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April 30, 2008

Via Electronic Mail

The Honourable George Smitherman
Minister of Health and Long-Term Care
Hepburn Block
10th Floor
80 Grosvenor Street
Toronto, ON M7A2C4

Dear Minister:

**Re: Enhanced Public Funding for Human Papillomavirus (HPV)
Vaccination Program for Vulnerable Female Youth**

At its April 17, 2008 meeting, the Sudbury & District Board of Health passed the following motion #28-08:

***THAT the Sudbury & District Board of Health supports resolution 2008
38 of the Grey Bruce Board of Health to expand the Human
Papillomavirus (HPV) Vaccination program for vulnerable female youth
utilizing unused HPV provincial program funds; and***

***FURTHER THAT a copy of this motion be forwarded to the Minister of
Health and Long Term Care, local Members of Provincial Parliament,
Chief Medical Officer of Health, the Association of Local Public Health
Agencies (alPHA) and all Ontario Boards of Health.***

The Board seeks your attention and support in this important public health matter.

Yours sincerely,

Original signed by

Vera Etches, MD, MHSc, FRCPC
Acting Medical Officer of Health

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c.: The Honourable Rick Bartolucci, Local Member of Provincial Parliament
The Honourable Michael Brown, Local Member of Provincial Parliament
The Honourable France Gélinas, Local Member of Provincial Parliament
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