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Claire
Dear Ms. Dansereau:

I am writing to confirm your participation as Champion of the Science and Technology Community and to thank you for agreeing to take on this responsibility. I believe this is an important role, and your leadership will no doubt contribute to our efforts to build a stronger community.

The relationship between a Deputy Minister Champion and the respective community is to a great extent determined by the two parties. In general terms, the Champion provides guidance to the community's Executive. It is also expected that the Deputy Minister Champion will generate awareness of the issue within the deputy minister community, attend public and special events and demonstrate, through action, a personal commitment to the issue. For your reference, I have attached a more detailed description of the champion role.


As you know, there is a need for renewal of the science and technology community and for encouraging innovative research and development. As champion, I would like you to work with the community to promote these objectives.

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Deputy Minister Champions are a critical support to public service wide initiatives, particularly public service renewal. I appreciate your commitment in taking on this additional responsibility.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'W. G. Wouters', written in a cursive style.

Wayne G. Wouters

Attachment

