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BY E-MAIL AND REGULAR MAIL

Ms. Vivian Krause
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Dear Ms. Krause:

Re: Tides Canada Foundation (“Tides Canada”) – Your Publications

Thank you for your e-mail of December 7, 2010.

Tides Canada is a legally distinct entity from the Tides Foundation which is based in the United States. Tides Canada does not have any influence or involvement whatsoever in the making of grants by Tides Foundation nor is it privy to any information with respect to grants made by Tides Foundation with the exception of grants made by it to Tides Canada.

The subject columns conflate Tides Canada with the Tides Foundation. The columns mislead the reader into thinking the two entities are the same, and thus misleads the reader into thinking the activities of the Tides Foundation referenced in the columns are the activities of Tides Canada. The columns imply that funds or support have been given by Tides Canada to a political party and/or candidate for public office. As well, Mr. Hasiuk's column states that Tides Canada is an "arm" of Tides Foundation. The headline to the column reads "Tides Foundation bankrolls Vision Vancouver." All of the foregoing statements are false, and very damaging to our client's reputation.

We reiterate our earlier demand. In addition to ensuring that your blog and other publications are accurate concerning our client, we require you to take steps to ensure that any entity or organization which posts or publishes information written by you concerning our client is also accurate. Please confirm that your post on CityCaucus.com of December 2, 2010 has been deleted or that the inaccurate references concerning our client are removed.



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If you do not comply with this demand by 4:00 p.m. on December 10, 2010, we will seek instructions from our client to commence legal action against you without further notice. As well, if you report or comment on the activities of Tides Foundation in the future, you should not use the term "Tides" and should always state in any such reporting or commentary that Tides Foundation is not to be confused with Tides Canada Foundation, a distinct legal entity.

Yours truly,

Bull, Housser & Tupper LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'JH Goulden', written over the printed name.

James H. Goulden

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