

Respected BC NDP Veteran David Bieber Joins Counsel Public Affairs

VANCOUVER, October 20, 2017 - Brad Lavigne, Counsel Public Affairs Vice President - Western Canada, today announced the addition of David Bieber to Counsel's team of government relations and public relations experts.

"David is a fantastic addition to our growing team," said Lavigne. "Not only does he understand BC's new government, he has the public affairs experience to ensure client success."

David joins Counsel after 8 years as the government relations director of the Health Sciences Association, a British Columbia union representing over 18,000 highly-trained members working at every level of the health care system. He has worked with civic, provincial and federal political leaders, labour unions in B.C. and political parties in Europe, Asia and the Middle East.

David worked for the BC New Democratic Party for over 12 years, including six years as Director of Communications.

"Counsel has quickly become the 'go-to' firm for government and public relations services in British Columbia," said Counsel President Phillip Dewan. "The addition of David to the team ensures that as we grow in Western Canada, we can continue to provide outstanding service to our clients."

David will be based in Vancouver.

With offices in Vancouver, Edmonton, Ottawa and Toronto, Counsel Public Affairs is one of Canada's leading public affairs agencies, recognized for its expertise in government and public relations and strategic communications.

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