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Mr. Yves Giroux  
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Dear Mr. Giroux:

I am responding to your letter of February 15, 2019, regarding Information Request IR0410.

Please find attached the requested information, including five tables containing data for Employment Insurance sickness benefits and total Employment Insurance claims, a document explaining the data provided, and the Parliamentary Budget Offices' response form.

If you or your staff have any questions about this response, please contact Mr. Andrew Brown, Director General, Employment Insurance Policy, by email, at [andrew.brown@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca](mailto:andrew.brown@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca).

I hope you find everything to your satisfaction.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jean-Yves Duclos".

The Honourable Jean-Yves Duclos, P.C., M.P.

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