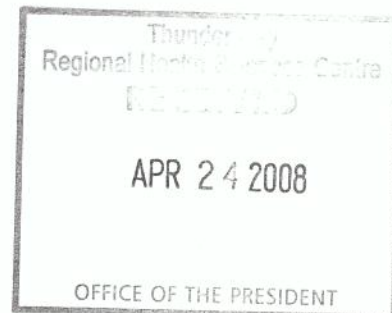


April 23, 2008

By: Courier

Mr. Ron Nelson
Board Chair
Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre
980 Oliver Road
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 6V4



Dear Mr. Nelson:

Re: Notice of Non-Compliance with Direction

The North West Local Health Integration Network (the "LHIN") hereby provides the Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre (the "Hospital") with notice of the Hospital's failure to comply with the Direction issued to the hospital on April 4, 2008 (the "Direction") and the LHIN's intention to issue a Compliance Directive.

This Notice is issued in the public interest pursuant to s.s. 22(1) and 24(1) of the *Commitment to the Future of Medicare Act, 2004*, S.O. 2004, c.5., as a result of the following circumstances:

1. The hospital failed to enter into a hospital service accountability agreement for the period April 1, 2008 – March 31, 2010 with the LHIN.
2. The Direction required that v.1 of the H-SAA be signed and returned to the LHIN within 14 calendar days.
3. The hospital failed to comply with the Direction.

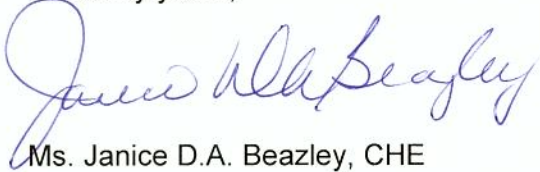
The LHIN proposes to issue a Compliance Directive that will require the Hospital to fulfil the terms of the Direction.

You are required to post this Notice for a period no less than 30 days on a publicly accessible bulletin board in your hospital as well as on your website and you are required to distribute copies of this Notice to each member of the Board of Directors of the Hospital. Confirmation that you have done so should be provided in writing to the LHIN by April 30, 2008.

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This Notice is issued pursuant to s. 24(1) 1. of the *Commitment to the Future of Medicare Act*, 2004, S.O. 2004, c.5. Your immediate compliance with the Direction is therefore requested.

Sincerely yours,



Ms. Janice D.A. Beazley, CHE
Chair/A

- c. Ron Saddington, Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre President and Chief Executive Officer
Gwen DuBois-Wing, North West LHIN, Chief Executive Officer