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The Honourable Bruce Cohen
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Commission of Inquiry into the Decline
of Sockeye Salmon in the Fraser River
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Dear Commissioner Cohen:

I write in response to your letter of March 8, 2011, in which you propose adjustments under the Contribution Program for the Commission of Inquiry into the Decline of Sockeye Salmon in the Fraser River (Contribution Program) for the past fiscal year (2010-2011), as well as funding levels for the current fiscal year (2011-2012).

In considering your proposals for adjustments for the past fiscal year, I note that while some specific recommendations are cost-neutral or indeed reduce the resources to be provided to certain participants, I also see that three participants have requested increases in funding over and above what had been initially approved. As I have noted previously, the Government is under a period of fiscal restraint, and we would look to both the Commission and all participants to work within the budgets that have been allocated. That said, as the additional expenses in respect of these participants will not exceed the resources available under the Contribution Program, I am prepared to accept this recommendation, particularly in light of your observation that each request for additional resources was warranted given the length of the proceedings and the necessity of these participants' involvement in the hearings.

Turning to the current fiscal year, I note that you have had regard to the extension of the Commission's deadline to May 2012, as authorized by the Governor in Council, and the impact this will have on the number of hearing days. I also note that your recommendations are based not only on the assumptions and methodology you adopted in coming to your initial

assumptions and methodology you adopted in coming to your initial recommendations for this fiscal year, but also on your assessment of the efficacy of that approach over the course of your work to date. I am pleased to accept your recommendation for 2011-2012.

Finally, I note that you have deferred making a recommendation in respect of one participant, the BC Fisheries Survival Coalition/Area E Gillnetters Association. I look forward to receiving your recommendation in due course, to ensure that all participants have had their funding requests resolved as early as possible in the upcoming fiscal year, and in order for the Commission to fulfill its mandate.

I trust that this is satisfactory and I wish you well in your continuing work.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wayne G. Wouters". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "W" and "G".

Wayne G. Wouters



March 8, 2011

Via Email

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Dear Mr. Wouters:

**Re: Cohen Commission Contribution Program for 2010-2011 and 2011-2012
fiscal years – Recommendations for Funding**

On 12 May 2010 (as amended 19 May 2010), I recommended that certain standing groups be granted funding for legal fees in order to participate in the Inquiry (the "Initial Recommendation"). On 9 June 2010, you advised that the Government of Canada had granted funding as I had recommended, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Treasury Board Contribution Program, to a maximum limit of \$3,423,200. Since then, I have recommended, and the Government of Canada has approved, some adjustments to the Initial Recommendation in respect of a few participant groups, none of which resulted in an increase in cost to the Contribution Program.

This letter sets out two things:

1. My recommendations for funding for all funded participant groups for the *next* fiscal year (1 April 2011 to 31 March 2012);
2. My recommendations for additional funding and for adjustments/redistributions of funding in respect of some participant groups for the *current* fiscal year (1 April 2010 to 31 March 2011).

Funding Recommendations for Next Fiscal Year (2011-2012)

When I made my initial funding recommendations in May 2010, the commission's hearings and the work of participants' counsel were expected to conclude within the

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2010-2011 fiscal year. My recommendations were made bearing in mind a number of considerations set out in paragraphs 8 to 11 of the Initial Recommendation:

8. In preparing the funding recommendations that follow, I have borne in mind a number of considerations. The numbers of hours I have set out in the recommendations are the product of an assessment by commission staff of the appropriate participation of each participant (or group of joint participants) to the extent of that participant's interest, as that interest is described in the Standing Ruling. I agree with their assessment and have adopted it in making my funding recommendations. In recommending a number of hours for funding, the commission has estimated the number of hearing days for each topic identified in the commission's terms of reference, applied those estimates to the interests identified for participants in the Standing Ruling, and then added a fair amount for preparation time for counsel outside of the hearings. As the commission is currently involved in reviewing documentary production and framing issues for hearings, the numbers necessarily reflect a high degree of estimation. The commission has applied these principles for estimating the number of hours for participants consistently to all the applications.

