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Oral Question 520-18(3) Consultation on Sugar-Sweetened Drinks Tax

This letter is in follow-up to the Oral Question you raised on February 7, 2019 regarding Consultation on the Sugar-Sweetened Drinks Tax.

During our discussion, you raised the issue of public awareness surrounding the Sugar-Sweetened Drinks Tax consultation and potential efforts to engage residents of the Northwest Territories by providing adequate and updated information on the Department of Finance website.

In response, the department of Finance has prepared a Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Tax Proposal "What We Heard Report" which will be released publically so northern residents can be made aware of the results of consultation efforts, current progress relating to this initiative and future direction.

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