18 September 2019

The Hon. Gregory John Donnelly, MLC, Chair, Legislative Council Portfolio Committee No. 2 – Health NSW Parliament House Macquarie Street Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Mr Donnelly,

Thank you for the opportunity on 26 August to address the committee in its inquiry into the operation and management of the Northern Beaches Hospital. I have read the transcript and the record is accurate with one exception: it was originally advised that Brendan Roberts, who appeared with me, held the position of organiser. In fact Mr Roberts' current title is acting divisional manager, public health, and he introduced himself as such when he announced his appearance.

There were two questions that the union took on notice and I can now provide the answers.

- Transcript page 64: the HSU's agreement with Healthscope runs until 30 September 2021.
- Transcript page 67: the survey of members which largely informs our submission was conducted between 19 June and 9 July this year.

I would be happy to address any further issues that may arise in the course of the inquiry.

Yours sincerely,

Gerard Hayes Secretary.

