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Dear *Scouts*

My name is Lieutenant Commander Gina Connor. I am the legal advisor for the Canadian Contribution Training Mission - Afghanistan (CCTM-A), Task Force 2-13, on Operation Attention in Kabul Afghanistan. We are the team concluding the 12 year Canadian mission and contribution to Afghanistan. The final members of the team will be returning to Canada in March of 2014.

We have received approximately ten large bags and fourteen boxes of mail from all across Canada and we are doing our best to answer as many as we can.

On behalf of myself, the Command Team and the soldiers of CCTM-A, I wish to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to you for taking the time and effort to write to us and wish us Seasons Greetings. In particular, I'd like to thank you for your numerous cards and personal notes to our troops.

As you know, it can be difficult to be away from friends and family during the holiday season. However, the generosity, kindness and dedication of our fellow Canadians to acknowledge our efforts and support us, is very much appreciated. You are the reason we do what we do.

In return, I wish to take this opportunity to wish you all a safe and happy holiday season.

Warm regards,

Gina Connor  
Lieutenant Commander  
CCTM-A Legal Advisor



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*E.P. Smith*

**E.P. SMITH  
CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER  
CCTM-A SERGEANT MAJOR**

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