

## Fwd: Re: Cessation of the RAETU

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Hi Mark,  
Please find attached the brief progressed by HIO - please note this is not the signed copy.  
Kind Regards  
Karissa

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>>> Leanne Geppert 9/10/2012 10:11 am >>>

Hi Mark

Yes, the project has been cancelled by QH (a brief was prepared by Health Infrastructure Office and been approved - I will get a copy of the brief and send to you). Both Metro South and West Moreton HHSs have been officially informed via a letter.

MH has now submitted a brief to progress planning with stakeholders re future of Barrett Adolescent Centre (for which Redlands Adol Extended Treatment was intended to be a replacement).

**Karissa**, would you mind sending a copy of both above briefs through to Mark for his information.  
Thanks, Leanne

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>>> Mark Tuohy 9/5/2012 9:52 am >>>  
Hi Leanne

Just trying to tie up loose ends. Did that follow up brief we discussed progress?

Mark

>>> Leanne Geppert 7/08/12 13:14 >>>

Thanks Mark.

As you know, I discussed with Bill and he rang to ask if you could acquire written approval before we proceed any further.

Let me know if you have any queries about this.

Thanks, Leanne

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>>> Mark Tuohy 8/3/2012 4:05 pm >>>

Leanne

Sorry for the delay in replying.

I have only this afternoon had a final word with the Minister's office advisor about the matter. The advice from the Advisor is that for all intents and purposes the resolved as he advises the Minister has signed letters to Board Chairs (those that had been prepared by Paul French) confirming HHF capital projects that are proceeding. He was happy enough to accept that the Minister's signing of the letters was evidence he endorsed the proposed course.

I trust this is satisfactory for your needs.

Thanks for your help.

Regards

Mark

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>>> Leanne Geppert 30/07/12 22:14 >>>

Hi Mark

Any update on the status of this one? Michael Cleary was requesting an update from us.

Thanks, Leanne

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>>> Mark Tuohy 7/16/2012 10:45 pm >>>

Hi Leanne

As discussed I am trying to clarify the status/existence of the approval for the cessation of the RAETU.

My question comes as the brief you authored (attached) progressed via this Unit after receiving DG approval. It came via this Unit because of the reference therein to a link to the then proposed CBRC sub re: HHF round 3.

That CBRC sub never progressed as there was obviously a separate process of briefing undertaken which led to the Minister deciding which HHF projects would proceed, as evidenced by his letter (see attached) to Min Plibersek.

Your brief was sent to the Minister's office "for approval, however it has never been returned and as best I can tell can not for the moment be located.

Paul French, Intergovernmental Funding and Policy Coordination Unit, has drafted letters to relevant Boards advising of the HHF projects that are proceeding. These letters were received by the Minister's office through normal corro channels, however have been met by a query from the Ministers Advisor (Neil Hamilton-Smith) querying where the approval to cease the RATEU was made - hence my question.

Can you shed some light on whether the Minister approval was obtained through some process.

Thanks

Mark

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