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RE: Ontario Development Charge Rebate Program

I am writing to provide a status update on the Development Charges Rebate Program.

As announced in the Fall Economic Statement, the government has decided to cancel the program, and instead encourage new rental housing construction by exempting new units from rent control. The government also plans to launch consultations to inform an action plan to increase housing supply in Ontario.

Therefore, the ministry will not proceed to execute Transfer Payment Agreements for the Development Charges Rebate Program.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the program.

If you have any questions, please contact Sonya Rolfe, Manager of the Market Initiatives Unit at (416) 585-6153 or by email at: sonya.rolfe@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

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