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Police operation – House will not sit on Friday, February 18

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As per the Parliamentary Protective Service's (PPS) most recent email notification, a police operation is expected to take place on Wellington Street and other locations in the downtown core of Ottawa.

Given these exceptional circumstances, and following discussion with all recognized party leadership, the sitting today is cancelled. More information will follow.

We wish to remind everyone that safety is paramount. The situation is ever-changing. The continued presence of vehicles and demonstrators associated with the convoy, alongside police operations, will impact the downtown core.

If you are not in the House of Commons precinct, **stay away from the downtown core until further notice.** The PPS will advise when it is safe to return downtown. Should you already be in the precinct, please **remain in the building and await further instructions from PPS officers.**

Please stay close to your devices and watch for updates from the PPS.

Hon. Anthony Rota, M.P.