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Lesley Griffiths
Chair of the Review Panel for the Milton Logistics Project
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Dear Ms. Griffiths,

I am writing on behalf of The Kleysen Group of Companies in response to the Review Panel's request for comments regarding the CN Milton Logistics Hub.

The Kleysen Group of Companies is based in Winnipeg, MB and has over seven decades of trucking, rail, logistics and commodity-handling experience. We are an asset based Intermodal Full Truckload Service Provider, delivering timely, safe and secure movement of goods across Canada and into the United States.

CN has been our intermodal transportation partner for close to 30 years. Throughout this time, we have seen a steady increase of intermodal volume move through the Brampton Intermodal Terminal. This facility is facing capacity constraints as volumes continue to grow. We support CN's plans to build the Milton Logistics Hub to address the need for more capacity. Without this additional terminal, customers will bear the burden of increased costs associated with a less efficient supply chain network. Eliminating the congestion at the Brampton terminal will go a long way to reducing our driver costs and help to ensure the timely delivery of goods to our customers.

The fluidity of the movement of goods benefits everyone in the supply chain. The Kleysen Group is committed to providing superior service to all our customers and efficiencies introduced by our partners will help us meet that commitment.

We hope the Review Panel will favourably consider CN's plans for the Milton Logistics Hub.

Sincerely,

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