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Micheal Noseworthy
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Submitted by email (hard copy to follow): micheal.noseworthy@ficombc.ca

Dear Mr. Noseworthy,

RE: Congratulations and introduction to the BC Real Estate Association

On behalf of the British Columbia Real Estate Association (BCREA), 11 regional real estate boards and more than 20,000 REALTORS®, congratulations on your appointment to the position of Superintendent of Real Estate.

BCREA supported the government's creation of this office, dedicated to the real estate sector. We look forward to a collaborative and productive relationship with you, as we have enjoyed with the Real Estate Council of BC for many years.

As you may know, we worked with BC's 11 real estate boards on a submission that details our suggestions for implementation of the Independent Advisory Group's recommendations. This submission, which is enclosed, has involved consultations with brokers and salespeople, and represents significant experience and insight. REALTORS® take pride in their profession, and are interested to see measures implemented that improve consumer protection and confidence.

BCREA is interested in meeting with you at your earliest convenience to welcome you and to begin discussing the future of this important profession. To schedule a meeting, please contact BCREA Manager of Government Relations (604.742.2789, nmiller@bcrea.bc.ca). Norma will follow up with your staff within the next week.

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BCREA is the professional association for more than 20,000 REALTORS® in BC, focusing on provincial issues that impact real estate. Working with the province's 11 real estate boards, BCREA provides continuing professional education, advocacy, economic research and standard forms to help REALTORS® provide value for their clients.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Laing". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Robert Laing
Chief Executive Officer

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Copies: Hon. Mike de Jong, Minister of Finance
Robert Fawcett, Executive Officer, Real Estate Council of BC
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