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Re: First Nations Child and Family Caring Society of Canada et al v. Attorney General of Canada - Tribunal File: T1340/7008

Dear Ms. Dubois,

We write on behalf of the Assembly of First Nations (AFN) in the above referenced matter.

This letter responds to the Tribunal's direction dated May 14, 2025, which invited joint or separate submissions from the co-complainants by June 4, 2025, on the Amended Joint Notice of Motion filed by the Chiefs of Ontario and Nishnawbe Aski Nation on May 7, 2025 (Amended Joint Motion).

The AFN takes no position on the Amended Joint Motion.

We thank the Tribunal for its attention to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned, should you have any questions or concerns.

Yours truly,

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