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**Canberra Health
Services**

Mr Gerard Hayes
Health Services Union

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Dear Mr Hayes,

CHS Warehouse Relocation

This correspondence is to provide an update on the progress of the project to replace CHS Mitchell Supply Warehouse referred to in my previous correspondence dated 18 February 2022.

As previously advised, we entered into negotiations with the preferred site earlier this year. I am pleased to inform you that this process has been completed and we aim to be in the new facility located in Val Reid Crescent Hume, mid 2023.

Some of the benefits of the new building are:

- 4000 m2 internal warehouse space – 60% increase floor warehouse space
- 10m height warehouse – 60% increase racking height
- 400 m2 office space – able to accommodate all Procurement and Supply administrative staff
- Outdoor BBQ / meals area
- Large modern indoor meals area to accommodate all staff on site

We will now turn our attention to making sure that the Procurement and Supply team are ready to move into the new facility. The engagement of staff on the most effective warehouse layout, equipment and processes will continue throughout the design stage for the new warehouse. We will provide regular updates to you as we work through this readiness program.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me on email andrew.p.murphy@act.gov.au or phone (02) 5124 4385.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Murphy', with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Andrew Murphy
Senior Director
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3 August 2022