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Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review
330 Sparks Street (HCCR)
Ottawa, Ontario
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Dear Canada Post;

Re: Urgent request for submissions to save universal, public postal service

Please find enclosed a copy of resolution passed at the regular meeting of July 8, 2008 in regards to Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review.

Yours truly,

Bev Gelech
Administrator

c.c: Canadian Union of Postal Workers

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Michayluk-Paus: Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review:

WHEREAS the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review, which was launched by the federal government on April 21, 2008, is looking at deregulating our public post office (i.e reducing or removing Canada Post's exclusive privilege on letters)

WHEREAS it will become increasingly difficult for our public post office to provide affordable service to everyone, no matter where they live, if the government erodes or eliminates the very mechanism that funds universal postal service – the exclusive privilege.

WHEREAS postal deregulation in other countries has led to post office closures, less service, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small businesses.

WHEREAS the government is not holding public hearings as part of its strategic review or adequately consulting with the real owners of the post office – the public.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Balcarres send a letter or submission to the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review opposing deregulation of Canada Post and insisting that the government hold public hearings and properly consult with the true owners of Canada Post – the Public.