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The Honourable Brad Wall, Premier of Saskatchewan
Room 226, Legislative Building
2405 Legislative Drive
Regina, SK
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Re. Retirement Announcement

Dear Premier Wall,

Over the last decade, the NSBA has had the opportunity to work with you and your government for the betterment of business in Saskatchewan and for the good of the province as a whole. For that, and so much more, we would like to express our sincerest of thanks for the outstanding leadership you provided to our province. Given the cooperative relationship between your government and the NSBA, there is, however, a sense of regret with regards to your decision to retire from politics and as Premier of our province. We will regret the loss of a true champion for Saskatchewan but we understand the energy and sacrifice demanded by political life that has led to this decision.

As a business association working to foster an environment of economic prosperity and entrepreneurship, the NSBA would like to sincerely thank you for your efforts to make Saskatchewan a better place to live and do business. Your focus on economic prosperity has encouraged investment and growth in the province, which has in turn led to jobs and a better lifestyle for Saskatchewan families. Our membership appreciates the work you have done, and continue to do, for the province and would like to wish you all the best in your future endeavours outside of politics.

We sincerely hope that the relationship we have fostered with you and your government will continue long into the future. To this end, we would welcome the opportunity to meet with yourself and your successor as Premier (when one has been chosen) to discuss the future of the province and to continue working together to create positive change.

On a personal note, I want to thank you for your support and understanding particularly in the early days as I took on this new role. Similar to the challenges your successor will be faced with, I came in with big shoes to fill. Not only did you help ease that transition right from our very first meeting, but this positive, mutually respectful discourse continued throughout our relationship. I very much appreciate that, and for that, I thank you.

Sincerely,

Keith Moen
Executive Director

Brad,
A heartfelt Congratulations for an outstanding career in public service. You have much to be proud of, just like we have much to be grateful for, thanks to "Supporting Saskatoon's Business Community" your leadership.