January 29, 2010

Mr. Yvo de Boer Executive Secretary United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change P.O. Box 260124 D-53153 Bonn Germany

Dear Mr. de Boer,

I am writing to reaffirm Canada's wish to be associated with the *Copenhagen Accord*. Please find attached Canada's submission of its quantified economy-wide emissions target for 2020, pursuant to paragraph 4 of the *Accord*. Canada's emissions reduction target for 2020 will be aligned with the emissions target and base year of the United States.

Canada's submission is made with the expectation that other Annex 1 Parties, and major Non-Annex 1 Parties, will submit emissions targets and mitigation actions by January 31<sup>st</sup>, pursuant to paragraphs 4 and 5 of the *Accord*.

Canada will work constructively to implement the *Copenhagen Accord* and to support continued negotiations under the UNFCCC of a comprehensive, legally-binding climate change agreement.

Sincerely yours,

Michael Martin Chief Negotiator and

Ambassador for Climate Change

Canada

## Submission of Canada Copenhagen Accord

## **APPENDIX I**

## Quantified economy-wide emission targets for 2020

| Annex 1 Parties | Quantified economy-wide emissions targets for  |           |
|-----------------|--|-----------|
|                 | Emissions reduction in 2020  | Base year |
| Canada          | 17%, to be aligned with the final economy-wide emissions target of the United States in enacted legislation. | 2005      |