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Oral Question 6-18(3): Norman Wells Health Centre

This letter is in follow up to the Oral Question you raised on October 17, 2017 regarding the Norman Wells Health Centre.

The new Sahtú Got'iné Regional Health and Social Services Centre and Sahtú Dene Nechá Kó Long Term Care facility are expected to achieve substantial completion in late 2017. The Department of Health and Social Services, along with the Northwest Territories Health and Social Services Authority – Sahtu Region, are working on operational readiness and transitional planning for the move from existing facilities over to the new facility. The facilities are anticipated to be open to the public in early 2018.

As previously committed in the House, I will continue to keep Members up to date on the progress of transitioning operations into the new Norman Wells Health Centre and Long Term Care facility.

Thank you.

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