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Ms. Marguerite F. Nadeau, Q.C.  
Vice-President, General Counsel and  
Corporate Secretary  
Royal Canadian Mint  
320 Sussex Drive  
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**Re: Royal Canadian Mint  
Request for Assistance  
Unreconciled Difference of Gold and Silver Inventories (Oct. 2008)**

Ms. Nadeau:

As a result of your letter received on June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009, "A" Division Commercial Crime Section initiated an investigation regarding the unreconciled difference of gold and silver inventories. This difference was in respect of the October 2008 physical count of the precious metals holdings at your facility in Ottawa. Although you requested assistance, your internal efforts had not identified any potential criminal wrongdoing which could account for the unreconciled differences.

A thorough investigation was conducted of all investigative leads which could have conceivably supported criminal wrongdoing. Investigators also kept abreast of internal efforts initiated by the Royal Canadian Mint (Mint) in order to identify any potential investigative leads and/or explanations for the unreconciled differences.

The RCMP would like to inform the Mint that our inquiries and investigation to date do not support further effort in the continuance of a criminal investigation into this matter. A complete report will be provided to you in the near future.

We leave it up to your discretion as to whether you continue to preserve data, information and documents as was requested by our investigators subsequent to your letter requesting assistance.

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We request your continued cooperation until such time that our report is complete and communicated to you.

I would like to thank you once again for the cooperation and assistance extended to RCMP investigators.

For any information do not hesitate to contact Sgt. Corinne Scott at (613) 993-8954 or myself at (613)993-0944.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stan Burke', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Supt. Stan Burke  
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