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VIA EMAIL

Courtney Avery Board Administrator Health Facilities and Services Review Board Illinois Department of Public Health 525 West Jefferson Street, Second Floor Springfield, Illinois 62761

Re: The Rehabilitation Institute of Southern Illinois, Project #19-021 Deferral Request

Dear Ms. Avery:

We represent the applicants in regard to the pending Certificate of Need application for The Rehabilitation Institute of Southern Illinois, Project #19-021. As you know we received an intent to deny at the Health Facilities and Services Review Board September 2019 meeting, and are currently scheduled for consideration at the upcoming May meeting. Pursuant to Illinois Admin. Code Section 1130.670 (d), please accept this letter as our request that the application be deferred and not be considered at the June 30, 2020 meeting.

If you have any questions or need any additional information regarding the project, please feel free to contact me via phone at 312-212-4967 or via email at JMorado@beneschlaw.com. You can also contact my colleague Mark J. Silberman, via phone at 312-212-4952 or via email at MSilberman@beneschlaw.com with any questions.

Very truly yours,

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