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## Greetings from the Minister of Citizenship, Immigration and Multiculturalism

I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings to all those attending the launch of the Fraser Health South Asian Health Institute, hosted by the Canada-India Network Society (CINS). On behalf of Prime Minister Stephen Harper, I would like to thank the CINS for its continued dedication to the health and well-being of Canada's South Asian community.

The Canada-India Network Society is committed to building strong ties between Canada and India and increasing the economic, academic and social opportunities for Canada's South Asian community. We are fortunate to live in a country that embraces and promotes diversity – each and every one of our diverse communities makes important contributions to our pluralistic society.

Canada is proud to boast one of the best healthcare systems in the world, but initiatives such as this one can help to make it even better. As Prime Minister Harper noted: "Our ethnic diversity is surpassed only by our unity of purpose." In this case, the purpose is to build a solid, universal health care system in which Canadians from all walks of life can benefit from a high standard of care.

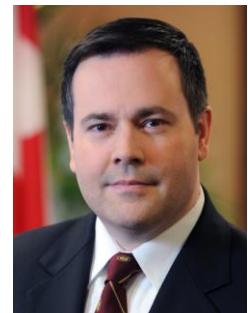
As Minister of Citizenship, Immigration and Multiculturalism, I offer my sincerest congratulations to Fraser Health on the establishment of this new South Asian Health Institute. I would also like to thank the Canada-India Network Society for organizing the launch event and for your continued commitment to all Canadians of South Asian descent.

My very best wishes for a successful event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason Kenney".

The Honourable Jason Kenney, PC, MP  
Minister of Citizenship, Immigration and Multiculturalism



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