



## PRESS RELEASE

It is with great honour and privilege that we share this exciting news that the Hellenic Home for the Aged Inc. received an allocation of 128 new Long-Term Care beds in response to our application to the Ministry of Health & Long-Term Care. This was communicated to us by the Honourable Mrs. Christine Elliott, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health & Long-Term Care on March 22, 2019.

Our sincerest gratitude to the Ministry of Health & Long-Term Care echoes the heartfelt appreciation of the more than 420 people currently on our waiting lists of our two Long Term Care facilities, their families and the aging Greek Community of approximately 150,000 residents in Ontario.

The new beds will perfectly align with the Provincial Government's mission to end hallway medicine and will allow the opportunity to the applicants awaiting admission at our facilities to receive quality care of the highest standards, in a safe and privileged environment with emphasis on a culturally appropriate care.

Our Government's benevolence towards our Seniors will allow them to live with dignity and respect, in a nurturing environment with professional care and state of the art technology that will at the same time minimize their exposure to risk and injury and alleviate the current pressures on our hospitals and acute care system.

The Home would like to acknowledge and appreciate the efforts of our Greek Canadian MPP Scarborough Centre, Ms. Christina Mitas, for the successful allocation of the beds to her riding constituents.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. Fanaras", is positioned above the printed name and title.

John C. Fanaras  
President & Chair