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Minister John Yap Exchanges Notes with ASTTBC's John Leech

Minister of State for Multiculturalism, John Yap (MLA for Richmond-Steveston), and ASTTBC's Executive Director, John Leech, met recently in the Minister's office to exchange information on the work of the Ministry and to review ASTTBC's recent initiatives in support of Internationally Trained Professionals (ITP). John referenced ASTTBC's work:

- * recent meetings with ITPs at many centres in BC
- * development of a mentoring scheme
- * creation of a new web site for ITPs
- * consideration of an 'alternate-to-formal-education' concept
- * participation in Premier's mission to SE Asia (John Leech participated in meetings in Philippines)

Minister Yap spoke about a recent report prepared by the Ministry.

For info on the Minister: <http://www.leg.bc.ca/mla/39thParl/yapJ.htm>