



QUICK FACTS

Fact 1

Richards Buell Sutton LLP is BC's oldest law firm, established in 1871

Fact 2

Founding Member of PRAC (Pacific Rim Advisory Council)

Fact 3

Honoured as one of the 21 Pioneer Enterprises of the City (Centennial Celebrations of Vancouver City 1886-1986)

Fact 4

Vancouver office Managing Partner is Mark Baron, and Surrey office Managing Partner is Angela Spanjers

Fact 5

RBS is a regional firm with over 50 lawyers and 4 registered Trademark Agents

Fact 6

We have been university solicitors since 1908, when we helped draft the original University Act, establishing The University of British Columbia

Fact 7

Richards Street, downtown Vancouver, is named after Albert Norton Richards, the founding member of the firm

Fact 8

Albert Norton Richards was the second Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia from 1876 to 1881

Fact 9

From 2009 - 2019, our lawyers and staff have proudly volunteered 1000+ hours of their time and donated





over \$210,000.00 to the Vancouver Food Bank allowing for the purchase over \$600,000.00 worth of nutritious food to those in need

Fact 10

Nearly half of our current partners articulated with the firm

Fact 11

Number of languages spoken in the firm - 20 - Cantonese, Czech, Farsi, French, German, Gujarati, Hindi, Hungarian, Italian, Korean, Mandarin, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Punjabi, Slovak, Spanish, Swedish, Tagalog and Ukrainian

Fact 12

16% of our firm members have been with RBS for 20 years or longer

Fact 13

75% of our entire RBS staff including lawyers is female

Fact 14

In 2020, we merged with Manthorpe Law Offices and opened a second office in Surrey, BC



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