From: Darryl Ross darrylondunlin@gmail.com

Subject: Re: Holmes and Ross matter Date: October 1, 2021 at 6:39 PM

To: Alison Boyce Alison.Boyce@mannlawyers.com

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Dear Ms. Boyce,

I note Ms. Holmes recent allegations, but fail to see any matters of fact. I had intended to respond to each false or misleading allegation, however after reviewing past allegations and decisions made by Ms. Holmes I am concerned by the pattern that is apparent. It is one of unfounded or misleading allegations to justify unilateral decisions that ignore the current order, or the same in reverse. Either way it is not at all apparent the well being of my daughters is the foremost concern.

I agree that what is relevant is what matters to a determination of what is in the best interest of our children. To continue otherwise does not further this goal. It is my position that it in fact works against this goal.

Given Ms. Holmes fervent position, making progress does not appear possible at this time. And in the context of Ms. Holmes respect of custody and access pursuant the standing Order, it does not appear likely in the future.

We have both been participants in the patterns that have left little room for consideration of what is of essential concern.

I am seeking a way to move toward the only thing that matters, which fully includes substance use disorder, treatment, recovery, and my ability to ensure my daughters well-being is not compromised in my care.

I note that my request for availability was ignored. I continue to seek suitable counsel as soon as possible to address the issues I have raised in this and previous correspondence. The fact that I do not presently have counsel does not justify Ms. Holmes present position, a complete denial of any and all contact, and I hope that Ms. Holmes might see that sharing information, even the most basic information, might be in the interest of our daughters.

As per my previous communication I ask that the information I have requested by provided independent of disclosure. I also ask that Ms. Holmes follow the orders concerning custody and access pursuant to the Order of Justice Kershman (inclusive of previous orders) independent of disclosure. Kindly provide a response by Oct. 5 as to whether or not these requests are being considered or not.

Regards, Darryl

On Sep 27, 2021, at 1:41 PM, Alison Boyce < Alison.Boyce@mannlawyers.com > wrote

Dear Mr. Ross,

Enclosed, please find my correspondence with today's date.

As an essential service, we are still operating and are here to assist you, while respecting Provincial guidelines to ensure the health and safety of our staff and community. Please visit our COVID-19 Resource page for answers to frequently asked questions, other useful information and important links.

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