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Dear Yves Giroux:

Thank you for your correspondence dated October 20, 2022, requesting information on Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada's (IRCC's) three streams of Express Entry immigration (IR0657).

Please find enclosed IRCC's response with information that is available up to September 30, 2022. Kindly note that information has been disaggregated as requested for parts 2, 3, 4, and 5. Part 12 is broken down by Principal Applicant (PA) and Related Dependent, as well as by Express Entry stream. Part 13 and 14 are broken down by fiscal year, as this information is not available by the three Express Entry streams and not available disaggregated by PA-dependent sub-groups. For questions 15 and 16 (on average cost per client and number of clients, for settlement and pre-arrival), the Department has provided the information for economic class clients as the closest available proxy, with further disaggregation to follow. Part 17 is broken down by Express Entry stream, year, PA, and PA sub-group. A detailed breakdown of targets and projections for the number of immigrants expected is available online and is linked in our response to part 18. Please note that the Department does not yet have projections for 2026-2027, and that processing time projections for upcoming years are not available.

I appreciate our conversation last week and thank you for the extension provided until November 11, 2022, which was vital for the provision of accurate and complete information.

I hope that this information is of assistance to you in meeting your important mandate.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christiane Fox". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Christiane Fox

Enclosures