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Mr. Can D. Le  
Commissioner for External Affairs,  
Vietnamese Canadian Federation  
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Dear Mr. Le:

Thank you for your letter about the Vietnamese Boat People Museum Project.

All Canadians should be inspired by the challenges and hardships that many Vietnamese faced as they fled their homeland to establish new lives here in Canada.

Many Yukoners have arrived from different places around the world, including Vietnam, to establish themselves here. They have brought with them their energy, culture and experiences, important contributions to our community here and in Canada as a whole.

On behalf of the Government of Yukon, I am pleased to see your community starting a project such as this. It takes considerable hard work and your organization deserves recognition for their effort and initiative.

I wish you every success in your development of the Vietnamese Boat People Museum Project.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis Fentie".

Dennis Fentie  
Premier