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To: Whom It May Concern

Re: Canwest Publishing Inc./Publications Canwest Inc., Canwest Books Inc., Canwest (Canada) Inc. (collectively, the "Applicants"), and Canwest Limited Partnership/Canwest Société en Commandite (the "Limited Partnership" and together with the Applicants, the "LP Entities")

On January 8, 2010, the Applicants sought and obtained an initial order (the "Initial Order") under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, as amended (the "CCAA"). Although not an Applicant, the protections provided by the Initial Order were extended to the Limited Partnership. The Initial Order provides, among other things, a stay of proceedings until February 5, 2010 (the "Stay Period") and may be extended by the Court from time to time. FTI Consulting Canada Inc. was appointed as monitor (the "Monitor") of the LP Entities. A copy of the Initial Order and copies of the materials filed in the CCAA proceedings may be obtained at <a href="http://cfcanada.fticonsulting.com/clp">http://cfcanada.fticonsulting.com/clp</a> or on request from the Monitor at 1-888-310-7627 or <a href="mailto:CanwestLP@fticonsulting.com">CanwestLP@fticonsulting.com</a>. The LP Entities are continuing to operate in the normal course pursuant to the terms of the Initial Order.

Pursuant to the Initial Order, all persons having oral or written agreements with an LP Entity or statutory or regulatory mandates for the supply of goods and/or services are restrained until further Order of the Court from discontinuing, altering, interfering with or terminating the supply of such goods or services as may be required by the LP Entities, provided that the normal prices or charges for all such goods or services received after the date of the Initial Order are paid by the LP Entities in accordance with normal payment practices of the LP Entities or such other practices as may be agreed upon by the supplier or service provider and each of the LP Entities and the Monitor, or as may be ordered by this Court. The Initial Order prohibits the LP Entities from making payment of amounts relating to the supply of goods or services prior to January 8, 2010, other than payments to certain critical suppliers specified in the Initial Order.

During the Stay Period, all parties are prohibited from commencing or continuing legal action against the LP Entities and all rights and remedies of any party against or in respect of the LP Entities or their assets are stayed and suspended except with the written consent of, *inter alia*, the applicable LP Entity and the Monitor, or leave of the Court.

To date, the Court has approved a claims procedure only with respect to the Senior Secured Creditors (as defined in the Initial Order) and only the Senior Secured Creditors are required to file a proof of claim at this time. All other creditors are not required to file a proof of claim at this time.

If you have any questions regarding the foregoing or require further information, please consult the Monitor's website at <a href="http://cfcanada.fticonsulting.com/clp">http://cfcanada.fticonsulting.com/clp</a>, or you can call the Monitor's Hot-line at 1-888-310-7627 or send an email to: <a href="mailto:CanwestLP@fticonsulting.com">CanwestLP@fticonsulting.com</a>.