

ITEM 4  
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 85  
COUNCIL MEETING 1978 12 04

RE: BIOLOGICALS FOR IMMUNIZATION OF CANADIANS TRAVELLING  
TO OTHER COUNTRIES

Following is a report from the Medical Health Officer regarding  
immunization.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the report of the Medical Health Officer be  
received for information purposes.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER

1978 NOVEMBER 27

FROM: MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER

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REPORT

Commencing 1978 December 01, the Ministry of Health will no longer be  
supplying Health Departments with free vaccines and biologicals for this  
purpose. In the past we have been able to supply Smallpox and Typhoid  
vaccines at no charge.

As of 1978 December 01, we will have to charge \$3.00 per shot to  
those people requesting immunizations for travel purposes. This charge  
is to cover the cost of providing the vaccine. This does not affect  
our regular immunization programs for Diphtheria, Tetanus, Polio and  
Pertussis for children or immunization for adults for Diphtheria, Tetanus  
or Polio which will still be provided free of charge, even if these are  
for travel purposes.

This is for the information of Council.

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