



COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES
SURROUNDING THE DEATH OF PHOENIX SINCLAIR

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Mr. Dennis H. Schellenberg
Chief Executive Officer
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Dear Mr. Schellenberg:

Re: Phoenix Sinclair (DOB: April 23, 2000; DOD: March 23, 2006)

Further to the letter to you on October 12, 2006 regarding the Section 10 report with respect to the death of Phoenix Sinclair, we have also received a report on the Section 4 review that was undertaken by the Office of the Children's Advocate. As you are aware, the recommendations of this report were released on October 13, 2006. We are including a copy of this confidential report for your information. Given the sensitive nature of the report, we ask that you not make copies of the report nor share its contents without the written permission of the Executive Director of the Child Protection Branch.

Both reports contain recommendations for WCFS. As recently discussed, I would like to meet with you and the CEO of WCFS to review these recommendations and jointly discuss plans for developing a response.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation with this matter.

Sincerely,

Jay Rodgers
Acting Executive Director

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cc: Ms. Darlene MacDonald, Acting CEO, WCFS
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