



## CABINET CHANGES ANNOUNCED

Premier Gordon Campbell has announced changes to the Cabinet adding six new members and several new Minister of State portfolios.

Of particular interest to the construction industry are the following:

- \* The Minister of Community, Aboriginal and Women's Services will now be the Hon. Murray Coell. Among other concerns, this Ministry oversees housing policy, safety standards and inspections, building policy, local government and the community charter.
- \* The Hon. Kevin Falcon, previously Minister of State for Deregulation, will now be the Minister of Transportation.
- \* The Minister of Education is now the Hon. Tom Christensen.
- \* The Hon. Shirley Bond remains as Minister of Advanced Education.
- \* The Hon. Gary Collins remains as Minister of Finance.
- \* The Hon. Graham Bruce remains as Minister of Skills Development and Labour

The balance of the executive council are:

Minister of State for Intergovernmental Relations Hon. Sindi Hawkins  
Minister of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries – Hon. John van Dongen  
Attorney General and Minister Responsible for Treaty Negotiations – Hon. Geoff Plant  
Minister of Children and Family Development, Deputy Premier – Hon. Christy Clark  
Minister of State for Early Childhood Development – Hon. Linda Reid  
Minister of State for Immigration and Multicultural Services – Hon. Gulzar Cheema  
Minister of State for Women's and Seniors' Services - Hon. Ida Chong  
Minister of Energy and Mines – Hon. Richard Neufeld  
Minister of State for Mining – Hon. Pat Bell  
Minister of Forests – Hon. Mike de Jong  
Minister of State for Forestry Operations – Hon. Roger Harris  
Minister of Health Services – Hon. Colin Hansen  
Minister of State for Mental Health and Addiction Services – Hon. Susan Brice  
Minister of Human Resources – Hon. Stan Hagen  
Minister of Management Services – Hon. Joyce Murray  
Minister of Provincial Revenue – Hon. Rick Thorpe  
Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General – Hon. Rich Coleman  
Minister of Small Business and Economic Development – Hon. John Les  
Minister of Sustainable Resource Management – Hon. George Abbott  
Minister of State for Resort Development – Hon. Sandy Santori  
Minister of Transportation – Hon. Kevin Falcon  
Minister of Water, Land and Air Protection – Hon. Bill Barisoff

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