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Dear Mr. Brennan:

Dear Mr. Zablocki:

I have attached the Honourable Judge T.W. Achtymichuk's report to the Minister of Justice and Solicitor General regarding the public fatality inquiry into the death of Nevaeh Charette. This report will be publicly released on February 18, 2022.

The following recommendation may impact the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP):

- The RCMP change its procedures so that they connect directly with CN's Traffic Control Centre in these situations. At the end of this Inquiry, counsel for the RCMP advised that the RCMP was already making that change to its procedures.

I ask that you please advise the following:

1. Whether the RCMP accepts, accepts in principle, does not accept, or has a different response to the recommendation;
2. A brief explanation of why that decision was made; and
3. If the RCMP intends to accept the recommendation, or to implement different measures, what steps will be taken in that regard.

A response to this enquiry is not mandatory. However, be advised that any response received will be publicly released and posted on the Open Government Portal:

<https://open.alberta.ca/opendata/responses-to-public-fatality-inquiry-recommendations>.

If a response has not been received by June 20, 2022, (four months from the public release of Judge Achtymichuk's report), that information will also be made publicly available.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Yours truly,

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