



Perley Rideau

The Perley and Rideau
Veterans' Health Centre

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS – RECORD OF DECISIONS – OCTOBER 18, 2016

AT THE OCTOBER 18, 2016 BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN CAMERA MEETING

THE BOARD AGREED THAT:

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has amended the Criminal Code of Canada pursuant to the provisions of Bill C14 to permit Medical Assistance in Dying ("MAID"),

AND WHEREAS The Perley and Rideau Veterans' Health Centre ("Perley Rideau") is a licensed long term care home in accordance with the provisions of the Long Term Care Homes Act, 2007 ("LTCHA") of Ontario,

And WHEREAS the Government of Ontario, as of the date hereof, has not provided direction to licencees under the LTCHA with respect to the interpretation and application of MAID to long term care homes,

AND WHEREAS the LTCHA provides that a long term care home is primarily the home of its residents,

AND WHEREAS residents of Perley Rideau who have requested MAID in compliance with applicable law may prefer to have MAID administered at Perley Rideau:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. Perley Rideau will permit MAID to be administered at Perley Rideau to residents of Perley Rideau who have requested MAID in compliance with applicable law and who have indicated a preference to have MAID administered at Perley Rideau.**
- 2. Perley Rideau, in permitting the administration of MAID at Perley Rideau, will respect the rights of all residents, families, resident representatives, staff, volunteers and physicians whether or not they object to MAID.**
