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Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review  
330 Sparks Street (HCCR)  
Ottawa, Ontario  
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Dear Sirs/Madam:

Submission to save Universal, Public Postal Service

We understand that the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review is looking at deregulating our public post office (i.e. reducing or removing Canada Post's exclusive privilege on letters). We feel that if this happens it will become increasingly difficult for our public post office to provide affordable service to everyone, no matter where they live, if the government erodes or eliminates the very mechanism that funds universal postal service - the exclusive privilege. Postal deregulation in other countries has led to post office closures, less service, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small businesses.

With such concerns being expressed, we would like to stress that we are opposing deregulation of Canada Post and insist that the government hold public hearings and properly consult with the public.

Yours truly,

**TOWN OF ST. ALBAN'S**

Genevieve Tremblett  
Town Clerk/Manager  
for The Town Council of St. Alban's