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Subject: Fwd: Update from Ministry of Energy - Chief of Staff

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Date: February 7, 2018 at 7:37:40 AM EST
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FYI...Leonard

From: David Barrett
Sent: February 06, 2018 8:29 PM
To: Peter Gregg; Kim Marshall; Sorana Ionescu; Michael Lyle; Terry Young; Leonard Kula
Cc: Julia McNally; Glenn McDonald; Elizabeth Squissato; Jordan Penic; Chuck Farmer; Anthony Lovachis; Reena Goyal
Subject: Update from Ministry of Energy - Chief of Staff

Minister Thibeault announced the appointment of Mike Feenstra as his new Chief of Staff, effective February 5. Mike comes to ENERGY from Northern Development and Mines where he was Chief of Staff since May 2015. He has held various roles in the Minister's Offices at NDM, Community Safety, Education and Agriculture/Rural Affairs. Mike was also Press Secretary for the Alberta Department of Energy from 2013 to 2014.

We're working through the Ministry to support Mike's on-boarding in an efficient and orderly manner. Foundational briefings on Market Renewal and MicroFIT are set for February 7 and 8 respectively, and we expect additional foundational briefings to come in the days and weeks ahead. We're also working to confirm a visit to Clarkson for an introduction to the IESO, and for overviews of strategic priorities and of the Control Room. Your direct support and the support of your teams to help with these activities is greatly appreciated.

Also, on February 1, MPP [Han Dong](#) was announced as the Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Energy. His constituency bio is [here](#). The Parliamentary Assistant will also be invited for an introduction to the IESO and control room overview soon, as his schedule permits.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.
Many thanks,
David

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From: Thibeault, Glenn (ENERGY)
Sent: February 5, 2018 11:32 AM
To: @ENERGY All <ENERGY-All2@msgov.gov.on.ca>
Subject: Update from Ministry of Energy - Chief of Staff

Good Day All,

I am happy to inform you that the Ministry of Energy has a new Chief of Staff.

Mike Feenstra has taken on the role of my Chief of Staff; with his first day on the job being today.

Mike comes to the Ministry of Energy with much experience running complex files and dealing with important issues – as he was doing so on a daily basis as the Chief of Staff to Minister Michael Gravelle at Northern Development and Mines for 3 years. Prior to his role as Chief of Staff, Mike has held various positions in both Policy and Communications at MNDM, OMAFRA, Education, and MNRF.

Mike has been instrumental in helping guide our government on important issues like the Ring of Fire Development, Ontario's Mineral Development Strategy, Modernizing the Mining Act, along with working with thousands of stakeholders involved in the Northern Ontario Heritage Foundation and its resulting grants and loans. Mike's experience and expertise will help us as we continue to move forward in the Ministry of Energy on important files like the Fair Hydro Plan, Market Renewal, OEB modernization, Nuclear Refurbishment and of course any other Energy issue that arises.

I am thrilled to have Mike join the team and I am looking forward to working with him as we continue to move forward on our agenda.

I also want to thank Landon Tresise, James Berry and Matt Whittington – my 3 directors who stepped up while we searched for a replacement for Andrew Teliszewsky. Each of them handled the issues we experience every day with professionalism and knowledge. I am blessed to have such a strong team and I know Mike is an added bonus to this team.

Please help me welcome Mike to Team Energy.

Best regards,

Glenn Thibeault