart.

Geoff

From: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, December 22, 2018 9:55 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Confidential BN - CITT Steel Safeguards Participation

There are five briefs – one for each of the products BC asked for an exemption. There are seven products that are being considered. BC determined that two of the products were not worth objecting to.

The briefs get repetitive.

From: "Jang, Monica JTT:EX" <Monica.Jang@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at 8:55 AM
To: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Christine Kennedy <Christine.Kennedy@gov.bc.ca>, Fazil Mihlar <Fazil.Mihlar@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Confidential BN - CITT Steel Safeguards Participation

Hi Don,

Please find the note as discussed with Fazil.

Thanks,

Monica.

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 24, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX; Darcy, Judy MMHA:EX; Robinson, Selina MAH:EX; Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX; MacDonald, Alex MMHA:EX; Squance, Leah SDPR:EX; Chen, Katrina MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Proposed MOUs - City of Vancouver

Good morning, Don,

On Friday, Vanessa Geary and I met with Neil Monckton, chief of staff to Vancouver Mayor Kennedy Stewart.
s.13; s.16

Geoff

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 24, 2018 12:50 PM
To: McLaren, Chris PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Meeting with Mayors Stewart, McCallum

No that should be fine tnx

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 24, 2018, at 10:40 AM, McLaren, Chris PREM:EX <Chris.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Geoff,
Can I put the BN order in for delivery Jan. 10 or do you want them earlier?
Chris

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 24, 2018 10:35 AM
To: McLaren, Chris PREM:EX <Chris.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fw: Meeting with Mayors Stewart, McCallum

fyi

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, December 24, 2018 10:33 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: Meeting with Mayors Stewart, McCallum

Amber, we'll need to move these forward and book during the early part of January. I will staff them. Briefing notes will be needed from MAH, MMA and MCE (housing, addictions, childcare). To save time on the briefing notes, we're just looking for ministry-level info on requests from Vancouver and Surrey.

thanks

Geoff

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 24, 2018 12:51 PM
To: Lobmeier, Lucy S IGRS:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Periwal, Sukumar IGRS:EX; Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: PJH Asia Mission - Guangdong Governor letter

Yes. Thanks Lucy, all good

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 24, 2018, at 11:09 AM, Lobmeier, Lucy S IGRS:EX <Lucy.Lobmeier@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello Geoff and Amber. Okenge asked us to send you this letter for approval as we need to send it out this week.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you.

-Lucy

Lucy Lobmeier

Chief of Protocol and Executive Director | Chef du protocole et directrice générale
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 24, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Sauer, Darwin
Cc: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX; Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX; Sieben, Mark PSSG:EX; Maley, Madeline L EMBC:EX; O'Riley, Christopher; Main, Grant TRAN:EX; Ken Peterson; Zadavec, Don GCPE:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; Haslam, David GCPE:EX; Kristianson, Eric PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UPDATE: BC Hydro Storm Response

Thanks Darwin, especially for briefing the MLAs

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 24, 2018, at 2:45 PM, Sauer, Darwin <Darwin.Sauer@bchydro.com> wrote:

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> Hi,

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> Just a quick update on BC hydro's progress in restoring power for customers affected by the Dec 20th storm.

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> Since yesterday's call, we have made good progress . We currently have under 18,000 customers out. That's down from the 660,000 that lost power as a result of the storm. The number of outages are expected to further decline by end of day. We remain on track to be below 12,000 by end of Christmas day.

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> We're now into the hardest part of getting our remaining 18,000 customers restored – it's tough slogging as there are hundreds of outages – most affecting a very small number of customers. It's time consuming as our crews must attend to each of these small customer outages individually to make complicated and lengthy repairs. The Gulf Islands and Bamfield may take until Monday before they are restored.

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> As mentioned yesterday, BC Hydro and contractor crews have been working around-the-clock since the storm hit, and will continue to do so until every customer has their power restored. Crews and support staff are working through Christmas and Boxing Day.

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> We currently have 98 crews on Vancouver Island. We've had more than 800 field personnel working hard to repair more than 1,100 spans of wire, 300 power poles, 550 cross-arms and 170 transformers that were destroyed in the storm. More crews will be arriving over the next couple days as we shift resources from the Lower Mainland as that region has been fully restored. Contract crews are being brought in from Alberta and from other parts of Canada.

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> On the communications front, we continue to be active in social media. In addition to story content and automated notices, Chris O'Riley continues to provide daily updates via video. Social media sentiment remains positive overall, however, negative sentiment has risen which is to be expected given the length of time some customers have been without power.

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> News media has been overwhelming positive at this point in time. That could change as some communities remain out through til the weekend.

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> BC hydro has been in regular contact with local government officials providing daily briefings. A briefing was held today at 1 pm for MLAs of impacted areas. MLAs Olsen and Furstenau were the only MLAs who attended the briefing. Both MLAs were generally positive and expressed appreciation for BC Hydro's efforts. However, MLA Olsen did mention he intends to discuss BC Hydro's response to the storm with government. He did not elaborate.

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> Thanks

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 28, 2018 2:10 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fw: Call for Records OOP-2018-88056 Records Due January 9, 2019

There will be one e-mail.

