## Victims of Homicide of Edmonton Support Society #86 – 11905 111 Ave Edmonton, AB T5G 0E4

Secretary General, John Travers CRTC Ottawa, ON K1A 0N2

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Dear Sir,

We are writing on behalf of the Victims of Homicide of Edmonton Support Society, in support of the proposal to make Avis de Recherche TV, with a proven success in Quebec, also available to Albertans. We welcome any additional opportunity to assist families, professionals and everyone else touched by murder, to cope with its aftereffects. It is our understanding that ADR TV, as result of its programming, will help both survivors of homicide as well as the public to feel safer and integrate their loss into their lives. In particular, locating suspects goes a long way to help victims of homicide cope with the loss of their loved ones.

Our mandate is to support families of victims of homicide cope with the complicated grief that ensues the murder of their loved one. We do this through our monthly support meetings, public awareness initiatives, as well as conferences (we will hold one in April this year) for both victims and help professionals.

We wholeheartedly support bringing an English language service provided by ADR TV to our region, to make the public and the victims of crime feel safer and supported.

Sincerely,

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**Program Coordinator** 

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