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Dear Mr. Hacfele:

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If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at 867-669-2587 or at fairmanf@inac.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

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Martin: Please find attached, INAC's
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