

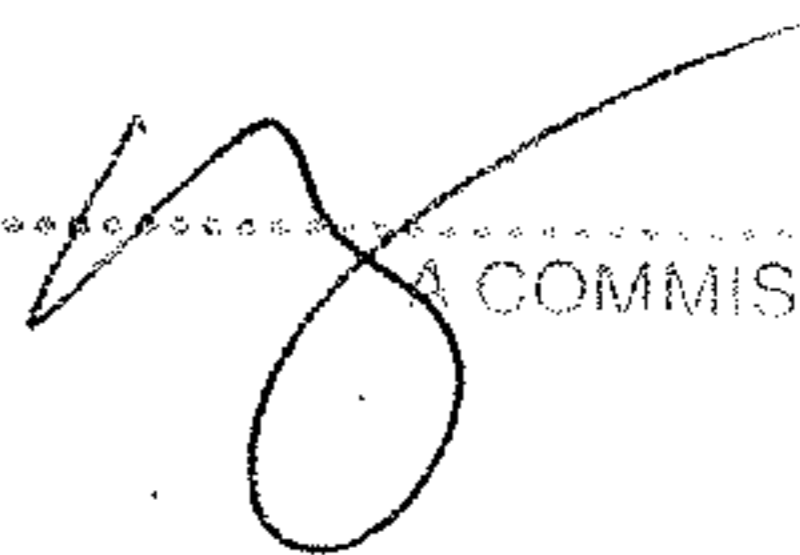
Ashok Charles

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The Honourable Ms. Judy Sgro
Minister of Citizenship and Immigration
Jean Edmonds South Tower
21st floor, 365 Laurier Av.
Ottawa, Ontario. K1A 1L1

This is Exhibit A referred to in the
affidavit of Ashok Charles
sworn before me, this 7th
day of NOVEMBER 2012.

Honourable Minister,


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A COMMISSIONER, ETC

I became a Canadian citizen in 1977. Since then I have come to embrace my identity as a citizen, among equals, in a progressive, modern democracy.

On reflection, I have also recognized that the portion of the citizenship oath I swore, which pledges allegiance to Queen Elizabeth, and her heirs and successors, is incompatible with the democratic ideals I uphold.

It is my view that it is entirely inappropriate for Canada to require of its citizenry, allegiance to a monarch. I see this state-sanctioned subjugation as detrimental to our national spirit and to the fulfillment of Canada's role, internationally, as an independent democracy.

In accordance with my principles and as a member of Citizens for a Canadian Republic, an organization dedicated to the installation of a Canadian head of State, I hereby recant that portion of my sworn oath which read "I swear (or affirm) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second, Queen of Canada, Her Heirs and Successors..."

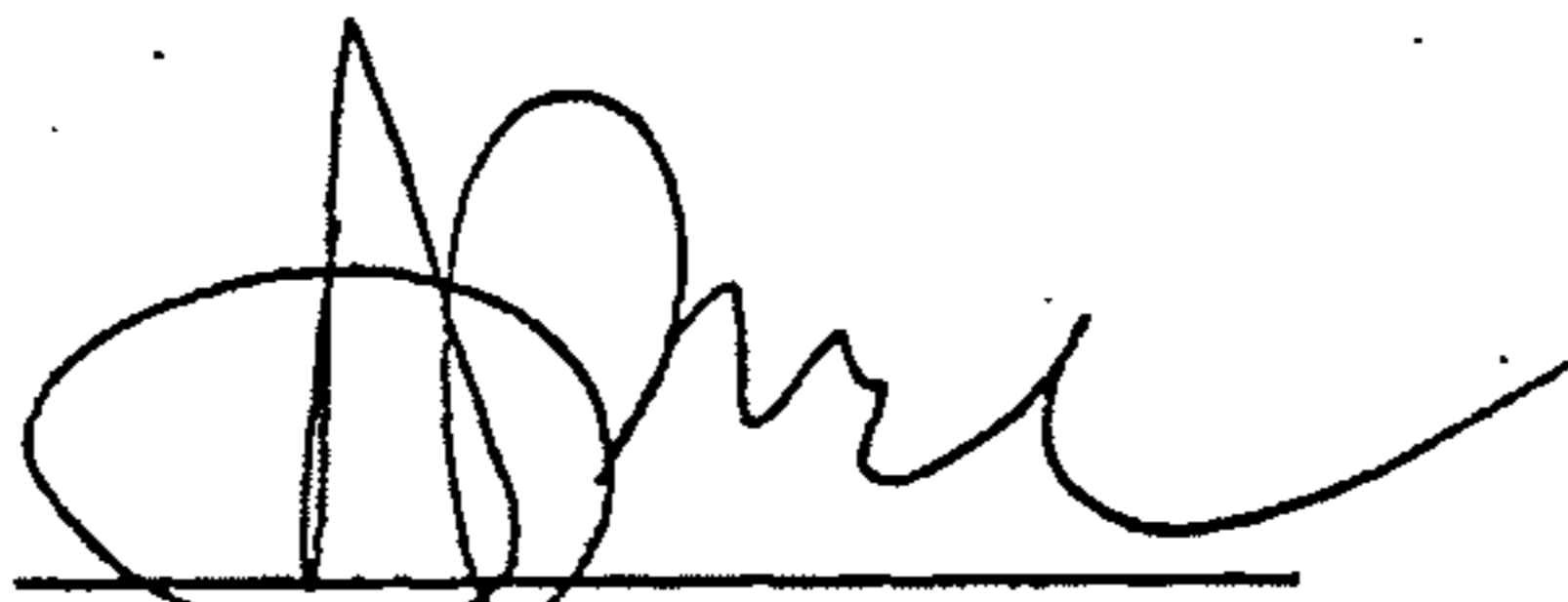
I continue to wholeheartedly respect the remainder of the oath, which read "...and that I will faithfully observe the laws of Canada and fulfill my duties as a Canadian citizen."

