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**Re: Dialysis Care Center Elgin (Project. No. 17-061)
Request for Expedited Review**

Dear Ms. Avery:

On behalf of Dialysis Care Center Elgin, we respectfully request the Illinois Health Facilities and Service Review Board ("State Board") grant expedited review of the Certificate of Need permit for the above referenced project (the "CON Application") and consider the CON Application at the February 27, 2018 State Board meeting. This project proposes the establishment of a 14-station dialysis facility to be located at 995 North Randall Road, Elgin, IL, 60123. As discussed in the CON Application, the facility is to be established in HSA 8. The current facilities in this area cannot accommodate Dr. Farhan Bangash projected patients. It is critical the CON Application is heard at the February 27, 2018 meeting. If the project is not reviewed at this time, it is unlikely that the project will be able to be completed by the proposed completion date. Accordingly, we request the State Board consider this project at the February 27, 2018 meeting to ensure patients in the Elgin area have access to much needed dialysis services.

Thank you for your time and consideration of our request for expedited review of the Dialysis Care Center Elgin CON Application, if you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Asim Shazzad
Administrator