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The Honourable Bob Kaplan  
Solicitor General of Canada  
Room 507 CB  
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Dear Bob:

Thank you for your letter of January 18 last concerning the (security clearance policy) as it applies to the RCMP Security Service. While I appreciate the fullness of your reply, I did not receive a specific reply to the question I asked of your colleague M. Yvon Pinard. Those questions were as follows:

1. Is homosexuality a barrier to the issuance of a security clearance to present members of the RCMP Security Service?
2. Is homosexuality a barrier to an individual being hired by the RCMP Security Service?

If the answer to either of these questions is yes, please explain the basis for this policy.

Sincerely yours,

*[Signature: S. Robinson]*  
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