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Anna Greenberg
Interim Chief Executive Officer
Ontario Health atHome
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Dear Ms. Greenberg,

RE: Lifting Cease of Admission – Extendicare Countryside

On December 16, 2024, pursuant to section 56 of the *Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021* (FLTCA), I directed North East Ontario Health atHome, the Placement Coordinator for Extendicare Countryside, to cease authorizing admissions to Extendicare Countryside. The direction was effective from December 16, 2024, until further notice.

Based on results of recent inspections, admissions at Extendicare Countryside, can now resume effective immediately.

I would ask that your staff work with the team at Extendicare Countryside, to develop and implement a gradual and mutually satisfactory plan to resume admissions to safely meet the needs of all residents.

If you have any questions, please contact Alain Plante, Senior Manager at alain.plante@ontario.ca or Stephanie Doni, District Manager, at stephanie.doni@ontario.ca

Sincerely,

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

Brad Robinson
Director under the Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021

c: Dr. Michael 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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