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Dr Graham Morris
President
Rural Doctors' Association of South Australia Inc.
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Dear Graham

Re: Rural GP contract negotiations

I'm writing to confirm the enhanced offer presented at the meeting held Thursday 11th February 2010.

On all allowance

The new offer presented by Country Health SA is for a single on call allowance to be paid based on \$220 a day Monday to Thursday and \$550 a day for Friday to Sunday and Public Holidays.

Hourly Rates

Country Health SA's offers an hourly rate payment offer for meetings at the GPSA rate of \$144 per hour. For direct patient attendance where no other FFS payment is available is at the rate of \$224.20 per hour.

Travel time

The rate of payment for travel time to attend hospital emergencies during normal working hours is \$144 per hour.

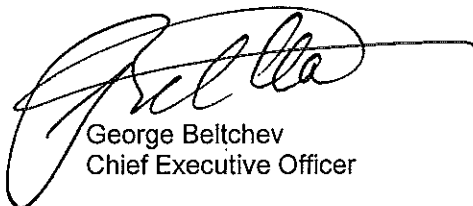
Country Health SA agrees the payment for on call allowance will be back dated to 1st January 2010.

Country Health SA agrees that the terms of the contract will be up to 1 November 2011.

Please note because the new offer contains significant increase in financial commitment final Government approval will be necessary. This will be expedited once agreement has been reached.

I also note that the 3 documents associated with the negotiations (the Agreement , SARMFA and SARMES) are subject to ongoing with discussions between Country Health SA, AMA and RDA.

Yours sincerely



George Belchev
Chief Executive Officer