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Statement on the withdrawal of Bill C-21 amendments:

I am pleased to see that the proposed amendments to C-21 were withdrawn. Since the amendments were first introduced, I have ensured that the voice of Yukoners was heard by my colleagues in caucus, as well as directly during Minister Mendicino's visit to the Yukon. The withdrawal of these amendments demonstrates that the concerns of northerners and of Indigenous peoples have been heard.

We all care about keeping our communities safe and it is imperative that in moving forward, we work collaboratively and consult widely when looking at ways to do so. I look forward to continuing to support measures that will meaningfully make our communities safer and will continue to elevate the concerns of my constituents in Ottawa.

- Brendan Hanley, Member of Parliament for the Yukon