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February 5, 2018

Scott Powder, Sr. V.P., CSO Advocate Health Care Network 3075 Highland Parkway Downers Grove, Illinois 60515

RE: Change of Ownership Exemption

Exemption: E-068-17, Dreyer Ambulatory Surgery Center, Aurora, Illinois

Exemption Holder: Dreyer/Mercy Ambulatory Surgery Center Partnership, Advocate Health Care

Network, Advocate Aurora Health, Inc. and Aurora Health Care, Inc.

Owner of Physical Plant: Dreyer/Mercy Ambulatory Surgery Center Partnership Entity to be Licensed: Dreyer/Mercy Ambulatory Surgery Center Partnership

Dear Mr Powder:

On February 1, 2018, the Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board (State Board) approved your request for a Change of Ownership. This approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1130.140 and 1130.520 as well as P.A. 99-0154. The change of ownership is for Dryer Ambulatory Surgery Center, 1221 N. Highland Avenue, Aurora, Illinois. The entity to be licensed is Dreyer/Mercy Ambulatory Surgery Center Partnership. The exemption is for Advocate Health Care Network and Aurora Health Care, Inc. to have entered into an affiliation agreement under the name of Advocate Aurora Health, Inc. There will be no change in the licensee/operating entity or the owner of the site. The fair market value of the transaction is \$0.

If applicable, within 90 days of the closing date of the transaction, the exemption holder must certify that it did or did not complete the transaction according to the key terms detailed in the application. If any of the key terms of the transaction changed, a new application will be required. Exemption holders who submitted the final transaction document along with their application merely need to notify the State Board of the date the ownership changed. Please consider this letter our formal request for the aforementioned information.

Please be advised that the Exemption is not transferable or assignable and that the State Board's approval does not exempt the transaction from any other regulatory, certification or licensure requirements that may be applicable prior to this acquisition. Should the facility for which the Exemption was granted cease to be an existing health care facility as defined in 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1130.140, this exemption will be invalid.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Mike Constantino or George Roate at 217-782-3516.

Sincerely,

Kathy Olson, Board Chair

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board