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Chad MacPherson, General Manager
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Dear Mr. MacPherson:

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to Resolution No. 3, regarding species-at-risk stewardship programs, from the Saskatchewan Stock Growers Association (SSGA) semi-annual meeting.

As the *Species at Risk Act* is federal law, I am forwarding your request for comments regarding this to Mr. David Ingstrup, Regional Director, Canadian Wildlife Service, Environment Canada.

The Ministry of Environment supports stewardship and landscape approaches to species at risk management and recovery and appreciates the involvement of the SSGA in initiatives like the South of the Divide. We will continue to support these mechanisms and look forward to your continued partnership.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Scott Moe".

Scott Moe
Minister of Environment

cc: Honourable Lyle Stewart, Minister of Agriculture
Kevin Murphy, Assistant Deputy Minister of Environment
David Ingstrup, Canadian Wildlife Service, Environment Canada