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BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING | June 26, 1990

MINUTES

PRESENT:

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ABSENT:

Alan Altman, Jeannette Atkinson, Deborah Packard Bennett, Gordon Bennett, Kim Faulkner, Frimette Field, Jean Griffin, Abigail Johnson, Richard Jones, Elisabeth McCord, Paul Menitoff, Spencer Parsons, Phyllis Segal, Bill Wasserman, Sandra Willett, Adele Wisotzky

STAFF:

Nancy Drooker, Nicki Nichols Gamble, Wendy Gates, Deanne Morse, Susan Newsom, Jody Nixon, Edythe Salzman, Jeff Staton, Alice Verhoeven

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 5:40 p.m. Ms. Gleason presided.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: It was MOVED, SECONDED and VOTED to approve the minutes of the May 22, 1990 Board of Directors meeting as circulated.

ELECTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: A list of the proposed 1990-91 Executive Committee was distributed. It was MOVED, SECONDED and VOTED to elect the following persons to serve on the Executive Committee:

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Melissa D. Gerrity, Treasurer
Martha B. Sosman, Esq., Clerk
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Elisabeth E. McCord, Chair, Development Committee
John D. Pratt, Co-Chair, Capital Campaign Steering Committee
Christine R. Robinson, Chair, Education & Training Committee
Judy Reed Smith, Chair, Nominating Committee

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Planned Parenthood Clinic of Central Massachusetts 340 Main Street Worcester, MA 01608 (508) 799-5307

Planned Parenthood Clinic of Greater Boston 1031 Beacon Street Brookline, MA 02146 (617) 738-1370 January 1991

Dear Colleague:

As you may know, Massachusetts law requires parental or judicial consent for anyone under eighteen years old who is seeking an abortion. The Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts (PPLM) provides free, confidential counseling and assistance to young women facing unintended pregnancy through our Counseling and Referral program.

Specifically, trained counselors discuss all pregnancy options with teens and explore the possibility of involving their parents in their decision. If they decide to have an abortion but are unable or do not choose to obtain their parents' consent, Planned Parenthood's counselors help teens obtain court consent.

The enclosed, recently updated brochure describes the parental consent law and how it is implemented. We would appreciate your sharing this information with your colleagues and staff. If you would like to order additional brochures at 10¢ each, please call PPLM's Public Affairs & Information Department at (617) 492-0518 or use the enclosed order form.

If you would like further information about the parental/judicial consent law, please contact Dorothy Lohmann, our Public Information Coordinator, at (617) 492-0518; for information about pregnancy counseling and referrals, call Carol Lynch, Manager of PPLM's Counseling programs, at (617) 731-2933.

I have also included a brochure detailing the services offered by our Brookline and Worcester clinics. The Planned Parenthood Clinic of Greater Boston opened in February 1987; the Planned Parenthood Clinic of Central Massachusetts has operated since December 1982. Both clinics offer a full range of contraceptive, gynecological, and abortion services.

To further inform you about the law, Planned Parenthood will hold a brief educational seminar on the parental/judicial consent law on Thursday, March 7, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the administrative offices of the Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts, 99 Bishop Allen Drive, Cambridge, MA. Featured speakers will be attorneys from PPLM's Lawyer Referral Panel. Please call Carol Lynch at (617) 731-2933 if you are interested in attending.

Sincerely yours,

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Nicki Nichols Gamble Executive Director

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Jean S P.O. Box Webster, MA

Dear Ms Sa

Enclosed you will find the refund check for Tanya for services rendered by Planned Parenthood Clinic of Central Massachusetts on April 17th, 1993.

I hope T is feeling better at this time. If I can be of any further assistance to either of you, please don't hesitate to call me.

Sincerely, Windy J.

Wendy Gates Clinic Director

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