9. The commission's approach is to look to junior counsel for much of the preparation work, but to increase the proportion of funding for attendance at hearings by senior counsel. I believe the approach taken is a fair and reasonable one for staffing participation in an inquiry of this nature. The commission has allotted 80 per cent of the recommended time for an applicant to preparation (60 per cent to junior counsel and 20 per cent to senior counsel) and 20 per cent of the recommended time to attendance at hearings (7 per cent to junior counsel and 13 per cent to senior counsel). Preparation time has been further subdivided and allotted to different activities, with a further additional amount added uniformly to all recommendations, in order to account for meetings and other occasions at which participants' counsel will be asked to attend.

10. These funding recommendations reflect the overriding premise for a commission of inquiry, set out in our Rules for Standing and Funding, that "commission counsel have the primary responsibility for representing the public interest, including the responsibility to ensure that all matters that bear upon the public interest are brought to the Commissioner's attention." In our hearings, commission counsel are responsible for organizing and leading all the evidence, and are primarily responsible for document review, which in this case is a very large undertaking. Participants will be provided with what commission counsel identify as being key documents and witness materials. Participants may assist in identifying witnesses and evidence, but the primary responsibility lies with commission counsel. While participants will have access to the documents disclosed to the commission, these funding recommendations do not anticipate that each participant will separately undertake the same degree of document review as commission counsel. The aim is to provide adequate funding for participants to access documents, but in a context where they already have the key documents and intended hearing exhibits identified to them in advance by commission counsel.

11. Similarly, these funding recommendations reflect the fact that it is unnecessary for all participants' counsel to attend all of the commission's hearing days. While

participants are welcome to attend or have their counsel attend any of the hearings at their own cost, I am only recommending funding for attendance of counsel on those hearing days where the participant's interest, as set out in the Standing Ruling, is directly engaged. Transcripts of the hearings will be made available to participants as soon as possible after each hearing day, removing any need for counsel to conduct a "watching brief" of hearings, and permitting an efficient means of monitoring the proceedings.

By 31 March 2011, I expect to have concluded 56 days of hearings. I also expect that most funded participants would not have attended all these hearing days as very few participants have full grants of standing, which is standing with respect to *all* of the issues and topics under the commission's Terms of Reference.

On 24 January 2011, the Prime Minister's office, by Order in Council P.C. 2011-23, granted the commission an extension until 30 June 2012 for the submission of the commission's final report. Commission counsel estimate, and I agree with them, that it will take up to 70 additional hearing days (occurring in the next fiscal year) to conclude the hearing phase of this inquiry. In other words, in addition to the 56 days leading up to the end of the current fiscal year (31 March 2011), we expect a further 70 days of hearings in the 2011-2012 fiscal year. Again, very few participants will be involved in all aspects of the hearings conducted in the next fiscal year.

For each currently funded participant (with two caveats noted below), I recommend funding each participant with an amount — for the period of 1 April 2011 to 31 March 2012 — that is slightly less than 1.16 times the amount that I recommended for each participant for the 2010-2011 fiscal year. (The ratio of 1.16 comes from 70 anticipated hearing days in 2011-2012 divided by the estimated 60 hearing days that informed the Commissioner's funding recommendations for 2010-2011.)

This formula for determining funding for the next fiscal year reflects the level of need that I have already determined exists for the funded participants, based on evidence provided to me in participants' initial funding applications, and based on the previous assumption of 60 days of hearing time. This assessment of participants' needs for legal counsel also reflects the benefit of some months' experience with how funded participants have accounted for their time. I have carefully considered the question and I am satisfied that the considerations that informed the Initial Recommendation remain appropriate. What is appropriate at this juncture is not a fundamental revision of my approach to funding recommendations, but rather the application of that approach to the hearings schedule which is now much more clearly defined. I have taken into account the experience of having conducted a significant proportion of the commission's hearings, at this point, and having seen funding for counsel in practice over time.

The formula referred to also reflects that some funding, such as that for the initial standing applications, is not necessary for the next fiscal year, hence the amounts I am recommending are slightly less than the ratio based on hearing days alone. Finally, my

recommendation assumes that participants will advise me, as they are required to do under their contribution agreements, if their financial situations change such that they have other sources of funds to pay for their legal costs.

