Recommendation to the Board

Subject: **PAC check list for Fall** – work with Dietitians of Canada

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Recommendation:

That the Board of Directors or a committee of the board, work with the Dietitians of Canada seeking their input on a school start up check list for PAC presidents.

Background:

At the DASH Conference in November, I spoke with Estelle Dufresne, RD.
She is the Dietitians of Canada coordinator of School Guidelines Support Initiative. Her office is in Vancouver. She would really like to work with BCCPAC to add a few things about health to a list that BCCPAC may put together for PAC presidents.
The webpage listed on her business card is www.brandnamefoodlist.ca a great resourse for all PACs as they struggle to serve healthy foods. I would like to encourage this relationship.

Summary:

I have forgotten most of the details but she did tell me that she has contact BCCPAC. I don't know what has happened to that. I feel if we were to put together a list for PAC presidents it could not hurt to have input from this group. The ideas that we talked about at the time were simple and would fit with our goals and we could possibly tap into some of their fund to help with distribution as they were going to put together a list and distribute it themselves.