

December 21, 2018

Mrs. Bernice Miller
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Dear Mrs. Miller:

This is in response to your letter dated November 25, 2018. Thank you for sharing experiences and concerns surrounding the New Brunswick Dental Society and the *New Brunswick Dental Act*.

The *New Brunswick Dental Act* was enacted as and remains a private bill. This means that I, as Minister, have limited authority to interfere into the affairs of the New Brunswick Dental Society. The Minister has no authority to conduct independent reviews of any private piece of legislation, the *New Brunswick Dental Act* included.

That being said, the Department of Health remains in constant dialogue with the private health professions of New Brunswick. The Department will share your latest correspondence with them for their consideration.

Sincerely,



Hon. Hugh J. Flemming Q.C.
Minister

cc: Mr. David Geris, Senior Policy Advisor, Department of Health

