



This is the 1st Affidavit
of Mary Lavelle in this case
and was made on 18 MAR 2019

No. CAR-S-S-14585
Campbell River Registry

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

Between

LUKE DANIEL DOUGLAS LAFLUER, WILLIAM JOHN CATHCART,
KENNY BRYAN CARPENTER HANUSE, MICHAEL EDWARD HANSEN,
JASON BARRY JEFFERY, BERTHA LOUISE JEFFERY,
WENDY MARIE LOTNICK, JUNE CAROL BARTON,
THOMAS JOHN DREW, RODERICK CHARLES GRAY LEE,
RICHARD PATRICK BOAS, MARY M. GEORGINA TALLON,
HELENE ANDREE OABES, EDWARD CHARLES MILAN

Petitioners

and

NOBA ANDREA ANDERSON

Respondent

AFFIDAVIT

I, MARY ELIZABETH LAVELLE, of 982 Siskin Lane, Mansons Landing, British Columbia, Hall Manager for the Southern Cortes Community Association, Columbia, SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) THAT:

1. I am named in paragraph 17(a) of the Amended Petition in this matter, and as such I have personal knowledge of the facts and matters hereinafter deposed to, except where stated to be on information and belief, in which case I verily believe them to be true.
2. I have reviewed the allegations made against me set out in the Amended Petition in this matter. Specifically, I have reviewed paragraph 17(a) of the Amended Petition, which

states:

Mary Lavelle as Hall Manager of the SCCA, was Anderson's alternate director and received a salary from the SRD when Anderson was on maternity leave. The SCCA received a grant for \$6,500 on April 27, 2017, the sum of \$4,500.00 on May 26, 2016 and a further sum of \$2,000.00 on August 13, 2014. Mary Lavelle contributed to the Go-Fund-Me Acct the sum of \$100.00.

3. The Amended Petition refers to "SCCA", which I believe is referencing the Southern Cortes Community Association. The SCCA is a registered charity and, among other community-building efforts, owns and manages the Mansons Landing Community Hall on Cortes Island. I am the Hall Manager for SCCA and I have worked for the SCCA since 2009. A copy of the SCCA's Society Summary is attached to my affidavit as **Exhibit "A"**.
4. I have acted as Director Noba Anderson's Alternate Director at the Strathcona Regional District since January 2015.
5. In March of 2018, when I heard that Bernie Anderson's cabin burnt down, I wanted to help. In our community, we show up for people who need help. This can be with time, food or money. I try to do all of the above, and sometimes money is the best way for me to help my friends and neighbours. I have a track record of donating to local GoFundMe campaigns, and I donate to local organizations from time to time.
6. I donated \$100 to the "Bernie's Cabin Fire Rebuild" GoFundMe campaign ("**Fundraiser**") because I have known Bernie since I moved to Cortes Island in 2004. My husband worked with Bernie on several building projects and Bernie was always kind to our family. Bernie needed a new home as a result of the fire, and I wanted to help.
7. I was acting as a community member when I donated to Bernie. It did not occur to me that someone might misunderstand my gesture and see it as inappropriate because I work for the SCCA or because I am the Alternate Director for our Electoral Area. The allegations

against me in the Amended Petition in this matter have made me disappointed that my attempt to help my friend Bernie has caused such distress and is being seen as a form of wrongdoing. My decision to donate to the Fundraiser had nothing to do with Director Anderson in her role as Regional Director, nor my role as Alternate Director or my role with the SCCA.

SWORN BEFORE ME at Cortes Island,)
in the Province of British Columbia this 18th)
day of March, 2019.)
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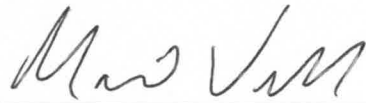
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This is **Exhibit "A"** referred to in the Affidavit of Mary Lavelle sworn before me at Cortes Island, British Columbia this 18th day of March 2019.



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BC Society Summary

For

SOUTHERN CORTES COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Date and Time of Search: March 7, 2019 02:05 PM Pacific Time

Currency Date: February 19, 2019

ACTIVE

Incorporation Number:	S0004973	Business Number:	11915 7451 BC0001
Name of Society:	SOUTHERN CORTES COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION		
Incorporation Date:	Incorporated on June 8, 1956		
Last Annual Report Filed:	2018		
Last Annual General Meeting:	May 28, 2018	Number of Directors:	6
In Liquidation:	No		
Member Funded Society:	No		

REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS INFORMATION

Delivery Address:

983 BEASLEY RD
PO BOX 222
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Mailing Address:

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DIRECTOR INFORMATION

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AYERS, JULIAN

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CORTES ISLAND
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