TABLE 1.1 BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Ministry of Children and Family Development/The Minister of State for Child Care^a Ministry of Education Lead Ministries Ministry of Health **Related Ministry** Ministry of Advanced Education, Skills and Training **ECE Supervisory** n/a Unit Child Care BC Caring For Kids, Lifting up Families: The Path to Universal Child Care (February Policy Early Years Service Framework (June 2018)° Framework Early Learning Framework (June 2018)d Early Care and Learning Recruitment and Retention Strategy (September 2018) Child Care BC Act (current to June 17, 2020)e Community Care and Assisted Living Act Child Care Licensing Regulation (includes amendments up to B.C. Reg. 118/2020, June 1, 2020)f Child Care Subsidy Act (current to June 17, 2020)9 Child Care Subsidy Regulation (last amended May 14, 2020 by B.C. Reg. 104/2020)^h Legislation School Act [RSBC 1996] c.412. (current to June 17, 2020) Teachers Act [SBC 2011] (current to June 17, 2020) and related regulations^k Independent School Act [RSBC 1996] (current to June 17, 2020) and related regulations last amended April 30, 2020 by B.C. Reg. 92/2020 First Nations Education Act (2007) (current to June 17, 2020)^m Related B.C. Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples Act Legislation Kindergarten and StrongStart BC early learning programs: 60 school districts including the Conseil **Local Service** scolaire francophone, plus independent schools (for Kindergarten only)ⁿ Delivery Licensed child care: Independent providers licensed by 5 Regional Health Authorities° The Provincial Child Care Council® Community/ Sector Oversight School Planning Councils^q Government of British Columbia. Child and Family Development. Retrieved from: https://news.gov.bc.ca/ministries/children-and-familydevelopment/child-care/factsheets Government of British Columbia. Child Care B.C. Caring For Kids, Lifting up Families: The Path to Universal Child Care (February 2018). Retrieved from: https://www.bcbudget.gov.bc.ca/2018/childcare/2018 Child Care BC.pdf Government of British Columbia. Early Years Service Framework (June 2018). Retrieved from: https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/familysocialsupports/caring-for-young-children/how-parents-can-support-young-children/provincial-office-for-early-years

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