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Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review
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RE: Deregulation of Public Postal Service

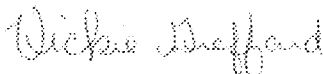
Dear Sir or Madame:

I am writing in regards to the deregulating of the Postal Service by the federal government. There are a number of concerns that arise from the issue of deregulating the Postal Service. One being the cost, will the government be able to afford to keep the rural post offices operating if they are competing with other companies for the more profitable urban and business letter dollars? Thus losing revenue, will the government be able to subsidize the rural offices or will the rural offices be closed making the distance greater for rural Canadians to obtain Postal Service.

With deregulation will the cost of services and postage see an increase? Will the mail be as secure as it is now under Canada Post? Will it be environmentally efficient to have more than one vehicle on the road going in the same direction all doing the same job that use to be served by only one (Canada Post). Will there be a decline in jobs?

Therefore we implore the CPCSRS to include in their review not only submissions from the public and groups but also to hold public hearings so the voice and opinions of the Canadian public can be heard as well as the responses from the CPCSRS. This deregulation will affect every Canadian whether they are from the rural or urban areas.

Yours Truly,



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