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Re: Follow-Up: Urgent Call for Progressive Cooperation

Dear colleagues,

We write again, following our March 10 letter, to emphasize the urgency of progressive cooperation. Canadians are deeply concerned about the severe consequences that a Conservative victory would have on our democracy-especially given the unprecedented threats currently posed by the extremism of the current U.S. administration, which includes direct attacks on Canada's sovereignty.

We remain the only federal party actively proposing concrete steps toward progressive cooperation in the upcoming election. Specifically, we urge your parties to join us and:

- Publicly commit now to implementing proportional representation following this election. This will ensure that Canada has a modern voting system that will strengthen our democracy and help protect us from the kind of extremism we are seeing in the U.S.
- Stop engaging in negative campaigning against other progressive parties, because these efforts only weaken progressive voices and help Conservatives win.
- Begin immediate good-faith discussions about cooperation in key ridings where a • divided progressive vote realistically risks a Conservative win.

The Green Party believes this cooperation is our responsibility as progressive leaders. Canadians deserve—and increasingly demand—clear, courageous action from their representatives to protect our country against external threats. Failure to cooperate in these extraordinary circumstances unnecessarily places Canadians at risk.

We look forward to your prompt response. Canadians deserve transparency from their political leaders: If you are unwilling to cooperate, voters have a right to clearly understand why.

Sincerely,

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