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Minister of Finance  
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Thursday, February 11, 2021

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Re: Response to Review  
Your File: 20-150-5  
Our File: FIN 20-150-5

Dear Commissioner Steele,

Let me begin first by welcoming you to Nunavut and to your new role as Information and Privacy Commissioner. I am pleased to have a Commissioner resident in-territory, and I look forward to a positive working relationship with you and your team.

With respect to your Review Report 21-184, Department of Finance officials have reviewed your findings and have taken action to implement your recommendations. In particular, the Compensation and Benefits Division is updating procedures to ensure proper handling of private information. Additionally, the Division will make every reasonable effort to verify that correct mailing addresses are being used when sending private documents.

I am committed to ensuring that the Department of Finance upholds the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* in its work. I appreciate your feedback and recommendations related to this matter as we continuously improve our procedures in the handling of private information.

Sincerely,

George Hickes  
Minister of Finance  
Government of Nunavut