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The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau,
Prime Minister of Canada
80 Wellington Street
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A2

Re: Coronavirus and Employment Benefits

Dear Prime Minister:

I am writing to you with respect to the economic hardship facing Canadians who may be placed in medical quarantine due to their possible exposure to the novel coronavirus.

In 2003, the Canadian Government waived the fourteen day waiting period for Employment Insurance for those who were medically quarantined due to the possible exposure to the SARS virus.

I am writing to ask that the Canadian Government waive the fourteen day waiting period for those who are placed in medical quarantine due to their possible exposure to the novel coronavirus.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'James Karygiannis'.

Jim Karygiannis Councillor Ward 22
Scarborough-Agincourt

CC: Jean Yip M.P. Scarborough-Agincourt
Hon. Carla Qualtrough Minister of Employment, Workforce Development and Disability
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