



Justice

Deputy Minister of Justice and Deputy Attorney General

Room 110 Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R3C 0V8

Daphne Penrose
Manitoba Advocate for Children and Youth
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Dear Ms Penrose:

In April 2019, the Government of Manitoba provided a report to the Manitoba Advocate for Children and Youth (MACY) on actions undertaken to date in response to recommendations from the October 2018 report titled “*Documenting the Decline: The Dangerous Space between Good Intentions and Meaningful Interventions*” (“Circling Star”).

At that time, it was advised that whole-of-government reports would be released twice annually, in June and December, going forward. The attached report contains updates and actions undertaken on all MACY reports and recommendations.

During your recent meeting with Deputy Ministers on June 10, 2019, you requested contacts in each department to facilitate ongoing dialogue regarding government responses to the recommendations in public reports from your office. Current contacts for each department are as follows:

Justice – Todd Clarke: 204-945-0882 or todd.clarke@gov.mb.ca

Families – Christina Moody: 204-451-0058 or christina.moody@gov.mb.ca

Health – Brie DeMone: 204-788-6331 or brie.demone@gov.mb.ca

Education – Allan Hawkins: 204-945-7911 or allan.hawkins@gov.mb.ca

The Government of Manitoba remains committed to improving the care of children and youth. Information gleaned and recommendations made by MACY to inform government efforts is appreciated.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require anything further.

Yours truly,

Gail Anderson
A/Deputy Minister of Justice
A/Chair, MACY-RAP Committee

Attachment

- c Grant Doak, Deputy Minister, Manitoba Education and Training
- John Leggat, Deputy Minister, Manitoba Families
- Karen Herd, Deputy Minister, Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living