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Honourable David Eby, Q.C., MLA
Attorney General
Room 232, Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC V8V 1X4
Sent by email: AG.minister@gov.bc.ca

Dear Minister,

RE: Money laundering review

Thank you for your letter of October 16, putting the British Columbia Real Estate Association (BCREA) in touch with Peter German.

We welcome the opportunity to provide insights into Dr. German's review of money laundering in the real estate sector. We will reach out to Dr. German this week, and will also connect with Minister James regarding the Expert Panel on Money Laundering in Real Estate.

BCREA supports both of these efforts to learn about the possible vulnerabilities of the real estate market to money laundering. Please contact me directly if we can be of assistance to you in any way (dhyde@bcrea.bc.ca; 604.742.2787).

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Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Darlene K Hyde".

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