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THE CITY CLERK

May 25, 1983

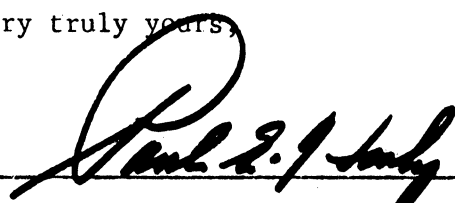
Secretary Margaret Heckler
Department of Health and Human Services
Hubert H. Humphrey Building
Room 615-F
200 Independence Avenue, S. W.
Washington, D. C. 20201

Dear Secretary Heckler:

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Your kind attention in this matter will be greatly appreciated, both by this office and the City Council.

Very truly yours,


Paul E. Healy, City Clerk

PEH/mh

Enclosure: City Council Order #14 of 5/23/83

cc: ✓ Margaret Heckler, Secretary of Health & Human Services
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2426 Rayburn Office Bldg.
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2300 Rayburn Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20515

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IN CITY COUNCIL

May 23, 1983

COUNCILLOR DANEHY

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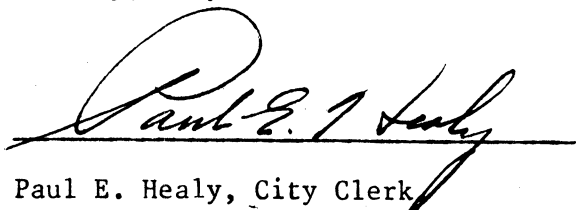
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Order # 14 *S-322*

C. Danehy re: resolutions on drastic budget reductions in the Federal Health and Human Services Budget for FY83-84, which would cause the closing of three "Multi-Purpose Arthritis Centers" in the Commonwealth.

*copies sent to Margaret Heckler, Speaker O'Neill,
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