

MEDIA UNDERTAKING FOR ADMISSION TO THE LOCK-UP PRIOR TO THE RELEASE OF THE INITIAL REPORT OF THE FOREIGN INTERFERENCE COMMISSION

Undertaking to be signed prior to entering the media lock-up on Friday, May 3, 2024

The undersigned requests admission to the media lock-up arranged and organized for the benefit of journalists and, if admitted, agrees, and undertakes as follows:

- (1) that I will remain in the lock-up until the time when the designated official from the Foreign Interference Commission ("The Commission") announces that the embargo is lifted;
- (2) that all documents, materials, or information made available to me remain the property of the Commission until the termination of the lock-up as described in paragraph (1) and that under no circumstances will I remove, release or communicate any such documents, materials or information, or other records of any nature whatsoever in any manner relating thereto or derived therefrom, before the embargo is lifted and the lock-up is terminated;
- (3) that I will store cellular phones, smartphones, wireless keyboards and printers, two-way radios, personal digital assistants or other removable wireless communication devices including watches, modems, air cards, mobile hotspots, wireless microphones and any other portable storage devices capable of receiving or transmitting a signal in the lockup area, in secure lockers provided for this purpose where they will be held until the end of the lock-up and that I am entering the lock-up area without any such devices in my possession;
- (4) that it is my responsibility to switch to "airplane mode" or turn off any devices capable of transmitting or receiving signals or messages prior to storing them in secure lockers provided for this purpose;
- (5) that security officers may search me and my personal items prior to my entering into and while I am in the lock-up room to verify that they do not contain any of the items mentioned in (3) above;
- (6) that audio or video recording and still photography of Commission officials for the purpose of broadcast is strictly prohibited, and
- (7) that should I breach any of the terms of this undertaking, I recognize that my notes and the USB Key given to me will be confiscated, I will be escorted out of the lock-up room by security, and that I will have to remain on site until completion of the lock-up. Further, the Commission may share information about my failure to respect the terms of this undertaking with my employer, the Parliamentary Press Gallery and/or any other media associations that I may be a member of for the purposes of any follow-up they may deem appropriate.

Name (print):	
Signature:	
Address:	
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