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Mr Paul Barron Assistant Secretary FEMPI Review Department of Health Hawkins House Dublin 2

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Re: Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Act

Dear Mr Barron

Further to your letter of the 13 December 2012 regarding the consultation process under the above Act in relation to professional fees; please find enclosed a submission from the IMO in relation to Ophthalmic Medical Practitioners who provide professional services on behalf of the HSE.

I look forward to the opportunity to make oral submission in due course.

Yours sincerely

Eric Young

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