

REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF OTTAWA CARLETON  
 MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE D'OTTAWA CARLETON

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DATE                        6 March 1998

TO/DEST.                 Co-ordinator  
                                   Community Services Committee

FROM/EXP.                Medical Officer of Health  
                                   Regional Solicitor

SUBJECT/OBJET         **SECTION 72 -*HEALTH PROTECTION AND PROMOTION ACT***

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### **DEPARTMENTAL RECOMMENDATION**

**That the Community Services Committee receive this report for information.**

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this report is to serve notice upon the Regional Corporation of the expenses incurred by or on behalf of the Board of Health in the performance of its functions and duties under the *Health Protection and Promotion Act* as well as expenses incurred by or on behalf of the Medical Officer of Health in the performance of his functions under this legislation.

The *Health Protection and Promotion Act* has recently been amended by Schedule D of the *Services Improvement Act, 1997 S.O. c. 30*. This legislation repeals section 72 of the *Health Protection and Promotion Act* and sets out the payments required by the obligated municipalities in a health unit.

The obligated municipality, upon receipt of the notice, must make payment in accordance with the notice. Therefore, in our municipal context, this means giving notice to the Regional Council which is the Board of Health of Ottawa-Carleton. Failure to do so is an offence pursuant to section 100(3) of the *Health Protection and Promotion Act* which is also a new amendment made pursuant to the *Services Improvement Act 1997*.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications associated with this process.

CONCLUSION

This report is respectfully submitted.

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