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**VIA EMAIL ONLY**

September 27, 2018

Dee Jay Zerman  
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**Exempt from Review – Replacement Equipment**

**Record #:** 2715  
**Facility Name:** UNC Rockingham Hospital  
**FID #:** 943359  
**Business Name:** UNC Rockingham Health, Inc.  
**Business #:** 2790  
**Project Description:** Replace existing linear accelerator  
**County:** Rockingham

Dear Ms. Zerman:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency), determined that based on your letter of September 25, 2018, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-184(f). Therefore, you may proceed to acquire without a certificate of need the Elekta Infinity linear accelerator and supporting equipment to replace the existing Elekta Precise, Serial # 1029, linear accelerator. This determination is based on your representations that the existing unit will be sold or otherwise disposed of and will not be used again in the State without first obtaining a certificate of need if one is required.

Moreover, you need to contact the Agency’s Construction, Radiation Protection, and Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Sections to determine if they have any requirements for development of the proposed project.

It should be noted that the Agency's position is based solely on the facts represented by you and that any change in facts as represented would require further consideration by this office and a separate determination. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

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 Project Analyst

Martha J. Frisone  
 Chief, Healthcare Planning and  
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cc: Construction Section, DHSR  
 Radiation Protection Section, DHSR  
 Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR  
 Melinda Boyette, Administrative Assistant, Healthcare Planning, DHSR

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