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Mr. Irwin Cotler  
Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada  
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Dear Irwin,

We are writing to you about Marc Emery.

The US government is indeed trying to stop Canada's efforts to change cannabis laws.

The statement from Karen P. Tandy, Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration proves it is political:

"Today's arrest of Mark (sic) Scott Emery, publisher of Cannabis Culture magazine and the founder of a marijuana legalization group, is a significant blow not only to the marijuana trafficking trade in the U.S. and Canada, but also to the marijuana legalization movement."

"Hundreds of thousands of dollars of Emery's illicit profits are known to have been channeled to marijuana legalization groups active in the United States and Canada. Drug legalization lobbyists now have one less pot of money to rely on."

We know that you are the good guy. So please, do not consider the one billion dollar daily trade between your countries, or the import/export agreement. Use this valuable information to assist you in deciding whether or not to extradite Mr. Emery. Remember; this was a political arrest.

We all know that smoking a joint is not healthy. But should it remain a crime?

Yours sincerely,

Peter Mikkelson

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