

August 30, 1998

Darcy Nord, Community Living Social Worker
Ministry of Children and Families
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Summerland, B.C. V0H 1Z0

Dear Ms. Nord:

RE: Jeremy RODRIGUES

I am in receipt of your fax dated July 20, 1998 stating that Ms. Lynn Middleton, the Supervisor would be writing me with further details concerning my request for funding for Jeremy shortly. I am also in receipt of a letter from the Children's Commission saying that same thing.

As of this date I have not received anything. I have been patient taking into account that it is summer and holidays are usually taken at this time. Now though, due to the date, Jeremy's contract needs to be renewed. I am assuming that this is what you were waiting for and the contract will be renewed and show the increased funding of a full-time aide as stated in the fax.

As you know, Jeremy's Pediatrician, Dr. M. I. DeLevie and our Family Physician, Dr. R. McIntosh prescribe this treatment for my son. They also both describe Jeremy as severely disabled because of his autism. We use no other services or programs in the community other than the support of the funds from this contract.

So please consider this letter a formal request for continued and increased funding for Jeremy Rodrigues.

If my contract will not be renewed and increased then I request that I be notified in writing by September 8, 1998, so that I may take appropriate action.

I thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Barbara Rodrigues