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Pamela Castillo Retamales  
Executive Secretary, UN-GGIM: Americas  
Santiago, Chile  
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Dear Ms. Castillo Retamales,

On behalf of Natural Resources Canada, I am pleased to formally submit Canada's nomination for the position of **Vocal for North America** on the UN-GGIM: Americas Board of Directors for the 2025–2029 term.

Canada is honoured to propose **Mr. Eric Loubier**, Director General of the Canada Centre for Mapping and Earth Observation at Natural Resources Canada, to assume this role. Mr. Loubier brings a wealth of experience in geospatial information management, international collaboration, and strategic leadership, and is well-positioned to contribute to the advancement of the Committee's objectives and to represent the interests of North America.

We appreciate the opportunity to participate in this important process and reaffirm Canada's strong commitment to the work and mission of UN-GGIM: Americas.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should any further information be required.

Yours sincerely,

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