



SENATE
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EARL BELCOURT
Applicant

and

MÉTIS NATION BRITISH COLUMBIA CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER
Respondent

ELECTORAL APPEAL
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE SENATE

To: EARL BELCOURT

To: MÉTIS NATION BRITISH COLUMBIA CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

From: MÉTIS NATION BRITISH COLUMBIA SENATE

- Pre-Election Appeal
 Electoral Result Appeal

In the matter of Earl Belcourt and his Notice of Appeal to the Senate (the “Appeal”) dated September 24th, 2008, please be notified that the Appeal has been:

- accepted** for processing
 rejected for processing

One issue was identified in the Appeal application, this being;

1. Malicious or objectionable practice by the presidential candidate Bruce Dumont.

The application was rejected, as it was determined by the Senate that:

1. The timeliness for the submittal of a pre-election appeal was inappropriate.
2. The submission of the pre-election appeal almost two-weeks after the incident and the general election, appears to be vexatious in nature.

Dated at Kelowna, British Columbia, this 25th day of September, 2008

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "L. J. [unclear]", is written over a horizontal line.

Interim Senate Clerk