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Mr. Yves Giroux
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Information Request: IR0656

Dear Mr. ^{Yves}Giroux,

This is in response to your letter dated October 11, 2022 in which you requested information on filers claiming capital gains exemption for the sale of a principal residence. As requested we are providing statistics broken down by the parameters provided by your analyst for tax years 2019 and 2020.

Please note that the data are subject to change as more information becomes available and further analysis is performed.

Section 241 of the Income Tax Act prohibits the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) from providing taxpayer information to the Parliamentary Budget Officer. The current provision of data is based on the premise that no taxpayer can be identified and that the Parliamentary Budget Officer and his team will not use the data to attempt to identify a taxpayer.

If desirable, CRA officials would be pleased to offer you or your officials a more detailed briefing on the table to facilitate an accurate interpretation of the statistics and to communicate any data limitations.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me or Mr. Maxime Guénette, Assistant Commissioner, Chief Service Officer, and Chief Data Officer, Service, Innovation and Integration Branch, at 613-286-4869.

Sincerely,

Bob Hamilton