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Honourable Peter Fassbender
Minister of Education
PO Box 9045, Stn Pro. Govt.
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Dear Minister Fassbender,

Re: Special Advisor's Report

Last night, the Vancouver Board of Education passed the following motion:

"That the Board submit an urgent request to the Minister of Education requesting a confidential briefing from the Special Advisor, prior to the release of his report to the public."

The Board understands that the Special Advisor's Report will be submitted to you on June 8, 2015. Presumably, you will release this report to the public at that time.

Given the potential importance of this report with respect to the Vancouver Board of Education's finances and governance, we request a confidential briefing from the Special Advisor and his team regarding the proposed report before it is released to the general public. This would provide us with the time needed to review this report, and make any necessary adjustments to the provisional 2015/2016 budget, before we submit it to you on June 15, 2015.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Christopher Richardson".

Christopher JK Richardson, CPA, FCA
Chairperson

cc: VBE Board of Trustees
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