

PROVINCE
OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Crown Proceeding Act
Report

For the Fiscal Year Ended

March 31, 2014

**PAYMENTS UNDER
CROWN PROCEEDING ACT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2014**

Section 13(4)

<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Judgments \$</u>
SCBC Vancouver Registry No.S124584	\$ 2,000,000.00
Plaintiff: British Columbia Teachers' Federation	
Respondent: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia	
Mar 2014 Payable to Victory Square Law Office LLP in Trust.	
SCBC Vancouver Registry No.S067611	\$ 1,919,216.77
Plaintiff: Moulton Contracting Ltd.	
Defendants: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, Sally Behn et al	
Mar 2014 Payable to Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP in Trust	
In the Matter of an Arbitration	\$ 493,111.29 Costs
Claimant: Domtar Pulp and Paper Products Inc.	
Respondent: Ministry of Finance, Tax Appeals and Administrative Services Branch	
Aug 2013 Payable to Domtar Inc.	
SCBC Vancouver Registry No.25910	\$ 128,626.85 Costs
Between: Regina	
And: Norman Cocks, Robert Thomas, Robert Cocks, Daniel McRae, Matthew McRae, Anson Schell and Thomas Vaughan	
And: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, respondent on the applications in relation to payment of expenses.	
Various Payable to Ritchie Sandford in Trust	

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Court and Case	Judgments \$
<p>SCBC Victoria Registry No.S092968</p> <p>Plaintiff: BC Transportation Financing Authority Defendants: Robert Arni Long and Sherry Lynn Long</p> <p>Aug 2013 Payable to Cox Taylor in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 11,500.00 Costs</p>
<p>SCBC Vancouver Registry No.S132270</p> <p>Petitioner: Robert John Robertson Respondent: The Commissioner appointed pursuant to the <i>Teachers Act</i>, S.B.C. 2011, c. 19</p> <p>Nov 2013 Payable to Henshall Scouten in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 9,801.79 Costs</p>
<p>BCCA Vancouver Registry No.CA39626</p> <p>Respondent: Edenvale Restoration Specialists Ltd. Appellant: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia</p> <p>Oct 2013 Payable to Bull, Housser & Tupper LLP in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 9,553.24 Costs</p>
<p>SCBC Vancouver Registry No.S106261</p> <p>Petitioner: Pacific National Processing Ltd. Respondent: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia</p> <p>Aug 2013 Payable to Thorsteinssons LLP in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 6,074.58 Costs</p>
<p>SCBC Vancouver Registry No.S113620</p> <p>Appellant: Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia Respondents: Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. and The Forest Appeals Commission</p> <p>Apr 2013 Payable to Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 6,000.00 Costs</p>

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Judgments \$</u>
<p>SCC File No. 35581</p> <p>Applicants: Superintendent of Motor Vehicles and Attorney General of British Columbia</p> <p>Appellant: Colin Roy Murray</p> <p>Mar 2014 Payable to Acumen Law Corporation in Trust</p>	<p>\$ 2,155.59 Costs</p>
<p>BCCA Vancouver Registry Nos. CA039367; CA039859</p> <p>Appellants: Ministry of Children and Family Development and the Attorney General of British Columbia</p> <p>Respondent: Robert Glen Harrison</p> <p>Respondent: The Information and Privacy Commissioner of British Columbia</p> <p>Oct 2013 Payable to Robert Glen Harrison</p>	<p>\$ 1,247.25 Costs</p>
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<u>Total Payments made under Section 13 (4)</u>	<u>\$ 4,728,168.78</u>

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
Various	\$ 3,500,000.00

Whereas there are two class action claims against affected school districts in British Columbia (the "School Districts") respecting the charging of fees for summer school classes in contravention of the *School Act*, RSBC 1996, c 412, namely *Riazi, Sarah/Ali v. Board of Education/School District 39* and *Helem, Debra v. Board of Education/School District 5 et al.*, and the School Districts have a potential third party claim against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia for contribution and indemnity for any and all liabilities arising out of claims advanced in the main actions;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown have advised that, in their opinion, the School districts might be successful in a third party claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. It is in the public interest to contribute payments totalling \$3,500,000.00 toward a settlement of the claims inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements.

