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## **ELECTRONICALLY TRANSMITTED**

November 10, 2020

Fauzia Javaid Clinic Manager ARA South Barrington Dialysis 33 West Higgins Road, Suite 920-945 South Barrington, IL 60010

RE: **EXEMPTION:** Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act 20 ILCS 3960

**EXEMPTION**: # E-050-20 – ARA South Barrington Dialysis

**EXEMPTION HOLDERS:** ARA - South Barrington Dialysis LLC d/b/a South Barrington Dialysis Center, American Renal Associates Holdings, Inc., IRC Superman Holdings, LLC

CERTIFIED ENTITY: ARA - South Barrington Dialysis LLC d/b/a South Barrington

Dialysis Center

Dear Mr. Javaid:

On November 9, 2020, the Chairman of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Board (State Board) acting on behalf of the State Board under 77 IAC 1130.560(b) approved your request for a change of ownership exemption. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 IAC 1130. The exemption is for ARA - South Barrington Dialysis LLC d/b/a South Barrington Dialysis Center, 33 West Higgins Road, Suite 920-945, South Barrington, IL. This change of ownership exemption involves a stock transfer resulting in no change from the current certified entity.

As a result of this approval, the number of stations at South Barrington Dialysis Center will remain as follows:

• 14-End Stage Dialysis Stations

You are reminded that this exemption is not transferable or assignable. To demonstrate completion of this transaction, the exemption holder must provide the State Board with the date that the ownership change occurred and also provide a copy of the license or certification issued pursuant to the change of ownership if applicable. Failure to provide the required notification shall subject the exemption holder to the sanctions provided under Section 14 of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act. The exemption holder is also reminded that 77 IAC 1130.140 defines transactions that constitute a change of ownership of a health care facility. You should become familiar with those definitions.

The State Board's approval does not exempt the transaction from any other regulatory, certification or licensure requirements that may be applicable prior to acquisition. The exemption will be invalid should the facility for which the change of ownership was granted cease to be an existing Exemption Approval Letter Page 2

health care facility as defined in 77 IAC 1130.140.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Mike Constantino or George Roate of my staff at <a href="Mike.Constantino@illinois.gov">Mike.Constantino@illinois.gov</a> or <a href="George.Roate@illinois.gov">George.Roate@illinois.gov</a> or <a href="George.Roate@illinois.gov">217.782.3516</a>.

Sincerely,

Courtney Avery Administrator

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Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board