

4 December 2023

Dr Simon Lockwood Country SA PHN Board Chair By email Chair Country SA PHN - Dr Simon Lockwood



Dear Simon

Re: CSAPHN CORRESPONDENCE REGARDING PHN COOPERATIVE

Thank you for your correspondence of 16 November 2023.

The PHN Executive Committee (PHNEC) considered your correspondence and requests at a meeting on 1. December 2023.

The composition of the PHN Cooperative is made up of PHN CEOs participating in operational collaboration based upon individual agreement to participate in cooperative activities, structures and arrangements.

A request for the CSAPHN Board to be the delegated representative of the PHN Cooperative is not consistent with the tenets of PHN Cooperative and the agreed arrangements of its members (see attached). Similarly requesting an individual PHN Board to approve Cooperative activity and delegations is not consistent with the tenets and arrangements for the PHN Cooperative as agreed by its members.

Given the nature and content of your correspondence, CSAPHN will need to confirm it is prepared to make available the CSAPHN CEO to participate in the Cooperative consistent with the core tenets. Unless otherwise advised or indeed you provide no response it will be assumed that CSAPHN have withdrawn from the PHN Cooperative.

Yours sincerely

On behalf of the PHN CEO Cooperative



Chair PHN Executive Committee Chair Chief Executive Officer

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CC. PHN Chief Executive Officers
PHN Cooperative Executive Office