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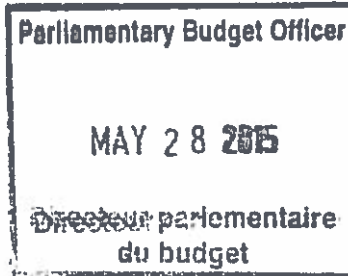
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Mr. Jean-Denis Fréchette
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Re: PBO Information Request IR0175

Dear Mr. Fréchette,

Further to my response to your October 15, 2014 information request, and subsequent to discussions between our respective officials and the Privy Council Office, this letter encloses material that responds to a series of supplemental queries by your staff pertaining to financial data and technical information in the public domain.

It is important to note that while this information is based upon a basic design package that was completed in 2013-14 the design of the vessel will continue to evolve as final equipment selections are made and production engineering work is advanced between now and the award of the construction contract.

I would like to take this opportunity to reaffirm my Department's commitment to supporting you in the execution of your mandate under the *Parliament of Canada Act*.

Sincerely,

Matthew King

c.c.: Mr. George DaPont, Deputy Minister, Public Works and Government Services Canada
Mr. Douglas Nevison, Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet, Privy Council Office, Liaison Secretariat for Macroeconomic Policy

Attachment (1): Polar Icebreaker Project – Supplemental Information