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The Honourable Andrew S. Brandt
Minister of the Environment
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Dear Mr. Brandt:

Thank you for your letter of November 30, 1983 along with your enclosure of your reply to the Region of Halton on the matter of Environmental Approvals for the Interim Waste Disposal Plan in Halton.

I have been on public record commending your positive and responsible response. Thank you.

There is one matter in your letter which, in my opinion, requires clarification.

You indicate that "Should the site reach approved capacity before the Environmental Protection Act hearing has been completed, the Director would be willing to consider issuing an emergency Certificate of Approval for part of the expansion of the site".

You also quoted from your Director of the Central Region that "we cannot sanction any plans to request approval of modifications to the site on an emergency basis if the need is documented now".

Since the need is established now and since the Regional Council's recent decision to proceed only with Option One and with the clear knowledge that applications might not be submitted by your required date of January 14, 1984, can I have assurance that, given these circumstances, the Director would not consider any emergency Certificate of Approval.

I am afraid that the recent decision of Regional Council to proceed with only Option One could place your Ministry in an unfortunate position. Therefore, I believe some clarification would be helpful to all concerned.

Thank you,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Walter Mulkeewich".

Walter Mulkeewich
Regional Councillor
Ward 1

WM/lf