

Instructions for Letter-Writing to the BC Premier

There are two alternatives:

Use the attached Information Page to write your own letter.

Or, use the attached Template Letter, which has the format and content provided.

If using the Template, personalize it if you wish; then copy and paste it into an e-mail.

If you are writing your own letter:

Address your letter to: Premier David Eby
Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC
V8V 1X4

Salutation: Dear Mr. Eby

In the Body of your letter: Express your concern that climate change is advancing rapidly, and that BC's plans for the expansion of LNG production in the province are ***incompatible with achieving BC's greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets.*** You could then include any of the material in the Information page, 'Climate Change and the BC government'. Or you can skip this and jump to the actions you want the BC government to take.

Urge the Premier to take these actions:

- * Commit to reducing BC's GHG emissions by 7.5% per year below 2007 levels, a 60% reduction by 2030, which is consistent with what science and justice demands;
- * Invest 2% of BC's GDP to advance the zero-emissions economy, and create tens of thousands of new jobs;
- * Rapidly wind down fossil fuel production and use;
- * End all subsidies and financial incentives to the oil and gas sector;
- * Commit to protecting BC's remaining 2.6 million hectares of old-growth forests, permitting logging only in secondary, previously-logged forests.

Say that you would appreciate receiving a reply.

End the letter with: Respectfully; or Yours sincerely; followed by your name, your community and postal code (Postal code is important)

E-mail your letter – your own or the Template – to the Premier: <premier@gov.bc.ca>

With a copy (cc) to BC Environment Minister, Hon. George Heyman: <ENV.Minister@gov.bc.ca>

Also, a copy (cc) to our MLA, Mr. Greg Kylo: <greg.kylo.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

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If you send your letter as a hard copy by post: Print out your letter, or use the Template;

Write the date at the top; If writing your own letter, address it to: Premier David Eby

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Victoria, BC, V8V 1X4

Sign the letter, and below, add your name, community, and postal code. Mail it to the above address.

You could also photocopy your letter and mail copies to: The Hon. George Heyman, and Mr. Greg Kylo.
The address for both is: Parliament Buildings, Victoria, BC, V8V 1X4. **Postage is necessary.**