

CANADIAN
INTERNATIONAL
TRADE TRIBUNAL

Procurement

ORDER

File PR-2022-031

Higher Standard Sales

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Department of Public Works and Government Services

IN THE MATTER OF a complaint filed by Higher Standard Sales pursuant to subsection 30.11(1) of the *Canadian International Trade Tribunal Act*;

AND FURTHER TO the Canadian International Trade Tribunal's preliminary indication of the level of complexity for the complaint case and its preliminary indication of the amount of the cost award.

BETWEEN

HIGHER STANDARD SALES

Complainant

AND

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND GOVERNMENT SERVICES

Government Institution

ORDER

In its determination of December 14, 2022, the Canadian International Trade Tribunal, pursuant to section 30.16 of the *Canadian International Trade Tribunal Act*, awarded the Department of Public Works and Government Services (PWGSC) its reasonable costs incurred in responding to the complaint. The Tribunal's preliminary indication of the level of complexity for the complaint case was Level 1, and its preliminary indication of the amount of the cost award was \$1,150. Noting that there have been no submissions contesting the preliminary indication of the level of complexity or the preliminary indication of the amount of the cost award, the Tribunal confirms its preliminary indications by awarding PWGSC its costs in the amount of \$1,150 for responding to the complaint and directs Higher Standard Sales to take appropriate action to ensure prompt payment.

Frédéric Seppey

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