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Ms. Tracy Porteous
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Dear Ms. Porteous:

On behalf of myself, the Board of Directors of the Police Victim Services of British Columbia (PVSBC) along with the many police based victim services leaders, staff and volunteers, we extend to you our heartfelt congratulations of your receiving the Order of British Columbia.

Your extensive commitment and passion for helping and supporting victims in all the various organizations you have worked for and lead throughout your career is exceptional. Your recognition of the need to create a voice for women's issues, particularly women facing all forms of victimization, leading to the creation of EVABC and your continued leadership as Executive Director has been inspirational to us all.

We look forward to being able to continue to work with you and your associates both at EVABC and the balance of the community-based victim services sector.

Again, our congratulations on your Order of British Columbia appointment.

Yours Truly,

Karyn French
Board President
Police Victim Services of British Columbia

cc. PVSBC Board Members
Ian P. Batey, Executive Director