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RE: Amendments to the Trade-marks Regulations 2014

Dear Ms. Carreau,

The Intellectual Property Institute of Canada (IPIC) is pleased to submit its comments regarding the proposed regulatory amendments to the *Trade-marks Regulations*. IPIC's trademarks committees reviewed the documents posted on your website and prepared the two enclosed documents: an overview of issues and a detailed chart. They were approved by IPIC's Council.

We thank you for this opportunity to comment on the proposed amendments. If we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our Executive Director, Michel Gérin, at 613-234-0516 or mgerin@ipic.ca.

Sincerely

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