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Wednesday, April 27th, 2023

Dear Dale, ITP Sports

I'll answer your questions, #1 - #7 as noted below.

I've also attached a photo of an email I received from Ms Sarah Coyle, MSW, RSW, 'Sexualized Violence Prevention and Response' Manager, Thompson Rivers University (TRU), denying me sexual assault counselling and citing 'we have determined that this does not fall under the scope of our policy', they refer me to their policy and the encourage me to reach out to other community agencies.

I'm an alumni at TRU and I'd already been denied sexual assault counselling by the 'Kamloops Sexual Assault Counselling Centre', Monday, July 13th, 2020, so I felt their words were hollow and unhelpful to a sexual assault survivor.

As you know Nancy Greene Raine was appointed as TRU's First Chancellor.

1) At the time of the incident, I was not involved with Alpine Canada.

As a young child, I was a ski racing participant in the Nancy Greene Ski League at Harper Mountain Ski area located near Kamloops, BC and when my children were interested in skiing, we enrolled them in the Harper Mountain Ski Club and I took the necessary training (mentorship) to become an Alpine Canada ski coach myself.

2) What was Nancy Greene's role

Nancy Greene Raine is the 'Director of Skiing', an employee of the Sun Peaks Resort Corp (Nippon Cable), a spokesperson for the resort and Tourism Sun Peaks p

Per conversations I've had with Nancy, I understand she's hired to speak at events around Canada & was listed on the 'Speakers Bureau of Canada'. In New Zealand and Australia while I was traveling with Nancy Greene Raine, she and I were suppose to be promoting Sun Peaks Resort 1st, selling the vacation experience before promoting our individual resort rental property's, ie Nancy Greene Cahilty Lodge, although I often heard her promoting herself and lodge to Kiwis and Aussies.

3) who paid for the promotional trip to New Zealand ?

From a previous conversation I had with Al Raine (Nancy's husband), he believed she was the

biggest draw at Sun Peaks Resort, he was a Director of Tourism Sun Peaks and therefore all of her expenses were to be covered by Tourism Sun Peaks and in 1999, both Al and Nancy's travel expenses were picked up by Tourism Sun Peaks.

Although I was an elected Tourism Sun Peaks' Board of Director, I traveled at my own expense and I received no financial assistance from Tourism Sun Peaks

4) I'm unaware there were any contracts signed with Alpine Canada or any other entity.

I was also involved with a secondary promotion that I paid to attend in '2000', BC DOWNUNDER, which was a Tourism British Columbia promotion in Sydney, NSW, Darling Harbour, however Nancy wasn't there nor was there anyone else from Sun Peaks Resort.

5) I was a member of the Sun Peaks Resort promotional team, a Tourism Sun Peaks member and an elected Tourism Sun Peaks Director (Non-Hotel Lodging Sector), a representative for those stakeholders at Sun Peaks Resort who owned townhouse, condo or chalet outside of a hotel environment that wanted to do nightly rentals.

6) Nancy Greene's role would have been to promote the resort first and foremost, however I believe she promoted her hotel interest first and had Tourism Sun Peaks members (rate payers) cover her expenses

Nancy's role at the time would have been assigned by Mike Duggan, Executive Director of Tourism Sun Peaks, however it's Al Raine who directs Mike Duggan what to do / say.

7) there was no official reporting relationship between Nancy Greene and I, however she let it be known to me that she's the boss and that I should just follow her lead. For example, when I was checking into my economy flight to New Zealand at YVR (Vancouver airport), she took me to the Air Canada customer service desk and she arranged for me to sit beside her on the flight in First Class. I appreciated the flight upgrade.

Please let me know if there's any other information you require.

Regards
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From: Sarah Coyle scoyle@tru.ca
Subject: Policy
Date: December 10, 2020 at 3:38 PM
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Good afternoon Ryan,

After reviewing your materials we have determined that this does not fall under the scope of policy.

https://www.tru.ca/_shared/assets/BRD_25-0_Sexualized_Violence40359.pdf

I want to encourage you to reach out to other community agencies if you are in need of support. Victim Link would be a great place to start.

VictimLink BC: 1-800-563-0808

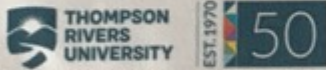
VictimLink BC provides information and referral services to all victims of crime and immediate crisis support to victims of family and sexual violence, including victims of human trafficking exploited for labour or sexual services. Victim service workers can provide information and referrals to all victims of crime crisis support to victims. Even if you're not sure if you have been a victim of crime, you can call VictimLink BC at 1-800-563-0808 for assistance. Your call will be completely confidential. All VictimLink BC staff are trained victim service workers and can connect people to a network of community, social, health, justice and government resources, including victim services, transition houses, and counselling resources. They also provide information on the justice system, relevant federal and provincial legislation and program crime prevention, safety planning, protection order registry, and other resources as needed.

Warmest Regards,

Sarah Coyle, MSW, RSW

Sexualized Violence Prevention and Response Manager

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On Apr 27, 2022, at 11:24 AM, Dale Sheehan <dsheehan@itpsport.ca> wrote:
Dear Ryan

In regards to the complaint can you please provide the following information

- 1) at the time of the allegation, what was your role with Alpine Canada
- 2) what was Nancy Greene's role (if you know)
- 3) who paid for the promotional trip to New Zealand? (Is Alpine Canada / Tourism Canada etc)
- 4) were there any contracts signed with Alpine Canada or other entity for this

promotional trip?

5) what was your defined role for the mission and who assigned it?

6) what was Nancy Greene's defined role and who assigned it

7) was there any reporting relationship between you and Nancy Greene (ie supervisor, peer etc)

I understand you may have provided some of this, however I am seeking clarity from my part as we proceed

Thank you again for understanding

Dale

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