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Mr. John Duggan
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Dear Mr. Duggan:

I am writing further to your letter of March 11, 1982, in which you brought to my attention concerns of the Gays of Ottawa in relation to new policies for the Security Service.

I have considered your various suggestions and am sympathetic to what I understand to be the basic concerns underlying them. As I noted in my correspondence to Mr. Orr of January 15, 1981, I hope to establish a new file destruction policy for the Security Service, and although work on the policy is not yet complete, significant progress has been made in this area. I can assure you that I am working as expeditiously as possible towards arriving at new policies for the civilian security agency which the Government has decided to create, as recommended by the McDonald Royal Commission.

In the meantime, I have sent copies of your correspondence to both the Director General of the Security Service and Mr. Gibson, Head of the Security Intelligence Transition Group, so that they are made fully aware of your concerns.

Yours truly,

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BOB KAPLAN

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