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Dear Ms. McKay:

Thank you for your letter of March 26, 2014, regarding the selection and appointment of the next Librarian and Archivist of Canada.

I am pleased to advise that, on April 14, 2014, the Minister of Canadian Heritage and Official Languages announced the appointment of Dr. Guy Berthiaume as Canada's next Librarian and Archivist, effective June 23, 2014. A copy of the news release can be found at:

<http://news.gc.ca/web/article-en.do?mthd=advSrch&ctr.page=1&ctr.dpt1D=6662&nid=838739>.

Your interest in the selection process for the position of Librarian and Archivist, and the Canadian Library Association's longstanding support for the Library and Archives of Canada, is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Wayne G. Wouters