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Andrew thank you for the time you gave for the introduction to LEPL. I hope you feel reassured about their interest in the Daughters of Charity Health System project and their ability to fund it. They have been a good fit because of their early involvement and because their interest in this project has grown stronger as a result of the due diligence to date. Because of that we feel that integrity healthcare should remain committed to the partnership with LEPL.

In recent weeks alternative sources of funding have indicated interest and two of them are prepared to step in if the opportunity was available to them. Both these groups are as big as LEPL . We therefore believe that funding the project is no longer our principal challenge.

The challenge that does remain for IHI/L EPL is to continue to understand the daughters of Charity health system through our due diligence so that we can fashion an ownership transition that can be as smooth and effective as possible.

We are very confident that we have the resources and expertise needed to successfully acquire and manage the DCHS.

If you have any questions please email me, I will be happy to answer.

Dr.Raj