



## LEGISLATIVE RETURN

SUBMITTED BY: Hon. Pauline Frost

1. On April 20, 2017, Patti McLeod, Member for Watson Lake
- asked the following oral question at page(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of *Hansard*
- submitted the following written question – WQ No. 1
- gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. \_\_\_\_\_

RE: \_\_\_\_\_

OR

2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion related to:


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on \_\_\_\_\_ at page(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

Attached is the letter provided in response to the same written question submitted by the Member for Watson Lake on January 12, 2017.

May 1, 2017  
Date

  
Signature



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February 28, 2017

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Dear Ms. McLeod:

**Re: Travel for Medical Treatment**

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to written question #6, dated January 12, 2017, about the Medical Travel Program, including the Travel for Medical Treatment subsidy both in and out of territory.

The Travel for Medical Treatment Program plays an important role in the delivery of insured physician and hospital services both within and outside of Yukon. As you will be aware, this is a costly but necessary program.

As part of its work, the department does an ongoing analysis of programs and their costs to ensure they are responsive to the needs of Yukoners within the established financial framework. While there are no current plans for a formal program review of the Medical Travel Program, I am open to meeting with you to discuss further your reasons for suggesting such a review at this time.

Mahsi,

Pauline Frost  
Minister of Health and Social Services

