

Office of the President and Chief Executive Officer

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Sent By Email: President@bcgeu.ca

Ms. Stephanie Smith President B.C. Government and Service Employees' Union 4911 Canada Way Burnaby, B.C. V5G 3W3

Dear Ms. Smith:

I have received your letter requesting a meeting to discuss the increase in violent incidents and workplace assaults in our provincial prisons.

I have asked Al Johnson, VP of Prevention Services, to contact your offices to arrange a meeting with senior BCGEU staff to discuss this matter.

We found the discussion sessions with BCGEU and WorkSafeBC in 2012-13 were valuable and effective.

WorkSafeBC is committed to working with all workplace parties to ensure the safety of BC's workers.

Regards,

Diana Miles President & CEO