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Sent: September 17, 2013 3:39 PM To: 'joseph.hickey@ocla.ca'

Subject: Citizenship and Immigration Canada - reply to your correspondence of August 22, 2013

Dear Mr. Hickey:

This is in reply to your correspondence dated August 22, 2013, 2013, addressed to Mr. Chris Alexander, Minister of Citizenship and Immigration, concerning the situation of Mr. Deepan Budlakoti. I apologize for the delay in responding.

The *Privacy Act* prohibits the release of information on our clients without their written consent. This legislation was designed to protect a person's right to privacy when dealing with Canadian government institutions.

I have noted your support for Mr.Budlakoti. Although I cannot discuss the details of his case, I would like to assure you that his circumstances have been fully considered by officials.

Thank you for writing and expressing your concerns.

S. Charbonneau Ministerial Enquiries Division

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