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Mr. Pierre Poilievre
House of Commons
437C Centre Block
Ottawa, Ontario
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Dear Mr. Poilievre:

This is in response to your email of February 16, 2017, indicating that it appeared you did not have all the material concerning your request following receipt of the information disclosed to you on January 18, 2017 pursuant to the *Access to Information Act* for copies of:

“All documents provided to the National Capital Commission in their Ottawa Hospital Site Review, including, but not limited to, briefing notes, emails, correspondence, and analysis of the sites on the Central Experimental Farm. Please also include documents related to the status of the Sir John Carling Site (site #11 in the NCC's review), including potential or actual contamination concerns and the total cost to remediate or prepare the Carling Site for the Hospital's construction.”

As a result of your inquiry, please find enclosed additional information that has been supplied. To maintain continuity with the original disclosure, the documents have been numbered 859 to 862. I apologize for any inconvenience that may have resulted from this oversight.

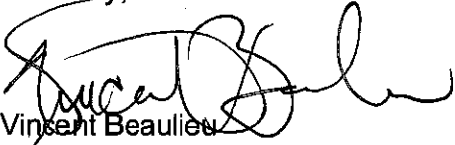
Furthermore, in response to your questions noted in your February 16, 2017 email, please be advised that there was little to no consultation with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) on the site review performed by the NCC. As for the Sir John Carling site (site #11), it is owned by Public Services and Procurement Canada thus AAFC has not provided any records to the NCC with regards to its contamination, options for remediation and costs associated with it.

If you feel that your request was not properly handled, the *Access to Information Act* allows you to ask the Information Commissioner of Canada to investigate on your behalf within sixty (60) days of receiving this letter. For more information, visit: <http://www.oic-ci.gc.ca/eng/lc-cj-logde-complaint-deposer-plainte.aspx>.

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This completes the Department of Agriculture and Agri-Food's response to your request. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Margarita Idone at 613-773-0845 or by email at margarita.idone@agr.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Vincent Beaulieu', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Vincent Beaulieu
Director, ATIP and Translation Services

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