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The Permanent Mission of Canada to the United Nations and the World Trade Organization at Geneva presents its compliments to the Special Rapporteur on violence against women and girls, its causes and consequences and Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy, pursuant to Human Rights Council resolutions 59/20 and 55/3, and has the honour to make reference to the letter dated 13 February 2026, related to the two cases of digital sexual violence against Ms. Katelynn Spencer and Ms. Victoria Galy (reference AL CAN 7/2025).

Canada recognizes the importance of Special Procedures, and attributes great importance to addressing letters and communications and to providing responses in a timely manner. Recognizing that the deadline for the submission of our response was 14 April 2026, the Permanent Mission of Canada has the honour to apologize for the delay in the submission of Canada's response. We confirm that the Government of Canada is currently working diligently to assess the letter received and to prepare a response, and that Canada is committed to submitting its reply by 8 May 2026.

The Permanent Mission of Canada to the United Nations and the World Trade Organization at Geneva avails itself of the opportunity to renew to the Special Rapporteur on violence against women and girls, its causes and consequences and Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy the assurances of its highest consideration.

