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To Whom It May Concern:

It has recently been brought to our attention that the Federal Government is conducting a review of the postal service. We are concerned with the possible implications of the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review and are strongly opposed to deregulation, as we support a universal public postal service.

Cavalluzzo Hayes Shilton McIntyre & Cornish is a medium-size law firm in Central Toronto. We have over 30 lawyers and employ more than 35 support staff. As a busy law firm, we depend on the reliable and professional service that Canada Post has always provided. We are extremely happy with the service that has been provided and our staff have cultivated a relationship with our daily letter carrier. In addition, we use the Priority Courier service frequently and have had only insignificant problems over the years. Any issue which has arisen has been quickly resolved to our satisfaction. As we have enjoyed a positive and productive interaction with Canada Post, we would not want to see it change in any way.

We are concerned that deregulation of Canada Post's services would result in reduced services with fewer jobs for postal workers, environmental degradation, and higher postal rates. A recent independent review of the United Kingdom's deregulated postal sector found that there were no significant benefits for small business. Deregulation in United Kingdom, Sweden and New Zealand has also resulted in increased the costs for postal services and a reduction in the number of employees.

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Canada Post currently provides an invaluable, affordable, and consistent service. If the focus of Canada's postal sector shifts from fulfilling public interest objectives to generating business-like profits and dividends, we fear that quality relationship with Canada Post which we have enjoyed will be threatened.

Yours very truly,

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