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[1] This is an application for judicial review of a decision of the Canadian International Trade
Tribunal in relation to a complaint made by Davis Pontiac Buick GMC (Medicine Hat) Limited

("Davis"). The complaint relates to a contract for the supply, services and maintenance of military

vehicles that was awarded to Murray Chevrolet Cadillac (Medicine Hat) Ltd.

[2] In this application, the Attorney General contests the decision of the Tribunal with respect to

the merits of the complaint.

[3] In view of the decision that we have rendered in Court file A-102-08, in which we found

that the Tribunal lacked jurisdiction to hear the complaint, it follows that the decision of the

Tribunal in relation to the merits of the complaint must be set aside.

[4] Accordingly, the application for judicial review will be allowed without costs and the

decision of the Tribunal will be set aside.

"C. Michael Ryer"

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