

September 20, 2017

BY EMAIL AND MAIL

Honourable Lisa Beare Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture Room 151 - Parliament Buildings Victoria, BC V8V 1X4

Dear Minister Beare,

I write further to my letter of July 19, 2017 and your appointment as a member of Executive Council on July 18, 2017.

Section 9 of the Members' Conflict of Interest Act ("the Act") reads as follows:

- 9 (1) A member of the Executive Council must not
 - (a) engage in employment or in the practice of a profession,
 - (b) carry on a business, or
 - hold an office or directorship other than in a social club, religious organization or political party

if any of these activities are likely to conflict with the member's public duties.

(2) A person who becomes a member of the Executive Council must comply with subsection (1) within 60 days of being appointed.

Based on information you have provided, I am satisfied that you are not engaged either in employment or in the practice of a profession; that you are not carrying on a business; nor do you hold an office or directorship.

Therefore, I am pleased to confirm that you have complied with the provisions of s. 9(1) and (2) of the Act.

If I can be of any further assistance to you in any matter relating to your duties under the Act or to the operations of our Office, just let me know.

Sincerely,

Paul D. K. Fraser, Q.C.

Commissioner