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Judy Dubois

Registry Operations Canadian Human Rights Tribunal 240 Sparks Street, 6th Floor West Ottawa, ON K1A 1J4

Dear Ms. Dubois,

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

We are counsel for the First Nations Child and Family Caring Society (the "Caring Society"). We ask that this correspondence please be brought to the attention of the Panel.

Enclosed please find the monthly report pursuant to 2025 CHRT 80. As noted in the report, the Caring Society has been in contact with Canada regarding its request for disclosure as well as capacity funding pursuant to the Consultation Protocol for the activities being undertaken to develop and provide the long-term reform plan contemplated in 2025 CHRT 80. There are additional issues related to capacity funding under the Consultation Protocol related to 2025/26 activities. However, given the common issues underlying these two topics related to the Consultation Protocol, the Caring Society suggests they would best be dealt with once Canada's position on capacity funding for 2025 CHRT 80 work is known.

The Caring Society is of the view that the issues of disclosure and capacity funding would benefit from discussion with the Panel at a case management conference in November. To this end, the Caring Society is requesting that consideration be given to the scheduling of a further case management conference to address these matters and any other outstanding matters in relation to 2025 CHRT 80. We note the dates proposed by the Chiefs of Ontario today in their correspondence related to the Ontario Final Settlement Agreement and would be pleased to advise the Panel of the Caring Society's availability in relation to those dates if they are open to the Panel.

Yours truly,

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