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Mr. Robert Oliphant
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Dear Mr. Oliphant:

Thank you for your letter of October 30, 2017, regarding the study of medical inadmissibility policies being undertaken by the House of Commons Standing Committee on Citizenship and Immigration.

Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada has been consulting with provinces and territories regarding the medical inadmissibility policy since late 2016. Through this process, British Columbia (BC) has had the opportunity to review and comment on a range of options being considered by the department. We have also had the opportunity to share BC's position in writing with departmental officials and in-person at the Forum of Ministers Responsible for Immigration. At this time, BC has no additional comments on this matter.

Thank you again for writing.

Sincerely,

Bruce Ralston Minister

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Honourable Adrian Dix

Minister of Health