

## MEETING NOTE

**DATE:** February 13, 2023

**PREPARED FOR:** Honourable Nathan Cullen, Minister of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship

**REGARDING:** Meeting with Gillian Staveley, Director of Culture and Land Stewardship, Dena Kayeh Institute, regarding 'Dena K'éh Kusān (Kaska Indigenous Protected and Conserved Area).

**INTRODUCTIONS:** David Muter, Assitant Deputy Minister  
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### STRATEGIC CONSIDERATION AND MESSAGES:

s.12; s.13; s.16

### SUMMARY:

- Dena K'éh Kusān is a core area within the broader Kaska territory that remains in pristine condition and critical for wildlife and cultural values.
- Kaska have been requesting government engagement on land use planning for this area for several years.
- s.12; s.13; s.16
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