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Subject: Case Status Review (Initial Hearing) After Opening a Formal Investigation,  
PDC Case 74277

Dear Mark Lamb, counsel for The Leadership Council:

After conducting a preliminary review and assessment of a complaint filed July 22, 2020 concerning The Leadership Council, PDC staff opened a formal investigation and held an initial hearing, (also referred to as a case status review) on October 19, 2020, pursuant to RCW 42.17A.755, and WACs 390-37-060 and 390-37-071.

At the hearing, it was noted the case status review is not an adjudicative proceeding and RCW 42.17A.755 provides PDC staff with additional tools to resolve complaints through the use of alternatives to full, formal adjudication, or referral to the Attorney General's Office, and I am encouraging you to work with staff on resolving this matter.

If you have questions, please contact Alice Fiman, Compliance Officer, by replying to the latest staff email concerning this matter or by calling 360-586-4746.

Sincerely,

*Electronically Signed*  
*Peter Lavalley*  
*PDC Executive Director*