



DECLARATION

RE: The Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA)

WHEREAS, The Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) requires the following from a procurement entity related to its participation with a buying group:

7. A procurement entity shall publish a notice of its participation with the buying group at least annually on one of the tendering websites or systems designated by its Party. That notice shall direct potential suppliers to the buying group tender notices website if it is different from its Party's tendering websites or systems.

AND WHEREAS, The Corporation of the Town of Gananoque is currently participating in one or more Local Authority Services (LAS) programs, and is therefore participating in a buying group.

AND WHEREAS, The CFTA requires any municipality interested in participating in a buying group to publish a declaration of its intent to participate in a buying group.

NOW THEREFORE, Be advised that the Corporation of the Town of Gananoque intends to participate in one or more procurements conducted by Local Authority Services (LAS) for 2018. For further information and access to LAS request for proposal (RFP) notices, please review the website at www.las.on.ca.

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