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Dear Chief Bordeleau:

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude to you for the exceptional response provided by the Ottawa Police Service and its officers to the sensitive security situation involving suspicious activity by two individuals at the Communications Security Establishment's facilities in late April.

Every step of the OPS response – from the initial meeting with our security officials and the armed officers who stood guard at our (and CSIS's) facilities, to the investigation and the ongoing advice and guidance – was comprehensive, professional and deeply appreciated.

Because of the tremendous work by the OPS and your officers, CSE's employees could be assured that they were safe and secure at our facility, allowing them to continue uninterrupted with their important work.

I would like to commend and thank all of the individual officers involved in the response, in particular:

- Inspector Mike Maloney, who met with our security officials and initiated a deterrence plan, as well as the officers who participated in the watch over CSE.
- Sergeant Arthur Wong and A/Sergeant John Drader, who provided invaluable advice and guidance on improving our security posture.
- Sergeant Peter Danyluk of Patrol Services, who ensured that neighbourhood patrol cars did frequent stops at our facility.
- Sergeant Mark Nethercott, who managed paid duty assignments quickly, and on very short notice.

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- All of the officers involved in the investigation, including Staff Sergeant Julie Vaillant, Detective Steph Quesnel, Sergeant Chris Kiez, Staff Sergeant Gary Cashing, Renée Viel, Detective Mo Amouni, Dianna McIntosh and Detective Mahad Hassan.

I also want to add a special note of thanks to Detective John Byers of your Intelligence Unit, who guided all aspects of the response and investigation with discretion and dispatch.

As I write these words, and consider the number of individuals to whom we owe our gratitude for their service and protection, I am struck by the breadth of the OPS's very dynamic response. On behalf of all of us at CSE, I want again say how appreciative and thankful we are for the professional response provided by the Ottawa Police Service.

I sincerely hope we will not again have to call on the services of your officers, but in that event, I am reassured to know that we will be in very good hands.

With kindest regards,



Greta Bossenmaier
Chief

Cc: Mr. Jim Watson, Mayor, City of Ottawa
Mr. Eli El-Chantiry, Chair, Ottawa Police Services Board