

Subject: FW: request for clarification on press release and request to receive a copy of legal report

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To: "James Ridge" <James_Ridge@dnv.org>, "Mayor and Council - DNV" <Council@dnv.org>, "Senior Management Committee" <managecomm@dnv.org>

CC: "FONVCA (E-mail)" <fonvca@fonvca.org>, <Cagebc@yahoo.com>

Mr Ridge:

I sent the email below to Ms Hilsen the District Clerk. However, I received via automated computer, a response, stating that Ms Hilsen will be out of the office until May 14, 2004. It further stated that I should get in touch with Ms Burrows. However, I am unable to do so since Council decreed that I may not communicate with Ms Burrows under any circumstance. This decree has been in effect since 2001 and has been adhered to on my part with exemplary diligence and exactness. Subsequently, I am extending my request for this information to you.

Thank you for your help.

Yours truly,

Ernie Crist

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Ernie Crist

> Sent: May 3, 2004 12:58 PM

> To: Agnes Hilsen; James Ridge; Mayor and Council - DNV; Senior Management Committee

> Cc: FONVCA (E-mail); 'Cagebc@yahoo.com'

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> Ms Hilsen;

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> On April 27, Council issued a press release concerning "Harassment investigation results in Council - approved motions against North Vancouver District Councillor Ernie Crist".

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> I contend that this item should have been put on a public agenda as a regular agenda item and/or its release to the public should at least also have been coupled with an opportunity on my part to comment on this matter in public. I, therefore, request that an opportunity to that effect be provided forthwith. I would also appreciate knowing on what legal statute the decision was made to release this In Camera item to the public without an opportunity on my part to respond in public.

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> Also, since I have not received a copy of the legal opinion provided by the solicitor to Council regarding this matter, I request that I be provided with such a copy. It is unthinkable that Council would act on such an important and costly issue based on a verbal opinion provided by the Solicitor only. Please clarify.

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> Thank you

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> Ernie Crist



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