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Dear Mr. Page: *Kevin*

I am writing in response to your letter of March 5, 2010, which followed our exchange of letters of November 26, 2009 and December 8, 2009.

Please find attached the documents referred to in your most recent correspondence. These documents are being provided in the same condition as they were released under the *Access to Information Act*.

I note that these documents were not provided in response to your November 26, 2009 request for information, as they were not identified by the Department as documents which would assist in the costing of Bill C-466. The information they contain was prepared between 1999 and 2004, and so is out of date, and does not take into account the implementation of the Public Transit Tax Credit in 2006. Bill C-466 is also broader in scope than the proposals discussed in these documents, and would include costs associated with carpooling, car parking to access public transit, and bicycling as a means of commute.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns.

Yours sincerely,

Michael Horgan

Enclosures