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May 14, 2021

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No Review

Record #: 3558

Date of Request: April 22, 2021

Facility Name: Maple Ridge at Kenansville

FID #: 921357

Business Name: Mainstay Healthcare Tar Heels, LLC

Business #: 3369

Project Description: Change operator and name of facility

County: Duplin

Dear Mr. Wrenn:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) received your correspondence regarding the project described above. Based on the CON law in effect on the date of this response to your request, the project as described is not governed by, and therefore, does not currently require a certificate of need. If the CON law is subsequently amended such that the above referenced proposal would require a certificate of need, this determination does not authorize you to proceed to develop the above referenced proposal when the new law becomes effective.

This determination is binding only for the facts represented in your correspondence. If changes are made in the project or in the facts provided in the correspondence referenced above, a new determination as to whether a certificate of need is required would need to be made by this office.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gregory F. Yakaboski

Gloria C. Hale

Project Analyst

for

Lisa Pittman

Acting Chief, Certificate of Need

cc: Adult Care Licensure Section, DHSR

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Re: Wellington Park

Wellington Park, Inc. (Operating Entity) Horizon, Inc. (Real Estate Entity)

329 Cooper St., Kenansville, NC 28349

License Number: HAL-031-020

Dear Ms. Pittman and Mr. Yakaboski:

I represent Maple Ridge of Kenansville, LLC ("Maple Ridge") and Mainstay Healthcare Tar Heels, LLC ("Mainstay"). Mainstay proposes to acquire the real property constituting the existing health service facility licensed as an adult care home known as Wellington Park from Horizon, Inc. and Maple Ridge plans to acquire the operations of the facility from Wellington Park, Inc. (Licensee: Wellington Park, Inc.; Address: 329 Cooper St., Kenansville, NC 28349 (Duplin County); License Number: HAL-031-020; Real Property Owner: Horizon, Inc.). After the acquisition, Maple Ridge will operate the adult care home pursuant to a lease with Mainstay. After Maple Ridge receives its license to operate the facility, the adult care home will continue to be known as Maple Ridge at Kenansville.

Pursuant to G.S. §131D-184(a)(8), I understand that this transaction is exempt from review and, as a result, we request that you confirm that understanding by providing us with a "no review" letter.

As always, thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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