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REGION OF PEEL OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CLERK

Mr. Nando Iannicca Regional Chair and Chief Executive Officer Regional Municipality of Peel 10 Peel Centre Drive Brampton ON L6T 4B9

Dear Mr. Iannicca:

I am pleased to advise you that the Ministry of Health will provide the Regional Municipality of Peel with up to \$1,442,772 in one-time funding for the 2021/22 funding year to support the Dedicated Offload Nurses Program assisting with patient offload at locally selected hospitals. These program investments improve patient access to care, mitigate ambulance offload times, and help end hallway health care.

The Assistant Deputy Minister of the Emergency Health Services Division will write to the Regional Municipality of Peel shortly concerning the terms and conditions governing this funding.

Thank you for your ongoing dedication and commitment to addressing the healthcare needs of Ontarians as we modernize and strengthen our public health care system. We would also like to thank you and your organization for all that you are doing to protect the health and safety of the people of Ontario during the COVID-19 outbreak.

Sincerely,

Christine Ellist

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Christine Elliott Deputy Premier and Minister of Health

c: Ms. Janice Baker, Chief Administrative Officer, Regional Municipality of Peel