Oct 2013	Payable to Branch Macmasters LLP in Trust \$2,000,000.00
Jan 2014	Payable to Branch Macmasters LLP in Trust \$1,500,000.00

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case	Settlements \$
SCBC Vancouver Registry Action Nos.102620, 104406, 104407, S08242	\$ 844,400.00

Whereas the plaintiffs in the British Columbia Supreme Court actions styled *Wynn v. Rotzoll et al.*, *Rose v. Rotzoll et al.*, *Kernachan v. Rotzoll et al.*, and *Eddy v. Rotzoll et al.*, have made claims in negligence for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia (the "Province"), suffered as a result of a motor vehicle accident at the intersection of Highway 1 and Spruston Road on November 1, 2008;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown have advised that, in their opinion, the plaintiffs might be successful in their claims for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claims herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest for the Province to contribute up to \$1,104,400.00 to settle the claims inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements, comprised of the following:
 - a. The Province's share of the settlement amount \$844,400.00; and
 - b. the Province's pro-rata share of taxable costs and disbursements which is not expected to exceed \$260,000.00

Feb 2014

Payable to Stewart & Company in Trust

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Vancouver Registry Action Nos. M080655 and M080657 \$ 466,174.03

Whereas the plaintiffs, Rebecca Blakeney and Erik Allas, have made claims against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action Nos. M080655 and M080657 as a result of a tree that fell on a motor vehicle in which they were travelling;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiffs might be successful in their claims for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claims herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claims, inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$ 466,174.03.

Oct 2013	Payable to Murphy Battista in Trust (Blakeney)	\$ 241,421.50
Oct 2013	Payable to Murphy Battista in Trust (Allas)	\$ 224,752.53

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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SCBC Cranbrook Registry Action No. 18601	\$ 235,998.94
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Whereas the plaintiffs, Scott and Caroline Mynott, have made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Cranbrook Registry Action No. 18601, and that the claim was successful at trial, resulting in the decision of McEwan, J. of March 2, 2011, finding the Crown liable for nuisance and special costs, but not establishing quantum.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, the settlement amount in this certificate is likely less than the amount the trial judge would award.

This is to certify:

1. That the claims herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claims, inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for an amount not exceeding the total amount of \$333,000.00.

May 2013	Payable to Ron Buddenhagen in Trust \$	235,851.43
Oct 2013	Payable to Ron Buddenhagen in Trust \$	147.51

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
SCBC Prince George Registry Action No. 0525169	\$ 235,000.00

Whereas the plaintiff, Doug Brophy Contracting Ltd., has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Prince George Registry Action No. 0525169, arising out of an alleged breach of two contracts with the Ministry of Forests. And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in its claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim, inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursement for the total amount of \$235,000.00.

Feb 2014

Payable to Jon M. Duncan Law Corporation in Trust

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
Federal Court of Canada Action No. T-761-11	\$ 67,292.53

Whereas the plaintiff, the Administrator of the Ship-source Oil Pollution Fund (the "Administrator") has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia (the "Crown") in the Federal Court of Canada, Federal Court Action No. T-761-11 for the costs of remedying oil pollution caused by the sinking of the vessel named the La Lumiere (a.k.a. the Seaspan Chinook);
And Whereas the Crown instituted third party proceedings against the Attorney General of Canada (as represented by the Department of Fisheries and Oceans and Transport Canada) and J. Paul Thomas, a Director of the Maritime Heritage Society Vancouver (dissolved) in negligence;
And Whereas the parties have agreed to discontinue the main action on the following terms:

1. Payment by the Crown to the Plaintiff in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00), inclusive of all costs and disbursements;
2. No admission by the Crown as to liability or ownership with respect to the vessel the La Lumiere;
3. A release from the Administrator in favour of the Crown in respect of any other claims the Administrator may have in respect of the La Lumiere; and
4. Filing of a Consent Dismissal Order in the action;

And Whereas no agreement to dismiss the third party proceedings was reached, but such proceedings will be discontinued;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that in her opinion the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages and the third party claims may be unsuccessful;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim for the total amount of \$67,292.53 being:

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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SCBC Victoria Registry Action No. 13 0905	\$ 42,526.04
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Whereas the plaintiff has made a claim against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia as represented by the Ministry of Health in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Victoria Registry Action No. 13 0905, alleging wrongful dismissal and defamation.

And Whereas a confidentiality provision has been included in the settlement agreement;

And Whereas the parties have concluded a settlement agreement, a term of which is reimbursement for legal costs and disbursements in the amount of \$42,526.04.

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim, part of which is the payment of legal costs and disbursements in the amount of \$42,526.04.

