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Yvon Leblanc Warden Municipality of the District of Clare 1185 Highway 1 Little Brook, NS BOW 1ZO

Via email: cao@munclare.ca

Dear Mr. Leblanc:

Thank you for your correspondence dated February 5, 2025, regarding the Municipality of the District of Clare's request to augment the policing resources of the H Division Royal Canadian Mounted Police's (RCMP) Meteghan Detachment by two officers, along with the confirmation of the municipality's financial commitment effective April 1, 2025.

I am pleased to inform you that the request to increase the policing resources at the RCMP's Meteghan Detachment by two officers has been approved. This decision aligns with the findings of the resourcing review conducted by the RCMP and will ensure the provision of an adequate level of policing within the Municipality of Clare. I trust that the RCMP will endeavor to fill these positions promptly following the effective date of April 1, 2025. Additionally, a request will be submitted to Public Safety Canada from my office to correspondingly increase the strength of the Provincial Police Service.

Sincerely,

Becky Druhan

Attorney General and Minister of Justice

cc: Assistant Commissioner Dennis Daley, Commanding Officer "H" Division RCMP