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December 16, 2024

Cynthia Martineau
Chief Executive Officer
Ontario Health atHome
Bay View Mall
470 Dundas St East
Bellville ON K8N1G1

Dear Ms. Martineau,

Re: Suspension of Admissions to Extendicare Countryside

Pursuant to section 56 of the *Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021* (FLTCA), I hereby direct Ontario Health atHome Northeast, the Placement Coordinator for Extendicare Countryside, to cease authorizing admissions to Extendicare Countryside. This direction is effective December 16, 2024, until further notice from the Director under the FLTCA.

The ceasing of admissions has been directed based on my belief that there is risk to the health, safety, and well-being of residents who reside in the home, or to individuals who may be admitted as residents to the home.

If you have any questions, please contact Alain Plante, Senior Manager, North-Central or Stephanie Doni, District Manager, North District, Long-Term Care Inspections Branch at NorthDistrict.MLTC@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brad Robinson".

Brad Robinson
Director, Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Director under the *Fixing Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2021*

- c. Dr. Micheal Guerriere, President and Chief Executive Officer, Extendicare (Canada) Inc.
Tracy Lamirande, Administrator, Extendicare Countryside
Christine Barbeau, Director, Patient Services, Ontario Health atHome
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