

**Please feel free to copy/paste and use/edit the following Form letter to write to your MPP.  
You can find your local MPP here:**

**<https://www.ola.org/en/members>**

**Please also cc our MPP for Studio Flux, Peter Tabuns: [tabunsp-qp@ndp.on.ca](mailto:tabunsp-qp@ndp.on.ca)**

Dear [name of your MPP],

My name is [your name here] and I am a [student/instructor/circus artist] at [The Circus Fix/Toronto Circus Collective/CirQular Motion/Studio Flux] in the riding of Toronto Danforth. Circus Arts is more than just fitness, it is my artistic expression and my community. [Something about why you love circus here.]

I am writing because I need your help to save my circus home. Currently Studio Flux has been closed since March 16th with no classes, rehearsals or performances running since that date. Without their normal activities there is no way that they can pay their commercial rent, but their landlord is unwilling to negotiate and the owner has elected not to participate in CERCA.

We need to put the power back into the hands of small businesses.

I am asking that you help keep this important cultural and community hub alive by:

- a. Putting a moratorium on commercial rent evictions for the duration of the pandemic
- b. Mandating that all landlords enrol in CERCA if their tenants qualify.
- c. Allowing tenants the option of consequence free early termination of a commercial lease during the pandemic.

Thank-you for your ongoing work during this difficult time.

Sincerely,

[your name here]

[your address here]