Petition
To the House of Commons in Parliament Assembled

We, the undersigned residents of Canada, draw attention to the following:
That *there have been hundreds of cases of women, especially aboriginal women, who have been murdered or have gone missing over the past several years in Canada, with resulting pain and hardship for family and friends;*
That *responding only to individual cases of murdered or missing women through existing police investigations is not adequate to gain understanding of larger issues and causal factors that may require action in order eliminate the unacceptable reality of this situation; and*
That *the social and economic impacts of this situation are harmful to individuals and communities and hurt Canadians beyond those directly impacted;*
Therefore *your petitioners request Parliament to take action to establish a full national public judicial inquiry to investigate the full issue of the murdered and missing women, such inquiry having jurisdiction to consider any and all individual cases, but also to gather evidence, develop analysis, and make recommendations that are more comprehensive than any individual case or cases;*
And *to initiate, in collaboration with the provinces, territories, civil society and First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples and their representatives, a coordinated National Action Plan to Address Violence Against Women.*

Signature	Name (printed)	Address	Email

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