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Re. Lump-sum gaming grant payment to Bingo Affiliated Organizations

Further to a recent commitment by Derek Sturko, Assistant Deputy Minister, Gaming Policy and Enforcement, I am pleased to announce that bingo affiliated organizations will be issued a lump-sum payment that will replace the monthly grant installment payments they would otherwise receive through to March 31, 2009.

A personalized letter will be sent to each affiliated organization informing them that the lump sum payment will be deposited electronically into their gaming account between December 3 and December 5, 2008.

I would ask that you please advise your member affiliated organizations of this upcoming change. If you have any questions, please contact the Gaming Policy and Enforcement Branch at 250 387-5311.

Sincerely,

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Director

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cc: Derek Sturko

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