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Dear Yves Giroux:

This is in response to your correspondence of November 21, 2022 (IR0665), in which you are requesting information regarding additional funds for the Department in Budgets and fall economic statements (or economic and fiscal updates when applicable) and allocation processes for 2018-2019, 2019-2020 and 2020-2021.

The enclosed data table presents funding announcements received in 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 through Federal Budgets from 2015 to 2019, and the 2020 Economic and Fiscal Snapshot and Fall Economic Statement. You had also requested explanations of spending and any applicable variances, however, expenditures are not tracked in the Department by funding announcements, and as such, explanations for expenditure variances by funding source is not available. In addition, the Department is not able to provide amounts of funding received in 2018-2019 by funding announcement.

If desirable, officials from Indigenous Services Canada are available to provide a briefing on the information provided to facilitate an accurate interpretation of the data and discuss any data limitations.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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The Honourable Patty Hajdu, P.C., M.P.

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