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## VIA EMAIL ONLY

December 14, 2021

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NC DEPARTMENT OF

HUMAN SERVICES

HEALTH AND

<b>Exempt from Review</b>	
Record #:	3756
Date of Request:	December 8, 2021
Business Name:	The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority
Business #:	1770
Project Description:	Upfit space in a medical office building under development
County:	Lincoln

Dear Ms. Kirkman:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency), determined that the project described above is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with G.S. 131E-184(a)(9). Therefore, you may proceed to offer, develop, or establish the project described above without a certificate of need.

It should be noted that this 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 the Agency and a separate determination. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

Julie M. Jaenza

Julie M. Faenza Project Analyst

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Micheala Mitchell Chief

cc: Brighid Huber, Atrium Health (Brighid.Huber@atriumhealth.org)

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Ms. Micheala Mitchell, Chief Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section Division of Health Service Regulation N. C. Department of Health & Human Services 809 Ruggles Dr. Raleigh, NC 27603

## **RE:** Exemption Request for Physician Office Building in Denver, North Carolina (Lincoln County)

Dear Ms. Mitchell:

The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority is planning to upfit approximately 26,000 square feet of leased space in the Link Landing medical office building – a medical office building that is currently under development at 409 Olin Way (formerly referred to by the address 7285 NC Highway 73) in Denver, NC 28037 – in order to accommodate physician clinics. A third-party developer is constructing the building and the associated parking. There will be no new institutional health services offered or developed in the new building without first obtaining the necessary certificate of need approval. The estimated cost of the upfit is greater than \$4,000,000.

Based upon the project as described above and pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 131E-184(a)(9) this project is exempt from CON review. This letter serves as notification of our intent to proceed with this project. We would appreciate your written concurrence that this project is exempt from CON review. If you have any questions or require further information regarding this project, please contact me at 980-622-7049.

Sincerely,

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Elizabeth V. Kirkman Assistant Vice President Atrium Health Strategic Services Group

## **Tiffany Hunt**

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Good afternoon,

Please find attached an exemption request submitted by The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority to upfit leased space within a physician office building in Lincoln County.

Thank you, and please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Brighid

Brighid Knoll Huber, MHA, ATC Strategic Services Group Mobile: 724-986-6214

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