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Diana Miles
President and Chief Executive Officer
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Dear Diana,

We are writing today as a follow-up to our letter last October and the ongoing work with respect to the physiotherapy services provided to Worksafe BC injured workers in BC.

Firstly, we wish to thank you and Brian Erickson for your assistance in moving the communication forward. The in-person meeting with Brian proved to be valuable in building a positive relationship.

As well, the collaborative creation of a Terms of Reference between PABC and WSBC signed in early December will not only help to frame our relationship but the group will provide a great avenue for communication over the next few years.

We acknowledge that there are still some gaps in the Province where there is no physiotherapy service for injured workers. Although there has been significant communication, there is still no agreement in place in these areas. We will do what we can to assist the process so that all injured workers have access to the professional rehabilitation expertise of physiotherapists. As rehabilitation experts, physiotherapists take their professional responsibility seriously and want to ensure they do not compromise their ability to provide that expertise and service.

All the best for 2018, and we look forward to working with WSBC so that all injured workers in BC have the best service possible.

Sincerely,

Patrick Jadan
President PABC

Christine Bradstock
CEO PABC

cc: Honourable Harry Bains; Trevor Hughes; Brian Erickson; Alexander Trevor; Ian Shaw; Tony Glavin