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I am writing to ask for your support in the 2020 OCP election for the Board of Directors.

I graduated from the Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Toronto in 1975. After graduation, I practised hospital pharmacy until 1992. During this time, I moved from a staff pharmacist position (Princess Margaret Hospital), to Assistant Pharmacy Manager (Toronto General Hospital) then to Director of Pharmacy at North York General Hospital.

In 1992, I decided to move into industry and joined Novopharm Limited - in 2000 Novopharm was purchased by Teva Pharmaceuticals. In industry I held a variety of positions at the Director and Vice President level. My last position was Vice President of External Affairs at Teva Canada Limited where I worked with various stakeholder groups across Canada including government, universities, pharmacy students, pharmacy technician students, pharmacy associations, and customer groups. I was also responsible for Teva Canada's Corporate Citizenship initiatives such as the Canadian Medicine Aid Program and the Childhood Cancer Canada Foundation. I retired from the pharmaceutical industry in 2016.

Throughout my career I have been active in pharmacy organizations including the Canadian Pharmacists Association (CPhA), the Ontario Pharmacists' Association (OPA), the Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists (CSHP), the Ontario College of Pharmacists (OCP) and the Canadian Foundation for Pharmacy (CFP). I am a Past Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Ontario Pharmacists' Association as well as a Past President of the Ontario Branch of CSHP and the Canadian Foundation for Pharmacy.

I remain active in pharmacy organizations and I look forward to serving the profession of pharmacy and the public with the Ontario College of Pharmacists. Throughout my career I have always promoted the expanded role of the pharmacist in addition to the responsibility we have in protecting and supporting the public we serve.