



RICHARDS  
BUELL  
SUTTON  
*Established in 1871*

## 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

Managing Partner is Jeff Lowe, Q.C.

### Fact 5

RBS is a regional firm with over 40 lawyers and 3 registered trade-mark 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

In 2011 - RBS had more than 40 firm representatives volunteering at the startline of the RBC GranFondo



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### **Fact 10**

In 2010 - more than 75% of our firm members participated in monthly volunteer initiatives at the Greater Vancouver Food Bank

### **Fact 11**

From 2009 to present, our firm has donated nearly half a million dollars in food value to the Greater Vancouver Food Bank (GVFB). The GVFB maximizes contributions made by purchasing three times worth of food for every dollar donated.

### **Fact 12**

Of our 17 partners - 10 articulated with the firm

### **Fact 13**

Number of languages spoken in the firm - 15 - Cantonese, Chinese, Farsi, French, German, Gujarati, Hindi, Hungarian, Japanese, Kiswahili, Mandarin, Norwegian, Portuguese, Spanish and Sign Language (American)

### **Fact 14**

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



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