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Dr. Nash Denic
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Dear Dr. Denic:

I'm writing regarding the Quality Assurance Program for Pathology Services within the St. John's component of Eastern Health.

I am pleased to confirm, as we discussed at our joint meeting, that this proposal has been approved and has now been resourced. A Tech III is being assigned to the Program on a full-time basis, and that position has been backfilled with a Tech II position. In addition, full-time secretarial support will be provided to the Program for a six-month period initially.

I understand that now you and Dr. Bev Carter, who will be the quality control leader for this initiative, will now follow up on this matter with a view to implementing this quality control initiative effective May 1, 2006.

I want to ensure you and Dr. Carter of the full support of this office for this very important initiative, and please notify me if there are any issues you want dealt with or clarified as you move forward with this initiative.

I want to thank you and Dr. Carter very much for bringing this matter forward, and we look forward to the implementation of this initiative.

Yours sincerely,

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