Québec, November 13th, 2015

The Pierre Elliott Trudeau Foundation  
600 - 1980 Sherbrooke Street West  
Montréal, Quebec Canada H3H 1E8

Re: FNQLSDI’s support for the Catherine Potvin/Trudeau’s project “Acting on Climate Change: Indigenous innovations”.

The First Nations of Quebec and Labrador Sustainable Development Institute (FNQLSDI) fully supports the above-mentioned project, which concords with the FNQLSDI’s mission. As partners of the project (conditional to funding), we sincerely value the expected outcomes of this project, which would greatly contribute:

1) To emphasize the First Nations communities’ initiatives.
2) To develop a useful network of knowledge and capacities in order to push forward our actions on climate or environmental change.

The FNQLSDI was established in 2000 by the First Nations of Quebec and Labrador Chiefs’ Assembly in order to support the deployment of the First Nations Sustainable Development Strategy. The FNQLSDI works in partnership with the 43 First Nation communities located in the province of Quebec. The FNQLSDI’s main mission is to provide First Nations a vibrant hub services, in support of their efforts to the health of the land and its resources, to the development of sustainable communities and to the recognition of First Nations’ rights.

In hopes the Trudeau Foundation will see the value of contributing to this important project,

Best regards,

Michael Ross, Coordinator of the FNQLSDI