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The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, P.C., M.P. Prime Minister of Canada 80 Wellington Street Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0A2

Prime Minister Trudeau,

I am writing you today as chair for the Advisory Council on Alberta-Ukraine Relations out of grave concern for Ukraine.

As you know, Russia has positioned approximately 100,000 troops on Ukraine's borders and there have been reports an invasion is imminent. This follows years of Russian aggression against Ukraine, including the 2014 annexation of Crimea.

Alberta's government stands strong with Ukraine and its people. Should Russia move to invade Ukraine, whether it be a minor incursion or a full-scale invasion, Alberta supports Canada imposing the strongest sanctions possible against Russia and evoking any other actions necessary to blunt Russian force.

As chair for the Advisory Council on Alberta-Ukraine Relations and as a person of Ukrainian descent, I hold the nation and people of Ukraine near to my heart. I will continue to monitor the situation in Ukraine and hope to have open doors of communication with your government on this matter in the days to come.

Kind regards,

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