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Mr. Richard Joly
Chief Executive Officer
Northeast CCAC
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Dear Mr. Joly,

Re: Suspension of Admissions to Cedarwood Lodge

As legislated in the *Long Term Care Homes Act 2007* (s. 50 (1)), the Director may direct that all admissions to a LTC home be ceased for a period of time where there is risk to the health or well-being of residents.

Given recent findings of non-compliance which pose serious risk of harm to the health or well-being of residents, and pursuant to section 50 of the *Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007 (LTCHA)*, I hereby direct the Northeast Community Care Assess Centre (CCAC), the placement co-ordinator for Cedarwood Lodge, to cease authorizing admissions to Cedarwood Lodge. This direction is effective until further notice from the Director under the LTCHA.

The ceasing of admissions has been directed based on my belief that there is a risk of harm to the health or well-being of residents in the home or persons who might be admitted as residents.

When the significant risks to the health and well-being of residents have been addressed by the licensee of the LTC home the cease of admissions may be lifted.

If you have any questions, please contact Wendy Lewis, Sudbury Service Area Office Manager, at 705-564-3130.

Sincerely,

Karen Simpson
Director under the *Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007*
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch

- c. Joe DiPietro, President and CEO, Cedarwood Lodge
- Rudy Putton, Administrator, Cedarwood Lodge
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