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Mr. Ronald I. Cohen
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Dear Mr. Cohen,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for providing the Commission with the CBSC's 2005/2006 Annual Report. The report, which is filed annually in accordance with Public Notice 1991-90 *Canadian Broadcast Standards Council*, demonstrates that the CBSC continues to effectively administer the industry codes of private broadcasters in the interest of supporting a high level of quality and consistency in content standards in broadcasting.

would like to commend the CBSC for:

- a) its Ethnocultural Outreach work and the progress made in reaching into communities across Canada so as to explain CBSC processes in over 38 languages
- b) its collaboration with media literacy professionals in exploring ways of bringing CBSC information tools into the classrooms of middle and high school students to teach media literacy topics such as investigative news reporting, advertising, and cultural studies, and
- c) its ongoing and valued role in supporting self-regulation.

Special recognition should also go to the volunteer adjudicators and staff and their efficiency in processing the thousands of complaints and related queries which enable the Council to fulfill its mandate.

Yours sincerely,

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