Geoff

From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, December 28, 2018 11:48 AM
To: LP PO Deputy Minister; LP PO Executive Office; LP Premiers Vancouver Office
Subject: Call for Records OOP-2018-88056 Records Due January 9, 2019

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Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-88054 Records Due January 9, 2019

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From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, December 28, 2018 11:41 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Call for Records OOP-2018-88054 Records Due January 9, 2019

Hi Geoff,

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 28, 2018 3:30 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 5:58 PM
To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX <Michelle.J.Mungall@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update

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Geoff

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From: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 4:07 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Subject: Re: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update

Thanks Geoff.

If you have the referenced presentation I could give you some immediate feedback. Else you could send them to me and my folks to listen to the pitch. Fair warning we can only handle so many good ideas at a time!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 4, 2018, at 3:01 PM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Dave, as you can see from the string below,^{s.13; s.21}
^{s.13; s.21} I would just like to put
this on your radar – please let me know if there's more the minister or this office should consider.

Geoff

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From: Matt Vickers [<mailto:matt@mattvickers.com>]
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 2:22 PM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: 'Joe Barrett'; Manuel Alvernaz; 'Mark Olsen'
Subject: FW: Our presentation yesterday - My summary/Update
Importance: High

Afternoon Geoff,

After presenting to you we then presented to your counterpart in Alberta – Nathan Rotman and Principal Secretary – Jim Rutkowski and they are arranging for their technical team to get together with our engineering firm AECOM.

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Will update you when I hear more from the further discussions with CIBC's representative in Toronto and Mr. Jeff Wilkie (funders representative).

Best regards,
Matt

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX [<mailto:Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: May 3, 2018 10:32 AM
To: 'Matt Vickers' <matt@mattvickers.com>
Cc: Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX <Vanessa.Geary@gov.bc.ca>; Mark Olsen (molsen@liuna-wc.ca) <molsen@liuna-wc.ca>
Subject: RE: Our presentation yesterday - My summary

Dear Matt,

Thanks for this note and the presentation a few days ago. This is obviously a big and ambitious project. I have updated the Premier but don't think we can provide a letter without a much clearer understanding of the financing expectations you referenced in our chat. If you can provide more clarity on that front I would be happy to have the relevant officials review the idea and provide some advice.

Thanks again and best wishes

Geoff

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From: Matt Vickers [<mailto:matt@mattvickers.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, May 1, 2018 10:45 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: 'Mark Olsen'; 'Joe Barrett'; Ward Kemerer; Len Wilson
Subject: Our presentation yesterday - My summary
Importance: High

Morning Geoff,

Again, thank you for making time for our meeting yesterday.

As per my usual procedure I am doing a summary of the meeting from my perspective, so please add or correct from your perspectives as well:

- Geoff welcomed us to his office and we introduced ourselves
- Matt did a recognition of the Coast Salish territory
- Geoff mentioned that he had briefly gone through the presentation provided
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That's my memory of what transpired during the meeting gentlemen.

Then after the meeting during our de-brief outside Mark mentioned he would talk to Joseph Mancinelli's team back east about getting us into the PMO as soon as possible.

Looking forward to your feedback additions/corrections guys.

Best regards,

Matt Vickers, CET

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KEN CARNES

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Subject: Re: Call for Records OOP-2018-88056 Records Due January 9, 2019

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Geoff

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Hi Geoff;

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Thanks!

*Debbie Wade
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and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff
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From: OOP FOI PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, December 28, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Call for Records OOP-2018-88056 Records Due January 9, 2019

Thanks Debbie,

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Thanks so much,
-Amanda

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Sent: December 28, 2018 2:44 PM
To: OOP FOI PREM:EX <OOP.FOI@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Call for Records OOP-2018-88056 Records Due January 9, 2019

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I have no records
Thanks!

Debbie Wade
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 28, 2018 10:12 PM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: G7G project

This is respondent in Alvernaz

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Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Date: November 7, 2018 at 1:36:39 PM PST
To: "Manuel F. Alvernaz (malvernaz@cswu1611.org)" <malvernaz@cswu1611.org>
Cc: "XT:Barrett, Joe GCPE:IN" <bcytbctc@telus.net>, "Wade, Debbie PREM:EX" <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>, "Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX" <Allegra.Wolansky@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: G7G project

Good afternoon, Manuel,

Thanks for your reminder about the G7G proposal. Although it is a very exciting idea, I don't think we can do a support letter at this time. The quick review I did of the many issues raised by the proposal produced a pretty daunting list. As you know, we are involved in a very intense agenda on a number of fronts and our ability to engage on new fronts, especially after the success of the LNG Canada FID, is quite limited. Please keep us updated on your progress. When a more detailed proposal is ready, I'm sure Minister Bruce Ralston or Minister Claire Trevena would be happy to hear it.

Best regards

Geoff

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: December 30, 2018 3:18 PM
To: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Cc: Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Jan 2

Don, a statement is queued up and I believe the Premier is available but those arrangements are with Sage and Jen

Geoff

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 30, 2018, at 2:08 PM, Wright, Don J. PREM:EX <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hope you have been having some good relaxation time.

Things are all lined up for the writ on Jan 2.

LG's people have suggested 9:30 am would be a good time to effect this.

Just thought I would check in and see what the plans re Premier and official announcement would be?

Thanks.

Don