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Dr. Fiona McGrath  
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**Re: Shannon Lee Nickerson**

Dear Dr. McGrath,

Ms. Nickerson was seen in clinical follow-up on 2 August 2018. As you will recall from previous correspondence with you (14 May 2018), Ms. Nickerson intends to undertake a hunger strike to bring to the government's and general public's awareness her perception of the inadequacies of present labour legislation regarding the human rights of workers.

At this assessment, it was my opinion that Ms. Nickerson has maintained her state of euthymia. Her mood is good; her thinking is rational; she is well aware of the possible physical effects of deprivation of sustenance but remains determined to present her concerns to the government and public.

And, as was also noted previously in my report to you, Ms. Nickerson's mental capacity is such that "she is able to make an informed healthcare decision regarding her participation in a hunger strike."

I hope you find this information helpful.

Sincerely yours,

  
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