Mar 2014 Payable to Clay & Company in Trust

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-115065

\$ 38,000.00

Whereas the plaintiff, Horvat Miljenko, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-115065, in which he alleges property damage resulting from a sewage backup on the University Endowment Land;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$38,000.00.

Dec 2013

Payable to Alexander Holburn Beaudin Lang LLP in Trust

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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Provincial Court of BC, Vancouver Registry Action No. 1033234	\$ 25,000.00
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Whereas the plaintiff, Edward Rampone, has made a claim for damages against her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Provincial Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No.1033234, for wrongful dismissal in 2008;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$ 25,000.00.

Nov 2013	Payable to Edward Rampone	\$ 17,500.00
Nov 2013	Payable to Canada Revenue Agency	\$ 7,500.00

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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SCBC Vancouver Registry Action No. S-114748	\$ 21,000.00
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Whereas the plaintiff, Michael Isman, has made a claim for damages against her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No.S-114748 and other parties, including the City of New Westminster, wherein the plaintiff alleges wrongful arrest and malicious prosecution.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in S.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, RSBC 1996, c.89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$ 21,000.00.

May 2013	Payable to Kornfeld LLP in Trust	\$ 19,500.00
May 2013	Payable to Singleton Urquhart LLP in Trust	\$ 1,500.00

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 9972	\$ 16,087.42
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Whereas the complainants, Charlene Baron and Stephen Reardon, have filed a complaint for damages against the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation with the BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 9972.

And Whereas the complainants, Charlene Baron and Stephen Reardon, have alleged that the Crown, through the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation, discriminated against them in not properly assessing their needs due to their marital status.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the complainants, Charlene Baron and Stephen Reardon, might be successful in their claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$16,087.42.

Oct	2013	Payable to Vancouver City Savings Credit Union in Trust for Charlene Baron	\$ 8,084.54
Oct	2013	Payable to Vancouver City Savings Credit Union in Trust for Stephen Reardon	\$ 8,002.88

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Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-113187

\$ 15,000.00

Whereas the plaintiff, Judy Smith, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-113187. The plaintiff fell on stairs at premises owned by the Province and broke both ankles. And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in her claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown ;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements by the Province contributing \$15,000.00 to an overall settlement of \$75,000.00.

Aug 2013

Payable to Hammerberg Lawyers LLP in Trust

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 10962	\$ 12,500.00

Whereas the complainant has alleged that the Crown, through the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure and two of its employees, discriminated against her in not accommodating her disability during her training as a Commercial Transport Inspector;
And Whereas the complainant has filed a complaint against the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure and two of its employees with the BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 10962;
And Whereas a confidentiality provision has been included in the settlement agreement;
And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, the complainant might be successful in her claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s. 13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$12,500.00.

Sep 2013

Payable to Complainant

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Vancouver Registry Action No. S122385

\$ 10,515.98
Costs

Whereas the appellant, Michael William Fountain, has made a claim for costs against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No. S122385, arising from his successful appeal of a decision of a discipline panel of the British Columbia College of Teachers;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the appellant might be successful in his claims for costs;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim for taxable costs and disbursements for the total all-inclusive amount of \$10,515.98.

Jul 2013

Payable to David Mardiros Law Office

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-118923

\$ 10,000.00

Whereas the plaintiffs, JP and her children, have made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry Action No. VLC-S-S-118923, alleging that the Province is liable for the wrongful apprehension of the children and the actions of the Director of Child Protection following removal of the children;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiffs might be successful in part of their claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to make a partial settlement and advance payment for counseling fees in the amount of \$10,000.00.

Apr 2013

Payable to Hittrich Family Law Group in Trust

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
Provincial Court of BC, 100 Mile House Registry Action No. WIL-P-C-121046	\$ 10,000.00

Whereas the claimant ,Steven Benjamin Mitchell, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Provincial Court of British Columbia, 100 Mile House Registry Action No. WIL-P-C-121046. The claimant maintains that delays in the processing of the reconsideration of his cancelled professional driver's licence resulted in his loss of earnings.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the claimant might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s. 13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$10,000.00.

Mar 2014

Payable to Steven Benjamin Mitchell.

