

Biggs, Carolyn

From: Stuart Trew [strew@canadians.org]
Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2012 9:15 AM
To: Biggs, Carolyn
Cc: McHattie, Brian
Subject: Delegation request for General Issues Committee re: Canada-EU trade agreement

Dear Ms. Biggs,

As per Councillor McHattie's suggestion, I'd like to make a delegation request to appear at General Issues Committee regarding new information on the Canada-European Union free trade agreement and its impact on municipalities.

I appeared before GIC in fall 2012 and a resolution was passed by the City requesting an exemption from the agreement's procurement rules in December 2012. New information suggests clearly that municipal procurement will be covered by the EU agreement (see below). I would very much appreciate the opportunity to present this information to Council.

Many thanks, I look forward to hearing from you.

Stuart Trew
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