



Government of Newfoundland and Labrador  
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Office of the Minister

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Dear Dr. O'Grady:

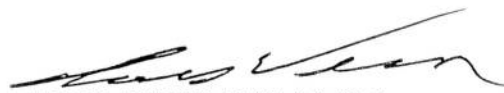
I am writing to advise that Treasury Board recently approved my Department's proposal to extend the oncology stipend under the salaried physician policy to the province's salaried pathologists. The effective date for this change in policy is 26 February 2007.

I want to thank the NLMA and Dr. Denic for assisting my officials and our external consultant in bringing this matter to a successful conclusion.

Should you wish further details on implementation of the salary adjustment for the pathologists, feel free to contact Dr. Cathi Bradbury with our Department.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



ROSS WISEMAN, M.H.A.  
Trinity North District  
Minister

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