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National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls PO Box 500, Station A Vancouver, BC V6C 2N3 b.zandberg@mmiwg-ffada.ca

Attention: Registrar

VIA EMAIL

Dear Mr. Zandberg,

Thank you for the opportunity to submit evidence on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan for purposes of the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls. Saskatchewan provides this package of information to assist in informing the Commissioners as to existing data, programs, services, and policies and to assist in the completion of the final report. The package is being provided pursuant to Rule 33 of the Legal Path and the Practice Directive (para. 9) *Public Submission of Information to the Record Outside of Witnesses.* In addition to assisting with the Commissioners' work, it is significant for Saskatchewan that this evidence will be made available to the parties with standing, as it is an opportunity for the parties to review existing services and provide their submissions with the benefit of this knowledge.

The package includes detailed information about reports, commissions, policies, programs, and services related to Health, Education, Housing, Labour Markets, the Public Service Commission, Corrections, Justice, Coroners, and Policing. There is also statistical information, drawn from publicly available Statistics Canada data, about Saskatchewan's demographic composition and the significance of the Indigenous population in our province. Rather than provide individual packages for each ministry or agency, we have collected the information into one package to make it easy to reference.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this.

Yours sincerely,

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