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Dear Mr. Kakfwi,

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This is just a note of encouragement from one of the many people who support your new policy on Government housing in the NWT. I know you have been receiving many complaints and much whining and crying from Government workers in the North recently, and I want to let you know that there are many people who support your decision.

I'm not well-versed or highly informed on the topic, because I'm not a Government employee, but I am not stupid and from what I have heard and read, your proposal makes good sense. I read in one of the papers yesterday, somebody was saying how Southerners don't come up here to work for the GNWT to make a killing, they come to gain a new experience.

Well I say, if that is true, they better realize before they pack up and leave the South, that it is an expensive experience. Having these people come here and not making them pay thier own share is wrong. All it does is raise the cost of living even higher for the average non-government employee, because someone has to carry the burden.

I know you will find that there are more than enough honest, qualified people down in the South who would be very eager to come North and find employment with our extremely generous government. Times are tough all over right now and there are plenty of unemployed people who would jump at the chance to fill these spoiled employee's shoes.

Please don't back down on your position. I know it can't be easy with all the pressure being put on you, but if you stand firm on your policy, there are lot's of average people out here who will back your position 100%.

Sincerely,

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