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Dear Dr. Berwick:

I am in receipt of your letter dated May 18, 2005. As stated in my letter of May 16, 2005, a written explanation of the details surrounding the termination of your membership and privileges at Allegheny General Hospital on March 25, 2005 and Suburban General Hospital on August 24, 2004 is needed. Your letter dated May 18, 2005 does not include the details of what led to the termination of your membership and privileges. In addition to your written explanation of these events, you must contact Allegheny General Hospital and Suburban General Hospital and have them submit directly to the UPMC South Side Medical Staff Office an explanation of the details that led to their actions.

The information requested above must be received no later than Friday, September 2, 2005 and should be submitted to the UPMC South Side Medical Staff Office, 2000 Mary Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15203

**Failure to receive your explanation for the termination of your membership and privileges at Allegheny General Hospital and Suburban General Hospital and failure to receive explanations directly from Allegheny General Hospital and Suburban General Hospital detailing the events that led to their actions by Friday, September 2, 2005 will result in your reappointment application being deemed incomplete and therefore will not be processed and your Medical Staff membership and privileges will expire on October 14, 2005, the end of your current appointment.**

Sincerely,

Jalit Tuchinda, MD  
Chairman, Credentials Committee

cc: Jorge Lindenbaum, MD, President, UPMC South Side Medical Staff  
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