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RE: Inquiry Regarding Progress on Anti-Discrimination Initiatives

Chris Glover, MPP Critic, Technology, Development and Innovation

Dear MPP Glover,

Please accept my thanks for your current leadership at the Ontario Legislature as Critic, Technology, Development and Innovation, and your past leadership as Critic, Colleges and Universities.

My name is Ashar Ahmed - I am a **Computer Science** / **Cyber Security student** at Dalhousie University (Halifax, NS) and former tech & policy analyst, originally from New York.

During my service in the **Federal Public Service (Ottawa, ON)**, I witnessed and was subject to discrimination within the workplace on the basis of race and disability status. At home, the *U.S. EEOC* works hard to combat this issue, but I'm curious to know of any work the Legislature is doing in this area to ensure service is accessible and open to all.

Thank you again for reading and your leadership.

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Thanks / Merci,

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