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INQUIRY INTO OFF-PROTOCOL PRESCRIBING OF CHEMOTHERAPY IN NSW

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The Director
Select Committee on Off-protocol Prescribing
Of Chemotherapy in NSW
Parliament House
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Dear Sir,

For the past 27 years I have been treated for cancer by Dr Kiran Phadke.

I was first diagnosed with Non-Hodgkinsons Lymphoma in 1989. Since then I have had chemotherapy on many occasions with periods of remission in between, especially in the early years.

The fact that I am still here today to talk about it is, in my opinion, a testament to Dr Phadke's knowledge, experience and treatment for my condition.

As far as I am concerned he has always been a most caring, considerate and dedicated medical practitioner, giving me the best possible care and treatment most appropriate for my situation.

I have the highest respect and regard for Dr Phadke and would welcome him back to continue treating me for my cancer condition (Non-Hodgkinsons Lymphoma) and related blood disorder (Myeloid Dysplasia).

Yours faithfully,

Cornelis Snel