The caveats mentioned above are as follows:

1. I am deferring making a funding recommendation for the 2011-2012 fiscal year for the BC Fisheries Survival Coalition and the Area E Gillnetters Association, as this participant group is currently without legal counsel.
2. Some participants' counsel have advised me of changes in their legal team and how they have chosen to staff the file to best represent their clients' interests in the commission. In some cases, where I was satisfied an adjustment would better enable appropriate participation in the Inquiry, I have adjusted the ratios of hearing time to preparation time, of senior counsel hours to junior counsel hours, from what I set out in para. 9 of the Initial Recommendation.

The Current Fiscal Year (2010-2011)

A minority of funded participants have indicated to the commission that they have reached 75 percent (or greater) of their funded hour allotments and have applied for additional funding to see them through to the end of the current fiscal year. Others have applied to redistribute their remaining funding among counsel. I have received five applications pertaining to this fiscal year. I deal with each of them below.

Pacific Salmon Commission

This participant seeks to add an additional counsel and to reallocate some of its funding for senior counsel towards an additional counsel.

This request results in a reduction in the cost of legal services, as the substitute lawyer is junior in years to the senior counsel on the file, and is justified given the exceptional circumstances that arose for this participant.

Aquaculture Coalition

This group seeks an additional 104 hours for preparation for junior counsel as well as a reallocation of hearing hours to preparation hours for junior counsel.

These points are well made and support the application. I am prepared to recommend the additional funding sought by this group.

Area D Salmon Gillnet Association and Area B Harvest Committee (Seine)

This group seeks an additional 276 hours of funding for senior counsel's attendance (68 hours) and preparation (208 hours) for hearings, in particular those relating to harvest management and commercial fishing.

This application satisfies me that counsel's attendance and time spent on preparation was appropriate, bearing in mind that some of the hearings topics to date have been of greater relevance to this participant than others. I am prepared to recommend the additional funding sought by this group.

West Coast Trollers Area G Association and United Fishermen and Allied Worker's Union

This group does not seek additional funding; it seeks to convert 132 hours of junior counsel preparation time (at \$160) into 60 hours of senior counsel time (at \$350) in order to better reflect the time that senior counsel has had to spend preparing for and attending hearings. As this does not pose any additional financial burden on the contribution program, I recommend that this change be made to this group's funding.

First Nations Coalition

This group provides a primary and an alternative request for funding for the current fiscal year. Its primary request is to allow it "the flexibility to apportion the total hours allotted for senior and junior counsel among counsel as is appropriate, without having to adhere to the hours allotted for each senior counsel as set out in the Current Allotment." This group also seeks "the flexibility to reconfigure its legal team as required," including by accessing other counsel and articling or summer students. This group's alternative request is that particular changes be made to the funding allocations which entail the replacement of a previous counsel, reallocating hours among the counsel team, as well as an increase of hours for senior and junior counsel. The result, which is easier to

describe in dollars rather than hours given the diversity of counsel involved with this group, requires an additional \$75,028 in funding.

I am unable to accede to the primary request, given that the Contribution Program requires that specified lawyers be authorized for funded representation. As I understand the Contribution Program, it is not open to me to simply recommend an allocation of hours which could then be dispersed or assigned among various lawyers or law students.

I am, however, in agreement that it is appropriate to recommend funding for this group's alternative request, the details of which are set out in the attached document.

Conclusion

I have attached a "Supplementary Recommendation for Recipient Funding Checklist" for each funded participant (other than the BC Fisheries Survival Coalition and the Area E Gillnetters Association) showing the breakdown of the funding I am recommending for each of them for the both the 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 fiscal years. For each of these groups, I have also enclosed a sheet setting out, in table form, my recommended funding for the next (2011-2012) fiscal year. For the five groups for which I am recommending changes to the current (2010-2011) fiscal year, I have also enclosed a sheet setting out, in table form, the changes in funding that I am recommending.

