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re: Ritchie - Assoc.

- ① \$1.4 million spent in 18+ 6 mos. Reasonable to expect it will continue for another year at a total cost of perhaps .4 million.
- ② Ritchie and Assoc. American Co. based in L.A. Why an American co being paid with taxpayers \$.
- ③ Who is funding this operation?
  - Not UBC operating budget
  - Is it from McBeer's office?
  - Is this a continuation of Soored's continuing policy of eroding quality education in B.C.