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February 22, 2022

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RE: Change of Ownership/Control

Exemption #E-008-22 – Prescence Saint Joseph Hospital Exemption Holders: Ascension Health, Presence Chicago Hospitals Network

Dear Mr. Axel:

On February 21, 2022, the Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board ("State Board") acting on behalf of the State Board approved a change of control of Presence Saint Joseph Hospital, 2900 North Lakeshore Drive, Chicago, Illinois. The licensee and the owner of the site is Presence Chicago Hospitals Network. The Hospital has been approved for 208 medical surgical beds, 11 pediatric beds, 23 obstetric beds, 15 neonatal beds, 21 intensive care beds, 34 acute mental illness beds and 26 long-term care beds for a total of 338 authorized beds. The expected completion date is June 1, 2022.

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

Sincerely,

Chairwoman

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Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board