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Ms. Elaine Shantz
CEO
Fairview Mennonite Homes
515 Langs Drive
Cambridge ON N3H 5E4

Dear Ms. Shantz:

Re: Long-Term Care Development Project (PROJ 564)

Thank you for your application for the Fairview Mennonite Homes - Cambridge project in Cambridge. I am pleased to advise you that the Ministry of Long-Term Care (the ministry) will allocate 108 long-term care beds to the Fairview Mennonite Homes, subject to the approval of your project and meeting all the conditions and requirements as set out in the *Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007* with respect to the licensing and operation of the beds, and other conditions to be stipulated by the ministry.

The allocation of 108 long-term care beds is part of the government's commitment to create 30,000 new beds over the next decade.

Brian Pollard, Assistant Deputy Minister, Long-Term Care Capital Development Division, will be writing to you to provide further details, including applicable conditions, regarding this allocation and next steps.

Our government is investing in new and redeveloped long-term care beds in Ontario as we work to create a 21st-century long-term care sector that is resident-focused, improving quality of care and quality of life for seniors and easing hallway health care. It is vital to improve access to long-term care beds to ensure residents get the care they deserve, when and where they need it.

Please accept my congratulations on behalf of the Government of Ontario. We look forward to working with you to end hallway healthcare in Ontario and expand access to long-term care across our province.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Fullerton".

Dr. Merrilee Fullerton
Minister of Long-Term Care

c: Bill Hatanaka, Board Chair, Ontario Health
Matthew Anderson, Chief Executive Officer, Ontario Health
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