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## STATEMENT

### **Extension of preventative measures at the House of Commons**

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The Honourable Anthony Rota, Speaker of the House of Commons and Chair of the Board of Internal Economy, confirms that the Board has determined that the following measures will remain in effect until further notice:

- The House of Commons precinct is closed to visitors and public tours are cancelled;
- Committee travel is suspended; and
- Parliamentary functions and events in the House of Commons precinct are cancelled.

This decision was made because of the COVID-19 pandemic and to meet the ongoing recommendations issued by public health authorities.

The Board will continue to be briefed on urgent matters and will meet virtually as required.

Hon. Anthony Rota, M.P.

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