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Mr., John Traversy Secretary General CRTC Ottawa, ON K1A ON2

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Re: Broadcasting Notice of Consulation CRTC 2013-19 Application No. 2012-1051-7 & 2012-0689-7

Dear Mr. Traversy,

On behalf of the residents of St. Catharines, I am pleased to offer my support to the above noted application for the license renewal of *Avis de Recherche (ADR)* and the resubmission to license *All Points Bulletin TV (APB)*.

The value of these applications to the public as well as to our police services cannot be emphasized enough. This network ensures timely and wide exposure of information vital to the safety and protection of our citizenry. It also serves as an effective communication tool for law enforcement to solicit information from the public to assist them in their investigations.

The success of the ADR channel has enhanced public safety. With the addition of the APB channel, there will be coverage available to all Canadians in both official languages and an increased scope and accessibility to information by all law enforcement agencies across Canada.

Yours truly,

Brian McMullan

Mayor