

This is the 2nd Affidavit  
of John Mazure in the matter of the  
Commission of Inquiry into Money Laundering  
and was sworn on April 30, 2021

**AFFIDAVIT**

I, John C. Mazure, of [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], SWEAR AND SAY AS FOLLOWS:

1. I am a witness in the Commission of Inquiry into Money Laundering ("Inquiry") and as such have personal knowledge of facts and matters hereinafter deposed to, save and except where the same are stated to be based on information and belief, and where so stated I believe the same to be true.
2. In addition to providing an affidavit to the Inquiry dated February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021, I testified on February 5<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> before the Inquiry.
3. As time has permitted, I have followed the proceedings of the Inquiry and my lawyer has sought to keep me apprised of important developments.
4. On April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021 I monitored the testimony of Attorney General David Eby. I was surprised to hear him testify that I attended a briefing with him at the BC Lottery Corporation offices in Kamloops, BC on July 31, 2017 in my role as General Manager and Assistant Deputy Minister of the Gaming Policy Enforcement Branch. While I do recall a number of meetings with Minister Eby at his office in the BC Legislature in August 2017 and later, I do not recall any in-person meetings with him in July 2017 and I don't recall meeting Minister Eby in Kamloops. Therefore, I instructed my lawyer to contact counsel for the Inquiry, Mr. Patrick McGowan, to indicate that I believe Mr. Eby was mistaken about my attendance at the briefing in Kamloops on July 31, 2017.
5. Following the testimony of Minister Eby on April 26, 2021, I looked for further information that could shed light on where I was on July 31, 2017. This was made more difficult because despite a request made by my lawyer, the BC Government did not provide copies of my work calendar or work emails for the period of May 2017 through to my departure from government in June 2018 (I was provided copies of my calendar and emails prior to May 2017). However, after searching my personal records (eg. credit card receipts and personal email accounts), I was able to retrieve an email I sent to my physician, [REDACTED], [REDACTED], on July 28, 2017. A copy of this email is attached to this affidavit as Exhibit 1. In this email, I expressed a need to reschedule a medical appointment

which had been set for July 31, 2017 explaining that I was required to be in Kamloops that morning. In the interest of full disclosure, I asked my lawyer to bring this personal email to the attention of Mr. Patrick McGowan, counsel for the Inquiry, and to counsel with the Ministry of Attorney General, Ms. Hughes & Ms. Rajotte. My lawyer sent a copy of this personal email to these lawyers on April 28, 2021.

- 6. On April 29, 2021 I monitored the testimony of Richard Fyfe, QC, Deputy Attorney General and noted that he testified that I was at the briefing meeting with Minister Eby on July 31, 2017 in Kamloops.
- 7. I still do not have any recollection of attending a briefing in Kamloops on July 31, 2017 with Minister Eby.

SWORN BEFORE ME at the City of )  
 Victoria, in the Province of British )  
 Columbia, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2021 )

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**JOHN C. MAZURE**

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 A Commissioner for taking Affidavits in )  
 British Columbia )

Signed electronically over videoconference  
 on April 30, 2021 during the COVID-19  
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This is **EXHIBIT "1"** referred to in the affidavit of John MAZURE sworn before me in Victoria, British Columbia on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2021.

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4/27/2021

Gmail - SEE YOU MONDAY



John Mazure [REDACTED]

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## SEE YOU MONDAY

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John Mazure [REDACTED]  
To: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Fri, Jul 28, 2017 at 10:30 AM

Hi [REDACTED]

I have just been advised I need to be in Kamloops Monday morning so I won't be able to make my 11:15 am appointment with you. I will call into reschedule monday morning hen but wanted to let you know asap.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Have a good weekend.

[Quoted text hidden]