Sincerely,


This solemn declaration is made conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Sworn before me at the
City of Toronto in the
Province of Ontario
this 20th day of May, 2004

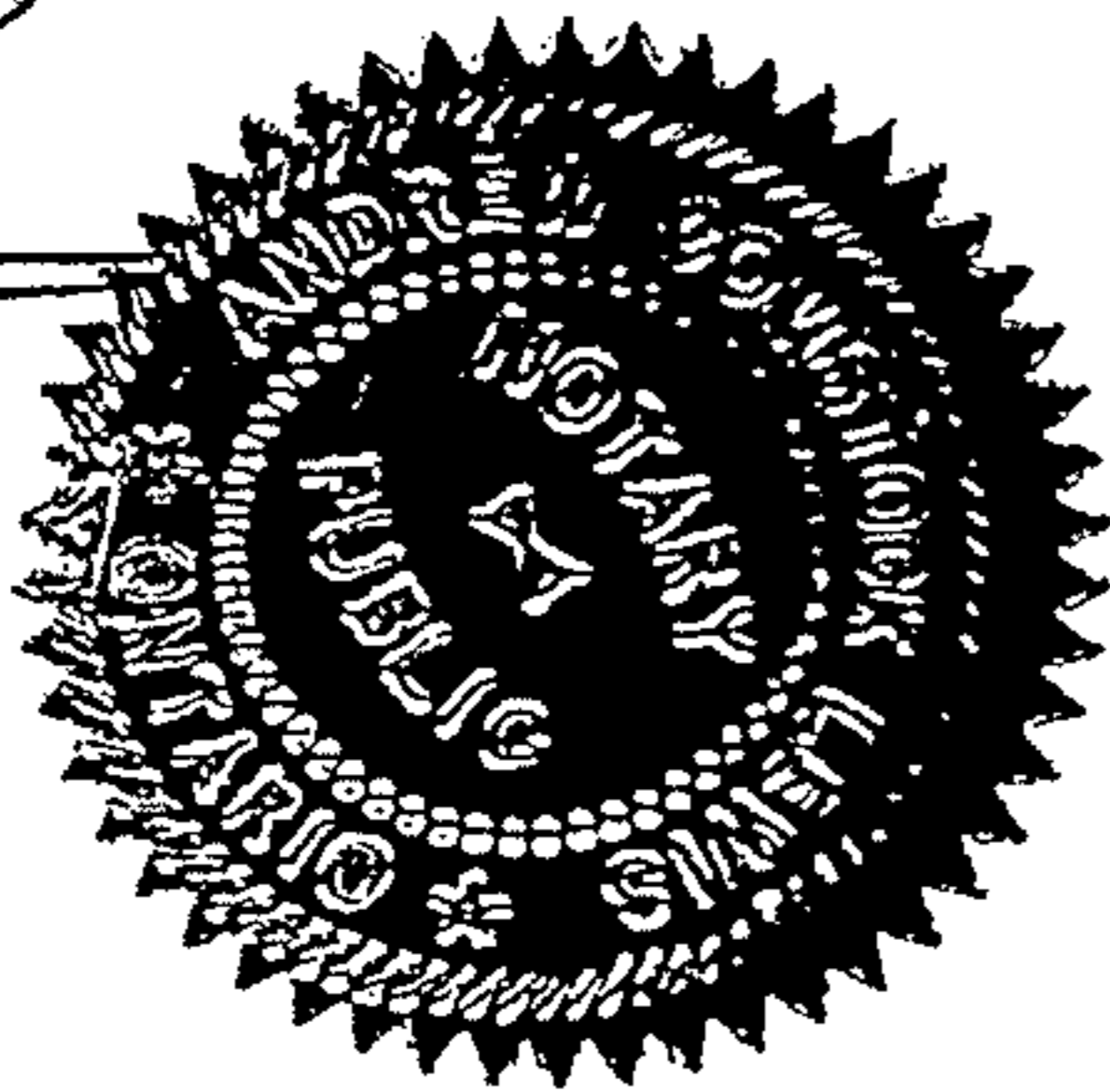
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Ashok Charles



Andrew C. Lewis
A Commissioner etc.
Notary Public





Case Management Branch
300 Slater Street, 9th Floor
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November 19, 2004

This is Exhibit B referred to in the
affidavit of Ashok Charles
sworn before me, this 7th
day of NOVEMBER 2012

Mr. Ashok Charles

*residential address
redacted*

Dear Mr. Charles:

I am writing in regards to your letter of October 4, 2004, to the Honourable Judy Sgro,
Minister of Citizenship and Immigration. I apologize for the delay in responding.

The *Citizenship Act* states that a person becomes a citizen if they meet the requirements
in section 5 and then take the oath of citizenship.

The only way that a person can renounce their citizenship is to follow the requirements
described in section 9 of the *Act* and section 7 of the Regulations.

A person loses their Canadian citizenship if their application for renunciation is
approved. The individual must meet all requirements of the *Act* by filing an application
for renunciation. We do not recognize implicit renunciation, and there are no laws in
Canada that state that a person loses citizenship if the individual recants part of the oath
that was sworn at the time the individual became a citizen.

I trust that this explanation is satisfactory. Should you wish to find out more information
concerning the requirements for renunciation of citizenship, please visit our web site at
www.cic.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

John Warner
Case Analyst

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