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To: Maitland, Julie LASS:EX (Julie.Maitland@leg.bc.ca); Raven, Samantha LASS:EX (Samantha.Raven@leg.bc.ca)
To: Cullen.MLA, Nathan LASS:EX (Nathan.Cullen.MLA@leg.bc.ca)
Subject: FW: Meeting Request
Sent: 04/25/2024 22:52:58

Hey you two,

MNC has asked that I defer this to your office to schedule as this group is based out of Smithers.

I know that this was originally deferred from CO but please let me know if there are any issues on this.

Thanks!

Hailey

From: Maitland, Julie <Julie.Maitland@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: Monday, April 22, 2024 2:41 PM
To: Minister, WLRS WLRS:EX <WLRS.Minister@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Meeting Request

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From: Agata Kosinski <Agata.Kosinski@drax.com>
Sent: Friday, April 19, 2024 1:08 PM
To: Cullen.MLA, Nathan <Nathan.Cullen.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Meeting Request

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Good afternoon,

I wanted to touch base to see if indeed you have received my email, it has been a couple of days without any response, so I wanted to verify that you had received my original request.

Thank you,
Agata Kosinski

From: Agata Kosinski
Sent: Friday, April 5, 2024 4:56 PM
To: nathan.cullen.MLA@leg.bc.ca
Cc: Jessica Marcus <Jessica.Marcus@Drax.com>
Subject: Meeting Request

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Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us directly. As the Manager of Public Affairs and Policy, I can be reached at Agata.Kosinski@drax.com to arrange a time at your convenience.

Best regards,

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From: Cullen, Nathan WLRS:EX(Nathan.Cullen@gov.bc.ca)
To: Walters, Hailey WLRS:EX (Hailey.Walters@gov.bc.ca)
Subject: Re: Meetings for MNC to Review
Sent: 04/25/2024 00:21:23

Thanks Hailey -

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19. .Agata Kosinki – Drax (Pellet People). Based in Smithers – request to meet re: introduction and discuss Drax's Canadian operations and ambitions
Move to riding staff.

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Hailey Walters | *Administrative Coordinator*

To The Honourable Nathan Cullen

Ministry of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship

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From: Damario, Matthew WLRS:EX(Matthew.Damario@gov.bc.ca)
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To: WLRS:EX (Scott.Harris@gov.bc.ca); Walters, Hailey WLRS:EX
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To: van Schaik, Jordan WLRS:EX (Jordan.vanSchaik@gov.bc.ca)
Subject: Wood Pellets - Drax
Sent: 04/10/2024 16:58:42
Attachments: IN_FOR_Wood Pellets_26Sep23_FINAL.docx

Hi Marshall,

Here's an Issues Note from last September about wood pellets and Drax.

Thanks,

Matt Damario

ADVICE TO MINISTER

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GCPE-FOR ISSUES NOTE

Ministry of Forests
Date: September 26, 2023
Minister Responsible: Hon. Bruce Ralston

Wood Pellets

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To: Harris, Scott WLRS:EX (Scott.Harris@gov.bc.ca); Damario, Matthew WLRS:EX (Matthew.Damario@gov.bc.ca)
Subject: Wood Pellets - Drax
Sent: 04/10/2024 18:54:40
Attachments: IN_FOR_Wood Pellets_26Sep23_FINAL.docx

Hi Sam!

Per this morning's conversation, Matt has helpfully procured the attached IN on Drax for your office's use when considering their meeting request. You might want to reach out to the FOR office should a meeting eventually be arranged or if you feel like you need more information. If so, I believe Balkaran Singh is their EA but feel free to ask me to reach out on your behalf should you deem it necessary.

All the best,

Marshall Scott-Bigsby (he/him)

Executive Assistant to the Honourable Nathan Cullen
Ministry of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship
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Looping in Scott here, I'm not familiar with this company.

Scott, should I send this to FOR/ENV/EMLI for advice?

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From: Raven, Samantha <Samantha.Raven@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: Monday, April 8, 2024 9:39 AM
To: Scott-Bigsby, Marshall WLRS:EX <Marshall.Scott-Bigsby@gov.bc.ca>
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Concerns? Or do I set this up?

Sam

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