

# STATEMENT

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Office of the Auditor General of British Columbia

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## **Statement from the Office of the Auditor General**

VICTORIA – Auditor General Carol Bellringer has released the following statement regarding submitting her resignation, for personal reasons, effective Dec. 31, 2019:

“I submitted my formal resignation to Speaker Darryl Plecas on Sept. 24, 2019. My term will officially come to an end on Dec. 31, 2019.

“I have been honoured to serve as B.C.’s auditor general since 2014 and would like to assure all members of the legislative assembly and the public that I will be available to assist with the transition until Dec. 31 and afterwards. The Office of the Auditor General has a strong workforce in place to support changes and its highly professional, skilled staff will ensure that the important work of the office continues as outlined in the Operational, Service and Coverage Plans.”

Note: At this time, interviews on this matter are not being taken.

### **About the Office of the Auditor General of British Columbia**

The auditor general is a non-partisan, independent officer of the legislature who reports directly to the legislative assembly. The Auditor General Act empowers the auditor general and staff to conduct audits, report findings and make recommendations.

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