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Mr. Yvo de Boer
Executive Secretary
United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
P.O. Box 260124
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Dear Mr. de Boer,

I am writing to reaffirm Canada's wish to be associated with the *Copenhagen Accord*. Please find attached Canada's submission of its quantified economy-wide emissions target for 2020, pursuant to paragraph 4 of the *Accord*. Canada's emissions reduction target for 2020 will be aligned with the emissions target and base year of the United States.

Canada's submission is made with the expectation that other Annex 1 Parties, and major Non-Annex 1 Parties, will submit emissions targets and mitigation actions by January 31st, pursuant to paragraphs 4 and 5 of the *Accord.*

Canada will work constructively to implement the *Copenhagen Accord* and to support continued negotiations under the UNFCCC of a comprehensive, legally-binding climate change agreement.

Sincerely yours,

Michael Martin
Chief Negotiator and
Ambassador for Climate Change

Canada

Submission of Canada
Copenhagen Accord

APPENDIX I

Quantified economy-wide emission targets for 2020

Annex 1 Parties	*Quantified economy-wide emissions targets for 2020*	
	Emissions reduction in 2020	Base year
Canada	17%, to be aligned with the final economy-wide emissions target of the United States in enacted legislation.	2005