



DOUGLAS COLLEGE  
STUDENT SOCIETY

*inter office memo*

*to:* MARION EXMANN (B.C.G.E.U.)/RALPH STANTON, (FACULTY ASSOC.) *date:* March 14, 1983  
*from:* TIM SHEIN  
*re:* OPENING CEREMONIES (STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL)

On March 18/83, Douglas College will be officially opened by the Honorable Bill Vander Zalm. This will be an excellent opportunity for the population of the College to emphasize their reactions to the present, and future conditions of the education system.

The Student Society will be attempting a unique means of protest. It will be a "silent protest". In other words, no reaction whatsoever to Mr. Vander Zalm. We ask that you request your students and co-workers to respond to the introduction of Mr. Vander Zalm, his speech and its conclusion, with TOTAL SILENCE, no clapping, hissing, booing etc.  
NO REACTION AT ALL.

We feel this would be extremely embarrassing for the Minister and would show him that, as we receive nothing from him, then he will get nothing in return.

Please spread this idea as much as possible and ask that it be kept quiet until March 18, in order for us to maintain the element of surprise.

Thankyou for your co-operation.

*Tim*