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Mayor Lisa Helps 1 Centennial Square Victoria, BC V8W 1P6 MAYOR'S OFFICE SEP 2 3 2016 VICTORIA, B.C.

Dear Mayor Helps:

Thank you for your correspondence, dated April 27, 2016, in which you have expressed the City of Victoria's support for a national conversation on a Basic Income Guarantee. I apologize for the delay in responding.

As you may know, Minister Duclos, Minister of Families, Children, and Social Development, and Minister Mihychuk, Minister of Employment, Workforce Development and Labour, are the lead Ministers with respect to a federal strategy for poverty reduction. As a dialogue on Basic Income Guarantee may fall under this initiative, I have taken the liberty sharing a copy of your correspondence for their consideration.

Respectfully,

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The Honourable Jody Wilson Raybould

c.c.: Honourable Jean-Yves Duclos, Minister of Families, Children, and Social Development; Honourable MaryAnn Mihychuk, Minister of Employment, Workforce Development, and Labour

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