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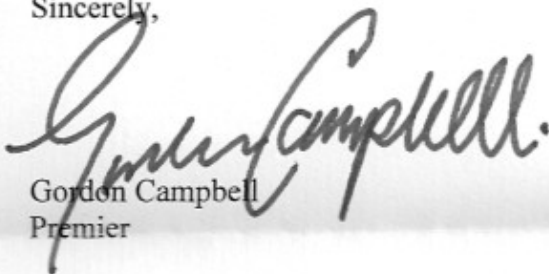
Dear Mr. Ackerman:

Thank you for your letter regarding public libraries in British Columbia. I note that you have also sent a copy of your letter to Minister Bond.

We appreciate hearing from you. As you know, I understand the importance of libraries and the role they play in people's lives. I have asked Minister Bond to include your comments and concerns in related discussions and to respond to you at her earliest opportunity.

Again, thank you for writing. It was good to hear from you.

Sincerely,



Gordon Campbell
Premier

pc: Honourable Shirley Bond