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Subject: Potential Perceived Conflict - Ken Dobell

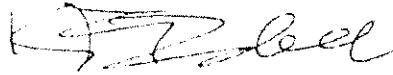
Dear Ms. McDonald and Ms. Rogers:

Through Dobell Advisory Services, I am working for the Premier's office and the City Manager's office on subjects that involve dealings with both governments. In particular, the City has retained me to work on the cultural precinct in Vancouver and on housing issues, both of which may involve discussions and potentially negotiations between the Province and City. My work for the Province on softwood lumber, coastal forest issues, and selected Gateway matters is unlikely to involve any City issues. However, there may be a perceived conflict that should be addressed.

I have discussed this question with each of you, and you each have advised me that my roles with both governments are acceptable. In the unlikely event that specific issues arise where these assignments from the two governments overlap, the conflict will be managed by adjusting the work I am undertaking as required. In general, any question of perceived conflict on the part of third parties will be addressed by noting the separation of the assignments, and your acceptance of these roles.

In order to provide a record in the event of any future questions, I would be grateful if you would sign this letter to record your acknowledgment of this potential for perceived conflict, and return a copy to me.

Yours truly,



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