

1 November 14, 2007

2 Vancouver, B.C.

3 THE REGISTRAR: Order. Please be seated. The hearing is now
4 resumed.

5 THE COMMISSIONER: Mr. Martland.

6 MR. MARTLAND: Mr. Commissioner, for the record, Brock
7 Martland, associate Commission counsel. The
8 reason there are so few people here today is that
9 Mr. Cowper's had good success with his
10 discussions with counsel. Yesterday we'd advised
11 that there were a series of motions that had been
12 expected. Those matters have been for now
13 resolved so that we need not proceed with the
14 hearing on motions today. As a result, I'm
15 before you today, Mr. Commissioner, simply to
16 apologize to the staff for the fact that we were
17 unable to give better notice of this change in
18 circumstances that arose early this morning and
19 also to advise that we are simply asking to
20 adjourn the hearing over to Friday morning, 9:30.
21 That's Friday, November 16. We have evidence
22 scheduled for Friday and continuing through next
23 week. There is also, Mr. Commissioner, a plan
24 being put together that would involve a view in
25 order to permit you to -- and counsel to attend

1 at the Vancouver Jail and at the laneway and
2 detox centre, which are the sites at issue in
3 this matter. And that is to be scheduled for
4 tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Cowper is working out
5 those arrangements as we speak.

6 THE COMMISSIONER: Thank you. So we'll adjourn the proceeding
7 or hearing proper, then, until Friday morning at
8 9:30 and we'll resume then with further
9 witnesses; is that correct?

10 MR. MARTLAND: That's correct.

11 THE COMMISSIONER: All right. I don't think there's anything
12 further then for today, so we'll adjourn then
13 until Friday morning at 9:30. Thank you.

14 THE REGISTRAR: Order. This hearing is now adjourned until
15 Friday morning, November 16th at 9:30.

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17 (PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED AT 9:37 A.M.)

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19 I hereby certify the foregoing to be
20 a true and accurate transcript of the
21 proceedings transcribed herein to the
22 best of my skill and ability.

23 Kathie Tanaka, Official Reporter
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