I look forward to your reply concerning these funding recommendations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Bruce I. Cohen', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

The Honourable Bruce I Cohen,
Commissioner

Note: The financial details for each recipient in the Commissioner's supplementary recommendation for funding approved by the Privy Council Office are not included here to protect the confidentiality attaching to the financial information of the applicants for funding. The following tables, however, summarize the number of counsel hours underlying the approved recommendation for each participant.

Pacific Salmon Commission, SALM-CA-03**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	220	610
Attendance at hearing	127	68
Application for Standing	0	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	352	678

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	255	707
Attendance at hearing	147	79
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	402	786

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Aquaculture Coalition, SALM-CA-08

Fiscal Year 2010/11

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	103	373
Attendance at hearing	51	17
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	169	390

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	119	300
Attendance at hearing	59	31
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	178	331

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Fiscal Year 2010/11

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	325	925
Attendance at hearing	195	105
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	535	1030

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	377	1073
Attendance at hearing	226	122
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	603	1195

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

**Area D Salmon Gillnet Association and Area B Harvest Committee (Seine), SALM-CA-10
Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	416	573
Attendance at hearing	187	65
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	618	638

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	241	665
Attendance at hearing	138	75
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	379	740

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

**Southern Area E Gillnetters Association and the BC Fisheries Survival Coalition, SALM-CA-11
Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	178	484
Attendance at hearing	100	53
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	298	537

West Coast Trollers Area G Association & United Fisherman and Allied Workers' Union**SALM-CA-12****Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	163	279
Attendance at hearing	150	76
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	328	355

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	189	509
Attendance at hearing	104	56
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	293	565

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

BC Wildlife Federation & BC Federation of Drift Fishers, SALM-CA-13**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	169	457
Attendance at hearing	94	50
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	278	507

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	196	530
Attendance at hearing	109	58
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	305	588

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Western Central Coast Salish First Nations, SALM-CA-15**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	207	573
Attendance at hearing	118	64
Application for Standing	40	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	370	637

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	240	664
Attendance at hearing	136	74
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	376	738

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

First Nations Coalition, SALM-CA-16**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	601	1356
Attendance at hearing	300	300
Application for Standing	40	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	946	1656

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	590.50	1670
Attendance at hearing	355	380
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	945.50	2050

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Métis Nation, SALM-CA-17**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	124	322
Attendance at hearing	64	35
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	203	357

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	144	373
Attendance at hearing	74	41
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	218	414

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Sto:lo Tribal Council and Cheam Indian Band, SALM-CA-18

Fiscal Year 2010/11

Activity	Hours for Junior Counsel #1	Hours for Junior Counsel #2
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	463	464
Attendance at hearing	110	109
Application for Standing	10	10
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	588	583

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Junior Counsel #1	Hours for Junior Counsel #2
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	537	538
Attendance at hearing	128	126
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	665	664

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Junior Counsel#1	Hours for Junior Counsel #2
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	5
Total:	0	5

**Laich-kwil-tach Treaty Society, Chief Harold Sewid & Aboriginal Aquaculture Association
SALM-CA-19**

Fiscal Year 2010/11

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	176	530
Attendance at hearing	108	56
Application for Standing	30	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	319	586

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	204	615
Attendance at hearing	126	65
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	330	680

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Musgagmagw Tsawataineuk Tribal Council, SALM-CA-20**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	203	111
Attendance at hearing	43	23
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	261	134

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	285	78
Attendance at hearing	65	12
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	350	90

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0

Heiltsuk Tribal Council, SALM-CA-21**Fiscal Year 2010/11**

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearings; Interviews; Meetings and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	88	265
Attendance at hearing	54	28
Application for Standing	10	0
Release of interim report	5	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	157	293

Fiscal Year 2011/12

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	102	307
Attendance at hearing	63	32
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	0	0
Total:	165	339

Fiscal Year 2012/13

Activity	Hours for Senior Counsel	Hours for Junior Counsel
Preparation for hearing; Interviews, Meeting and other occasions deemed necessary by the Commissioner; Preparation of submissions; Review of materials	0	0
Attendance at hearing	0	0
Release of interim report	0	0
Release of final report	5	0
Total:	5	0