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Nycole Turmel,
Member of Parliament,
Interim Leader, NDP
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Dear. Mme Turmel

On behalf of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, we would like to extend our sincere condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of the Honourable Jack Layton, leader of the New Democratic Party of Canada. Mr. Layton was a man defined by hope, optimism and determination, whose career epitomized public service. We are inspired by his thoughtful, inspiring journey to change the world.

His passion, drive and vision will long be remembered.

Sincerely,

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