

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA
(ON APPEAL FROM THE COURT OF APPEAL OF BRITISH COLUMBIA)**

BETWEEN:

**CONSEIL SCOLAIRE FRANCOPHONE DE LA COLOMBIE-BRITANNIQUE, FÉDÉRATION
DES PARENTS FRANCOPHONES DE COLOMBIE-BRITANNIQUE, ANNETTE AZAR-DIEHL,
STÉPHANE PERRON AND MARIE-NICOLE DUBOIS**

**APPELLANTS
(Appellants/Plaintiffs)**

AND:

**HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, AND
THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA**

**RESPONDENTS
(Respondents/Defendants)**

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PART I – OVERVIEW AND STATEMENT OF FACTS

Overview & Statement of Facts

1. The Attorney General of Nova Scotia (“AGNS”) has had the opportunity to review and consider the Factum of the Respondents, Her Majesty the Queen in Right of the Province of British Columbia, and Minister of Education of British Columbia, and agrees with and adopts in their entirety the Overview and Statement of Facts as set out therein.

PART II – ISSUES ON APPEAL

2. The AGNS adopts paragraph 19 of the Respondents’ Factum, setting out the Issues on Appeal.

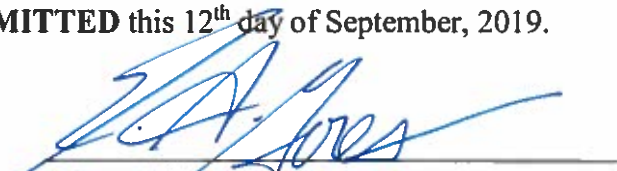
PART III – ARGUMENT

3. The AGNS adopts the Argument of the Respondents as set out in their Factum and repeats that Argument for the purposes of his Argument in respect of the issues before this Honourable Court.

PART IV-SUBMISSIONS AS TO COSTS

4. The AGNS takes no position with respect to costs as between the Appellants and Respondents. The AGNS submits that no costs ought to be payable either to or by the Intervenor.

ALL OF WHICH IS RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 12th day of September, 2019.


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