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September 2, 2011

FEDERAL EXPRESS

Courtney Avery
Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62761

Re: Woodlawn Dialysis - Notice of Abandonment of Project Permit No. 10-093

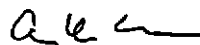
Dear Ms. Avery:

I am writing on behalf of DaVita, Inc. and Total Renal Care, Inc. (collectively, the "Permit Holders") to notify the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board (the "Board") that the Permit Holders are surrendering the CON permit for Project No. 10-093, the relocation of Woodlawn Dialysis from its existing location at 1164 East 55th Street, Chicago, Illinois to 5035 South Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, Chicago, Illinois. As you are aware, Project 10-093 was approved at the July 21, 2011 Board meeting; however, the Alderman has rescinded her earlier written approval for the Martin Luther King, Jr. location.

Unfortunately, the Board rules do not permit a change of location of a CON permit although the Permit Holders will pursue a nearly identical relocation plan at the replacement location. As a result, the Permit Holders are hereby surrendering the permit for Project No. 10-093 and filing a new application for CON permit for a new site.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Anne M. Cooper

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