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CAFDE WELCOMES SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT RECOMMENDING THE PRESENTATION OF MORE CANADIAN FILMS ON CBC

TORONTO (July 20th, 2015) – Today, Canadian Association of Film Distributors and Exporters (CAFDE) President Hussain Amarshi applauded the Standing Senate Committee on Transport and Communications Report “Time for Change: The CBC/Radio-Canada in the Twenty-first Century” recommendations, particularly as they relate to broadcasting Canadian films. He offered the following remarks:

- “The Canadian Association of Film Distributors and Exporters applauds the Canadian Senate’s Report on the CBC and Radio-Canada for its recognition that CBC can be a home for Canadian films.”
- “The CBC is Canada’s broadcaster and as such, should have a clear mandate to present Canadian films to Canadian audiences.”
- “Thanks to sound government policy promoting the creation of Canadian films, local productions are doing well across the country. With a new mandate, the CBC can ensure Canadians across the country are able to view these home grown films through their national broadcaster. ”
- “If acted upon, we believe these recommendations will go a long way to promoting Canadian talent in film and celebrating Canadian arts and culture across the country.”

About the Canadian Association of Film Distributors and Exporters (CAFDE)

The [Canadian Association of Film Distributors and Exporters](#) (CAFDE) serves to represent the Canadian film distribution industry and its members on matters of national interest. Current membership includes d Films, Elevation Pictures, Entertainment One/Les Films Séville, IndieCan Entertainment, Kinosmith, Métropole Films, Mongrel Media, Pacific Northwest Pictures, and Search Engine Films.