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Dear Ms. Taylor and Mr. Gill

**Regarding: Pension Solvency Funding Stakeholders Consultation**

I write you today with the hope that I may be considered to sit on the panel of stakeholders and experts in order to express my opinion on the Pension Solvency issue.

I have been a member of the Boilermakers in British Columbia since 1976. For the past 9 years I have served as Business Manager/Secretary Treasurer for the Union, I also sit as Chairman of the Board for the Boilermakers Pension Plan.

I believe it is very important that on an issue such as this, that the views of all reliable sources should be considered to help develop policy options for a comprehensive long term strategy.

I look forward to your response; I can be contacted at my office (604) 291 - 7531 or by cell phone (604) 916 - 4029.

Sincerely

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