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Quality Renal Care LLC
Personalized Dialysis Services

July 22, 2010

Kelly B. Ladd
Group Director DaVita, Inc.
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Chicago, IL 60647

Dear Ms. Ladd,

Quality Renal Care, LLC understands the need to move your dialysis unit from the existing location at the Crystal Lake Ambutal. However, we are concerned that doubling the capacity of your present facility would be inappropriate due to the underutilization of the current dialysis stations in the surrounding dialysis units of McHenry County.

Fresenius has received approval for a Certificate of Need on Randall Road in Elgin. This unit has not even opened up as of yet, and is only 12.7 miles from your proposed expansion and move. Quality Renal Care does not believe that DaVita needs a larger unit in Crystal Lake. Move the unit as proposed but limit the treatment space to 6 stations, the capacity of the current unit, and do not contribute to an abundance of dialysis stations in the market.

The Quality Renal Care, Marengo facility continues to be underutilized as does the vast majority of outpatient dialysis units in McHenry County. We are unable to support any actions that would increase the number of outpatient hemodialysis stations in the adjacent area.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Beth Girard".

Beth Girard, RN BSN CNN
Facility Administrator

Cc: Della M. Wozniak

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FAX COVER LETTER

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Mike Constantino

TO:

Kelly Ladd

FROM:

Delia Wynn

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RE:

Letter of Impact Statement

for Crystal Springs Dialysis

w/k/a Crystal Lake Dialysis Center

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letter we just received.*

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