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Dear Ms. Madray and Co-Signatories:

Thank you for your letter of March 10, 2016, concerning the proposed Regulations for Microbeads in Personal Care Products Used to Exfoliate or Cleanse.

All comments received through the public comment period will be taken into consideration and a response to comments summary will be made available at the time of publication of the regulatory proposal. You have been added to Environment and Climate Change Canada's distribution list and will receive updates on the proposed regulations.

If you would like to have further details of the Government of Canada actions on microbeads, please visit <http://chemicalsubstanceschimiques.gc.ca/plan/approach-approche/microb-eng.php>.

Please accept my best regards.

Sincerely,

The Honourable Catherine McKenna, P.C., M.P.
Minister of Environment and Climate Change

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