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CAUTION: External Message

To the Nanaimo Ladysmith school board trustees.

Please do not mandate vaccinations for students and staff in our school district. This is violating our teacher's fundamental rights, specifically, section 7 of the Charter of Rights and Freedoms for the teachers. These teachers have been front line working throughout this pandemic, continuing to teach our children. To my knowledge, none of the School Board Trustees are health professionals or research scientists in the field of epidemiology, immunology, or infectious disease; nor are they privy to the specific medical history of school staff and students. I find it highly inappropriate that school board trustees are being put in a position to even be considering dispensing medical advice, such as vaccine mandates.

I feel very strongly about this issue. I do not wish our School Board to allow this kind of dangerous precedent to be set. I am sorry that you have been put in this position.

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