



PRIME MINISTER • PREMIER MINISTRE

May 28, 2008

Probyn Family  
308 - 70 Rosehill Ave.  
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Dear Probyn Family:

I was deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Stephen Probyn. On behalf of the Government of Canada, I would like to offer your family my heartfelt condolences during this difficult time.

Throughout his life, Stephen successfully combined his great intellect with an unwavering desire to improve the lives of others. His strong leadership and expertise in the area of renewable energy were integral to bringing about key reforms to Canadian energy policy and promoting green energy initiatives at home and abroad.

Most recently, Stephen was serving his country with distinction and making great strides in advancing new clean energy technologies as Chairman of Sustainable Development Technology Canada. He will truly be missed by the many colleagues and friends across Canada who had the privilege of working with him over the years.

I know there are no words to ease your sorrow, but I hope that in the weeks ahead you will find comfort in the love and company of family, and in the happy memories shared by those whose lives Stephen touched.

May God support you and bring you peace through this period of adjustment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stephen Harper".

The Rt. Hon. Stephen Harper, P.C., M.P.  
Prime Minister of Canada