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Dear Stakeholder:

Last summer, the Ministry of Finance requested your input on updating British Columbia's *Cooperative Association Act*; the statute that provides rules for the incorporation and corporate governance of cooperative associations. The Ministry heard your suggestions and has created a consultation paper describing them <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content?id=4EF286509F4247E890AA2E0E30842D5E>.

We are now asking for your help and input on the suggestions received regarding the *Cooperative Association Act*. As in the summer, our intention is to solicit as much input as possible, please invite others who may wish to contribute to do so.

During this second stage of consultation, the Ministry of Finance will be scheduling roundtables for discussion of certain topics. To participate in these roundtables, please use the contact information below to indicate your desire to participate as well as topics of interest.

The deadline for feedback is April 30, 2023.

Please send your comments and roundtable requests to:

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Please note that Finance will be sharing comments it receives with the Corporate Registry in the Ministry of Citizens' Services and others. Even where confidentiality is requested, freedom of information legislation may require Finance to make responses available to those requesting access.

Thank you for your Participation in this important review.

Sincerely,



Katrine Conroy  
Minister

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Community Development and Non-Profits