

Citizenship Defense Committee

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Dear

We wish to acknowledge and thank you for your generous response to our appeal of January 17 for contributions to the Citizenship Defense Fund. We are enclosing an official receipt to dollars.

We are pleased to announce that the Fund has received whole-hearted support in all areas of Ontario and other parts of Canada, and we are sure that our objective will be reached at an early date.

The Supreme Court hearings were conducted in Ottawa on January 24 and 25, and a judgment will be given after the Court reconvenes on February 5. Counsel retained by the Co-operative Committee presented outstanding argument, and we anticipate a favourable decision.

Matters discussed at the hearing covered, not only the present attempt of deportation and expulsion, but also the power of the Government to sell property without consent and to detain persons without trial. It will be a central case in determining the legal position of personal and civil rights of all persons in Canada.

Sincerely yours,

Kunio Hidaka
Kunio Hidaka,
Executive Secretary.