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Mr. Brian Lenihan, T.D.
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Dear Minister

At a recent meeting of Offaly County Council, the following motion was passed:


"That this Council write to the Minister for Health and the Minister for Finance requesting the implementation of a new scheme for Medical Cards for people who are diagnosed with cancer. Upon written diagnosis by a Consultant, a person should automatically receive a full medical card for a minimum one year period or such time as treatment is completed and should not be subjected to means assessment.

The motion was amended to include the following:

"That action should be taken to streamline the processing and issuing of medical cards."

The members requested that I write to you in this regard and agreed to circulate the motion to other Councils.

Yours sincerely


MONICA CLEARY
MEETINGS ADMINISTRATOR

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CC: Department of Health & Children



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