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To,

Dr. Harsh Vardhan
Hon'ble Union Minister
Health & Family Welfare
Government of India

Dear Sir,

Subject: Requesting clearance of financial dues to the hospitals.

The private healthcare industry all across the country is working hand in hand with the Government both at the centre and in the states in combating the COVID-19 pandemic.

The current scenario has resulted in a situation, wherein the inflow of patients into hospitals has drastically reduced, along with the inflow of income. This has caused immense financial difficulties, and hospitals are unable to even pay the salary to the staff, and meet the day to day expenses.

We request you to kindly ensure that the backlog of dues to the hospitals from CGHS and various other Government schemes be released at the earliest, in order to help overcome this deep crisis.

This will enable the hospital to be in a state of preparedness to meet any eventualities arising out of the COVID-19 pandemic. This will also enable the hospitals to ensure the availability of maximum number of staff.

Assuring you of our fullest cooperation at all levels and at all times.

Regards

Dr. Alexander Thomas
President, AHPI

Dr. Giridhar Gyani
Director General, AHPI

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3. Shri. Sanjeeva Kumar, Additional Secretary and Director General, CGHS