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Ms. Catharine (Cathie) Fraser
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Dear Ms. Fraser:

Thank you for your letter of congratulations on my recent appointment as Minister of Science.

I am honoured that Prime Minister Trudeau has asked me to lead the strengthening of science in Canada, a cause especially close to my heart.

I look forward to working with my Cabinet colleagues and fostering strong relationships with Canada's world-leading universities, colleges, polytechnics and research institutions as we help to create the conditions for science in Canada to flourish. It is with great enthusiasm that I take on these new responsibilities.

Once again, thank you for your kind words.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kirsty Duncan".

The Honourable Kirsty Duncan, P.C., M.P.

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