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VIA FEDEX

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: Encompass Rehabilitation Hospital of Libertyville, Project #19-036 - Letter of Support - Senator Melinda Bush, 31st District - Illinois

Dear Ms. Avery:

Enclosed please find a letter of support for Project #19-036, Encompass Rehabilitation Hospital of Libertyville from Senator Melinda Bush, 31st District - Illinois.

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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JM:ms Enclosure

cc: George Roate, Project Reviewer

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August 21, 2019

Ms. Courtney Avery
Board Administrator
Health Facilities & Services Review Board
Illinois Department of Public Health
525 W. Jefferson Street, Second Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Encompass Health Rehabilitation Hospital of Libertyville, LLC

Dear Ms. Avery:

I am writing to request the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board support the Certificate of Need (CON) for the Encompass Health Rehabilitation Hospital of Libertyville, LLC.

This project brings tremendous value to residents and patients needing inpatient rehabilitation services close to home. The convenient access to these specialized services will certainly benefit patients and their families, as well as provide additional jobs and positive economic impact to Lake County, Illinois and Northeastern Illinois.

I respectfully ask the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board to approve the Encompass Health Rehabilitation Hospital of Libertyville, LLC.

Sincerely,

Senator Melinda Bush 31st District – Illinois

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