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#### VIA EMAIL ONLY

September 4, 2024

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Exempt from Review - Acquisition of Facility

**Record #:** 4555

Date of Request: August 20, 2024

Facility Name: Davis Regional Medical Center

Type of Facility: Hospital FID #: 923134

Acquisition by: Iredell Memorial Hospital, Inc.

Business #: 1032 County: Iredell

Dear Mr. Green:

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 (CON) review in accordance with G.S. 131E-184(a)(8). Therefore, the above referenced business may proceed to acquire the health service facility identified above without first obtaining a CON. The new operator of the facility will be Iredell Memorial Hospital, Inc. The Agency's determination is limited to the question of whether the above referenced business would have to obtain a CON if the current owners of the health service facility do in fact sell it to the business listed above. Note that pursuant to G.S. 131E-181(b): "A recipient of a certificate of need, or any person who may subsequently acquire, in any manner whatsoever permitted by law, the service for which that certificate of need was issued, is required to materially comply with the representations made in its application for that certificate of need."

If the business listed above does acquire the facility, you should contact the Agency's Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section to obtain instructions for changing ownership of the existing facility.

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 this Agency and a separate determination regarding whether a certificate of need would be required. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

Gregory F. Yakaboski, Project Analyst

Micheala Mitchell

Micheala Mitchell, Chief

cc: Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR

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August 15, 2024

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### Via E-mail Only

Re: Notice of Exempt Acquisition pursuant to N.C.Gen.Stat. §131E- 184(a)(8)-Acquisition of Existing Health Service Facilities (Acute Care Hospital and Psychiatric Facility) in Statesville, North Carolina

County: Iredell

Facility: Davis Regional Hospital Licensee: Statesville HMA, LLC

License#: H0248 FID #: 923134

Facility: Davis Reginal Psychiatric Hospital

Licensee: Statesville HMA, LLC

License#: MHH0981 FID#: 220558

# Notice of Matter not subject to Certificate of Need Review

#### Dear Ms. Mitchell and Mr. Yakaboski:

This correspondence is with respect to a transaction involving two licensed health care facilities in Statesville, Iredell County, North Carolina.

# Notice of Exempt Acquisitions

This notice is with respect to Iredell Memorial Hospital, Incorporated's ("IMH") intent to acquire both above listed health service facilities on <u>October 1, 2024</u>. For each facility, IMH, the Buyer, will acquire, among other things, the land, buildings, equipment, and fixtures of both facilities. Pursuant to NC Gen. Stat. § 131E-

184(a)(8), these transactions are exempt from certificate of need review. Therefore, I am requesting that you confirm my understanding by providing written confirmation to that effect.

If there are any questions, please let me know at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully,

John G. Green

President & Chief Executive Officer

CC:

Derek Hunter, Office of Atty General Azzie Conley DHSR Licensure Section, Jeff Harms, DHSR Construction Section Emily Towey, Hancock Daniel 
 From:
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 Yakaboski, Greg

Subject: FW: [External] IMH - Notice of Exempt Acquisition

Date: Monday, August 19, 2024 4:31:54 PM
Attachments: IMH Notice of Exempt Acquisition.pdf

# Tiffany,

Would you mind logging the attached and assigning to Greg? Thanks.

Micheala Mitchell, JD

NC Department of Health and Human Services

<u>Division of Health Service Regulation</u>

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**Sent:** Monday, August 19, 2024 4:16 PM

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Good afternoon,

Please forgive the delay in receiving the attached letter. I just noticed that it was still in draft form and had not been sent.

Kind regards, Avis Little

# **Avis Little**

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