

MEMORANDUM

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The Minister and
The Associate Minister

EQUALITY RIGHTS ISSUES

Ref: CDS Memorandum dated 30 Aug 85 Subject
Update on Work of Equality Rights Subcommittee

1. The paper referred to in ref A is enclosed. It includes the CF position on the employment of women in combat units and the enrolment and retention of homosexuals and outlines the legal problems associated with our position vis-à-vis the Charter of Rights and Freedoms.
2. Before we continue our efforts it will be helpful if the Minister would review our position on both of these policies and give an indication of how he intends to proceed.
3. I will be pleased to discuss these matters and to provide any additional information that may be considered necessary.

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