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July 29, 2009

Honourable Margaret Best  
Minister – Minister's Office  
Minister of Health Promotion  
777 Bay Street, 18<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Toronto, ON M7A 1S5

Dear Minister Best:

On June 24, 2009, the Board of Health for the North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit passed the following resolution #BOH/2009/06/07:

*Whereas, The Board of Health considered Report No. 071-09 regarding Children In Need of Treatment (CINOT) costs for ages 14 to 17 inclusive prepared by Dr. Neil Farrell, Director, Dental Services, with the Middlesex-London Health Unit, and*

*Whereas, The Board of Health expresses similar funding concerns, and*

*Whereas, The Middlesex-London Board of Health requested the Ontario Ministry of Health Promotion to continue to fund the CINOT Expansion Program at 100% in 2010 in order that more accurate and reliable budget figures are available for the program before any further costs are downloaded to Health Units;*

*Now Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Board of Health for the North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit supports the Middlesex-London Board of Health request; and*

*Furthermore Be It Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Margaret Best, Minister of Health Promotion, Ontario Boards of Health, local Members of Provincial Parliament, the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board and the Parry Sound District Social Services Administration Board.*

Yours sincerely,

*Original Signed By*

Mac Bain, Chairperson  
Board of Health

Copied to:

- 1) Ontario Boards of Health
- 2) Honourable Monique Smith, MPP (Nipissing)
- 3) Norm Miller, MPP (Parry Sound/Muskoka)
- 4) David Ramsay, MPP (Timiskaming-Cochrane)
- 5) Bill White, Chief Administrative Officer, District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board
- 6) Janet Patterson, Chief Administrative Officer, Parry Sound District Social Services Administration Board