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**Subject**: Payment of Medical Services

The Norwegian Embassy has made the decision today of extending the recent practice of paying the medical bills for Arne Benjaminsen's treatment at Hospital Alemán. This decision has been made given the serious condition of the patient, as we were informed Benjaminsen is hospitalized with a diagnosis of terminal cancer.

This decision should be taken as an exception to the general regulation of HELFO insurance, which determines that the patient must pay directly and receive reimbursement from HELFO. We will keep you informed about until when this exception will be valid.

## Cordially,



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