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Section 14(4)

Court and Case

Settlements \$

BC Human Rights Tribunal Case No. 10836

\$ 8,421.42

Whereas Christine Connelly (the "complainant") has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia as represented by the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation and the Ministry of Justice (Family Maintenance Enforcement Program), in BC Human Rights Tribunal Case No. 10836. The complainant claims discrimination in the area of services customarily available to the public, on the grounds of family status, marital status and sex, contrary to s. 8 of the *Human Rights Code*, R.S.B.C.1996, c. 50. The parties have concluded a settlement of the complaint. And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the complainant is likely to be successful in her claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the amount of \$8,421.42.

Feb 2014

Payable to Vancouver City Savings Credit Union in Trust for Christine Connelly.

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
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BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 8959	\$ 7,770.58
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Whereas the complainant, Ronald Deneault, has filed a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation, with the BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 8959.

And Whereas the complainant, Ronald Deneault, has alleged that the Crown, through the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation, discriminated against him in not properly assessing his needs due to his marital status.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the complainant might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$7,770.58.

Oct 2013	Payable to Vancouver City Savings Credit Union in Trust
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Court and Case	Settlements \$
Provincial Court of BC, Port Coquitlam Registry Action No. COQ-P-C-12495	\$ 6,000.00

Whereas the plaintiff, Aaron Goddard, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Provincial Court of British Columbia, Port Coquitlam Registry Action No. COQ-P-C-12495, which arose as the result of an injury that occurred while in custody at the North Fraser Pretrial centre on August 10, 2010, in the city of Port Coquitlam.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown have advised that, in their opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$6,000.00.

Jun 2013

Payable to Springford & Simcoe in Trust

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<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
No Action Filed	\$ 4,200.00

Whereas Eric Jason Mills has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia for economic loss sustained as a result of the acts or omissions of a delegate or delegates of the Minister of Social Development and Social Innovation in administering the *Employment and Assistance Act* from about September 2011 through April 2012.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, Eric Jason Mills might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$4,200.00.

Mar 2014

Payable to Eric Jason Mills

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Court and Case

Settlements \$

SCBC Chilliwack Registry Action No. CHI-S-S-22721

\$ 3,068.30

Whereas the plaintiff, Donna Suzanne Paterson, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Chilliwack Registry Action No. CHI-S-S-22721, in which she alleges she fell on stairs at premises owned by the Province and sustained injuries as a result;
And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in her claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$3,068.30.

Dec 2013

Payable to Guild Yule in Trust

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Court and Case	Settlements \$
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BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 11321	\$ 3,000.00
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Whereas the complainant has alleged that the Crown, through the Ministry of Justice, discriminated against him in the area of services on the basis of religion. And Whereas the complainant has filed a complaint against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia with the BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No. 11321; And Whereas a confidentiality provision has been included in the settlement agreement; And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, the claimant might be successful in his claim for damages; This is to certify;

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$3,000.00.

Nov 2013 Payable to Complainant

**PAYMENTS UNDER
CROWN PROCEEDING ACT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2014**

Section 14(4)

Court and Case	Settlements \$
BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No.11734	\$ 1,129.58

Whereas the complainant has filed a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation, with the BC Human Rights Tribunal, Case No.11734.

And Whereas the complainant has alleged that the Crown, through the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation discriminated against her in failing to assess her for a benefit because of her family status.

And Whereas a confidentiality provision has been included in the settlement agreement;

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in her opinion, the complainant might be successful in her claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$1,129.58.

Dec 2013

Payable to Complainant

**PAYMENTS UNDER
CROWN PROCEEDING ACT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2014**

Section 14(4)

<u>Court and Case</u>	<u>Settlements \$</u>
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Provincial Court of BC, Kamloops Registry Action No. 39248	\$ 750.00
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And Whereas the plaintiff, Kelly Travis, has made a claim for damages against Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia in the Provincial Court of British Columbia, Kamloops Registry Action No. 39248. The plaintiff suffered injuries to his neck when he slipped getting out of the shower at the Kamloops Regional Correctional Centre.

And Whereas counsel for the Crown has advised that, in his opinion, the plaintiff might be successful in his claim for damages;

This is to certify:

1. That the claim herein, if pursued, could result in an Order referred to in s.13 of the *Crown Proceeding Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c 89 for payment of money by the Crown;
2. That it is in the public interest to settle the claim inclusive of interest, taxable costs and disbursements for the total amount of \$750.00.

Jun 2013 Payable to Kelly Travis

Total Payments made under <i>Section 14 (4)</i>	\$ 12,214,159.26
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