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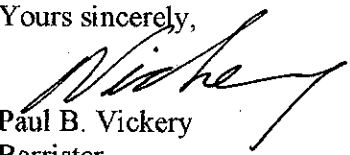
Dear Registrar:

**Re: First Nations Child and family Caring Society of Canada et al. v AGC**  
**Tribunal File No: T-1340/7008**

I write on behalf of the Attorney General of Canada in response to the panel's letter of July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022. We understand that the Assembly of First Nations has now delivered or will shortly deliver its notice of motion and supporting affidavit in this matter. Canada is now filing the affidavit of Dr. Valerie Gideon in support of the motion.

Canada has worked cooperatively with the AFN and Moushoom counsel to finalize the motion materials over the last several weeks. We apologize for the delay in filing the materials. Given the significance of the settlement and of the matters referred to in the materials Canada, together with the AFN and Moushoom counsel wished to make every effort to provide the panel with the most fulsome description and explanation of the settlement possible. Unfortunately, this took longer than expected. We very much appreciate the efforts made by the panel to make itself available and apologize for the inconvenience the delay has occasioned.

Yours sincerely,

  
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