



May 25, 2018

Ms. Kathleen Wynne, Leader, Ontario Liberal Party  
10 St. Mary Street, Suite 210  
Toronto, ON M4Y 1P9

Dear Ms. Wynne,

I am writing in response to your letter dated May 22, 2018, which contains your statement in relation to the *Taxpayer Protection Act* (the Act).

I have reviewed your statement, as is required by subsection 4(4) of the Act. The Act provides that I must determine whether it complies with subsections 4(2) and 4(3) of the Act, which are:

**"Statement**

*4(2) The statement must contain a clear, concise and unambiguous description of the proposed increase, the proposed new tax or the proposal to give an authority to tax. 1999, c. 7, Sched. A, s. 4 (2).*

**Estimate**

*4(3) If the statement refers to a proposed increase or new tax, it must also set out the increase in annual revenues that the leader expects to result from the proposed increase or new tax. 1999, c. 7, Sched. A, s. 4 (3)".*

Having reviewed your statement for its compliance with the provisions detailed above, I find that the tax initiatives you have proposed comply with the requirements of subsections 4(2) and 4(3) of the Act.

I will now exercise my duty under subsection 4(5) of the Act and shall provide your statement to the Clerk of the Assembly, together with my opinion, and shall make the statement and opinion available to the public.

If you have any further questions, please contact Deborah Danis, Chief Administrative Officer at [Deborah.danis@elections.on.ca](mailto:Deborah.danis@elections.on.ca) or 416-212-1662.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Greg Essensa".

Greg Essensa  
Chief Electoral Officer  
Elections Ontario