Petition

Opposition to Bill C-428, reducing the residency requirement for Immigrants to Qualify for the Old Age Pension

To the House of Commons in Parliament Assembled
We, the undersigned residents of Canada, draw the attention of the House of Commons to the following:

Whereas, Canadians, through-out their working lives contribute to the prosperity of our Country and have earned the right to receive a Canadian pension;

Whereas, the fiscal integrity of the Canadian Pension system is important to maintain and protect:

And, Whereas, the Opposition liberal party, seconded by a former NDP Premier Bill C-428, , legislation that would allow elderly immigrants to come to Canada and collect Canadian Pension benefits after living in Canada ONLY 3 YEARS;

That, such a proposal is intended to attract urban votes of the children of who are expected to financially support elderly parents living overseas, and would reduce the amount available for existing seniors in Canada, if it did not bankrupt the system completely;

Therefore, your petitioners call upon Parliament, and the Government of Canada to oppose any proposed changes to Canada's Pension Plan that could reduce pensions for seniors or bankrupt our support for pensioners and our country.

Name (block letters)	Signature	Address	Town/Prov.	Postal Code