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SUBJECT  
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RCMP COMMISSIONER'S VIEWS ON GOVERNMENT POSITION  
ON SEXUAL ORIENTATION

As requested by your Chief of Staff, a reworked version of the response to the Commissioner's letter of April 30, 1986 expressing his views on the Government's position on sexual orientation has been prepared for your signature. In light of discussions which have taken place after receipt of this letter, this response is considerably more moderate and, in a spirit of consultation and cooperation, seeks the Commissioner's views on a draft Ministerial Directive which is also attached for your consideration.

As well, the Secretariat has prepared a draft interim response to a letter from your colleague, the Minister of Justice, the Honourable John Crosbie (M8824), which had asked for your proposals to ensure that the RCMP complies with the Government policy on sexual orientation.

Fred E. Gibson

Att.

*See VHT*