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Arlen Dumas, Grand Chief
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Re: Our sincere thanks

Dear Arlen Dumas,

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Conseil scolaire francophone de la Colombie-Britannique (CSF) and of Board of Directors of the Fédération des parents francophones de Colombie-Britannique (FPFCB) , we would like to express our very sincere thanks for the support you gave us when we appeared before the Supreme Court of Canada in Winnipeg on September 26.

This historic defence of the education rights of British Columbia's Francophone community demonstrated the solidarity and common interests of the various intervenors working in the area of equity for minority communities. The CSF and the FPFCB are conscious of the national scope the case has taken on and having you at our side as an intervenor was an enormous source of encouragement to us.

We also very much appreciated the submission made by Mr. Byron Williams and Ms. Joëlle Pastora Sala which so effectively represented the interests at stake in the case.

Sincerely,

CSF Chair – Marie-Pierre Lavoie

FPFCB Chair – Suzana Straus

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