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Ms. Suzanne Labbé
Executive Director
Judicial Compensation and Benefits Commission
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Dear Ms. Labbé:

Re: 2012 Quadrennial Commission on Judicial Compensation

Madame Labbé,

Further to my letter of March 27, 2012, we have been advised by the Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat ("TBS") that the financial information compiled on behalf of its benefit plans is annual in nature and not fiscal. As a result, the last figures TBS could provide were compiled for the 2010 calendar year. Furthermore, the average benefit these plans impart is not segregated by department, but rather is derived based on an aggregate.

Calculated in this manner, the average benefit of participation in the Public Service Health Care Plan in 2010 was \$1,537, while Public Service Dental Care Plan participation was worth \$786 in 2010.

These estimates are close to the 1.1% estimate used by OSFI that was applied in the figures used in my letter of March 27, 2012. Moreover, the estimates provided by TBS did not include the Government-paid Basic Group Life, Dependant Life and Accidental Death and Dismemberment insurance provided to judges through the Public Service Management Insurance Plan.

Yours very truly,



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