

BC Notice 2023/06

## **Corporate Finance Stakeholder Forum**

The British Columbia Securities Commission is pleased to announce the new members of the Corporate Finance Stakeholder Forum (Forum). The Forum advises the Commission's Corporate Finance staff on policy initiatives, capital market trends, and other emerging issues affecting reporting and non-reporting issuers, including investment funds.

On February 22, 2023, the Commission issued BC Notice 2023/02 to solicit members for the Forum. We had many expressions of interest from a broad group of market participants.

The members comprising the Forum are a diverse group representing all areas of the BC securities market, including issuer executives, investors, underwriters, lawyers, accountants, academics, and other securities market participants and stakeholders. Forum members are from diverse backgrounds and combined have significant experience in all aspects of the BC capital markets.

Members of the Forum will serve a three year term. The members of the Forum are

- Tara Amiri-Khaledi, Gowlings WLG
- James Atherton, Capiche Capital Technologies Corporation/Capiche Legal
- Andrew Creech, TSX Venture Exchange
- Michelle de Cordova, ESG Global Advisors
- Bernadette D'Silva, Corporate Finance and Corporate Governance Consultant
- Farzad Forooghian, Forooghian + Company Law Corporation
- Adam Garvin, Roper Greyell, LLP
- Marc Goffaux, Hawkeye Wealth Ltd.
- Commander RCN (Retired) Alistair Harrigan, Investor
- Sarah Hindle, Haywood Securities Inc.
- Jeff Killeen, Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada
- Christopher Main, Telus
- Andrew Male, Westridge Management International Ltd.
- Michelle Noorani, Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP
- Samir Patel, First Mining Gold Corp.
- Amandeep Sandhu, Sandhu ESG Law
- Anna Serin, Canadian Securities Exchange
- Hamed Shahbazi, WELL Health Technologies Corp.
- Christie Stephenson, UBC Sauder School of Business
- Anna Tudela, Board Member and Independent Consultant
- Nafeesa Valli-Hasham, Clark Wilson LLP
- Brent Wolfe, MNP



The Forum held its first meeting on May 24, 2023 and will be scheduling additional meetings in the coming year.

If you have any questions about the Forum, please contact the Chairs of the Forum:

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