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Special Committee on Electoral Reform
Sixth Floor, 131 Queen Street
House of Commons
Ottawa ON K1A 0A6

VIA Email: erre@parl.gc.ca

Dear Committee Members:

Re: Electoral Reform

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to thank you for the opportunity to provide a written submission as part of the consultation process for the study of viable alternatives to the current federal electoral system.

The Board strongly feels that a referendum should be held prior to the implementation of any proposed changes to the current first-past-the-post voting system for federal elections. As the foundation of Canadian democracy, how we vote is not something that should be changed without the approval of the Canadian people. Canadian voters should have the final say on something as fundamental as the manner in which they elect their political representatives.

Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely,

Rob C. Gay
Chair

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