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**Subject:** 2020 Quadrennial Commission - June 10, 2020 Ruling Respecting Request for Deferral  
of Inquiry Commencement Date

Dear Mr. Shannon,

The following is in response to your letter, dated July 2, 2020, sent on behalf of the Canadian Superior Courts Judges Association, the Canadian Judicial Council, the Federal Court Prothonotaries and the Government (collectively “the Parties”).

The Commission has asked me to confirm that the Parties’ understanding of the June 10, 2020 **Ruling Respecting Request for Deferral of Commencement Date of June 1, 2020** is correct.

The December 1, 2020 date replaces the June 1, 2020 date and so it is the start date of the nine month inquiry period. It is not the date on which public hearings before the Commission would commence.

The October 31 date is the date by which the parties are requested to update the Commission on their readiness to commence the inquiry on December 1. The Commission fully expects that the inquiry will commence on December 1, 2020.

Yours truly

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