

ITEM 2  
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 8  
COUNCIL MEETING 85/01/28

RE: CONTRACTS WITH EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENTS  
WHO PLACE STUDENTS FOR FIELD WORK WITH THE  
BURNABY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT the recommendation of the Medical Health Officer  
be adopted.*

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1985 January 23

TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER  
FROM: MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER  
RE: CONTRACTS WITH EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENTS WHO PLACE STUDENTS  
FOR FIELD WORK WITH THE BURNABY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

RECOMMENDATION:

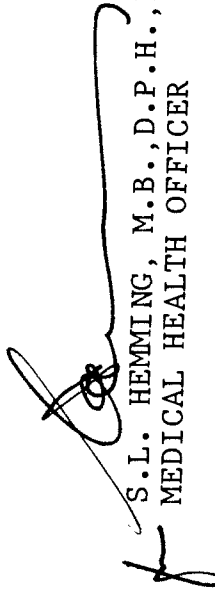
THAT the Medical Health Officer be authorized to execute agreements with educational institutions for the placement of students for field practice in the Health Department.

R E P O R T

Background:

The Burnaby Health Department has for many years made field work available for Nursing students from U.B.C and B.C.I.T, plus other students in related Health Care disciplines. This field work is essential to the students and the Health Department has seen it as a professional responsibility to assist in providing it. Where the amount of time involved has been considerable, as is the case with students from the School of Nursing U.B.C, we have had reimbursement of cost of the staff person who supervises the students.

It has been past practice for these institutions to sign contracts with the Burnaby School Board, because at that time, the nurses who supervised the field work were School Board employees. As The Corporation of the District of Burnaby now employs the nurses, I would request that Council grant authority to the Medical Health Officer to execute such agreements.

  
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MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER

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cc: Municipal Solicitor