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Minister Champagne,

I am writing to you regarding the report titled "Education for All" released on Tuesday February 15, 2021 by a coalition of university faculty, student and labour groups.

The Canadian Student-Athlete Association strongly endorses the "Education for All" report, and specifically the request by the coalition for Ottawa to increase transfers for post-secondary education by at least \$3 billion a year.

Canadian University Student-Athletes are student's first, and as such, the Canadian Student-Athlete Association supports the reports position that public funding supports collegial governance which allows campus community members – faculty, staff, and students – to participate in the decisions that affect them rather than a private, corporate mindset that sees students as products, corporations as customers, and faculty and staff as interchangeable employees in the assembly line of producing workers.

Investing in students, is ultimately an investment in student-athletes and as such is something the Canadian Student-Athlete Association strongly supports.

I respectfully urge you to give thoughtful consideration to this report, and thank you for taking the time to review my comments.

Regards,

Garrett Holmes,
Founder, the Canadian Student-Athlete Association.