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Hon. Linda Reid Schools ASTTBC on Role of Speaker of the Legislature

ASTTBC CEO John Leech presented MLA Linda Reid, Speaker of the BC Legislature, one of ASTTBC's eagle feathers carved by Salish artist Len McKay

The Honourable Linda Reid (MLA for Richmond East) reviewed with ASTTBC CEO John Leech the roles and responsibilities of the Speaker of the BC Legislature. "I have a basic level understanding of the working of the BC legislature, but did not know a lot about the Speaker's role. Linda was kind enough to walk me through key elements of her job," said Leech. ASTTBC's CEO has known and worked with Linda since she was first elected in 1991… 23 years!

"Linda Reid has come to know ASTTBC and its role as a professional regulatory body. She has also taken a keen interest in ASTTBC's work to advance technology education and careers and efforts to engage more fully with First Nations and grow the approximately 10% female membership in ASTTBC," Leech continued. "She is a hard worker and is, as far as I can see, very well regarded by all Members of the Legislature. When I think of Linda the phrase 'put more in than you take out' comes to mind." During his visit with Linda John also updated her on the work between ASTTBC and APEGBC, the status of the ASTTBC - APEGBC Joint Board and ASTTBC's interest in implementing PTech in British Columbia.

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