



STATE OF ILLINOIS HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

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Kristen Larremore (partner)
Emily Duncan (associate)
Attorney
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1901 Sixth Ave. North, Suite 1400
Birmingham, AL 35203

RE: Exemption #E-068-22 - Change of Ownership

Facility: The Featherstone Partnership, L.P.

Permit Holders: The Featherstone Partnership, L.P. d/b/a Rockford Ambulatory Surgery Center, Dixon Anesthesia Associated, LLC, Global Vascular Solutions, LLC, USN Group Holdings, Inc.

Licensee: The Featherstone Partnership, L.P. d/b/a Rockford Ambulatory Surgery Center

Owner of Site: Dixon Anesthesia Associated, LLC

Dear Ms. Larremore and Ms. Duncan:

The Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board (State Board) acting on behalf of the State Board under 77 IAC 1130 approved your request for a Change of Ownership of The Featherstone Partnership, L.P. d/b/a Rockford Ambulatory Surgery Center, 1016 Featherstone Road, Rockford, Illinois. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 IAC 1130. Global Vascular Solutions, LLC is acquiring a 71.43% interest in The Featherstone Partnership, L.P. d/b/a Rockford Ambulatory Surgery Center. This transaction is considered a partnership interest transfer resulting in no change from current licensee. The Surgery Center has been approved for the following surgical specialties: Cardiovascular, General Surgery, Neurological, OB/Gynecology, Oral/Maxillofacial, Ophthalmology, Laser Eye Surgery, Orthopedic, Otolaryngology, Pain Management, Plastic, Podiatry, and Urology.

The issuance of the certificate of exemption shall be contingent upon the applicant submitting a statement to the Board within 90 days after the closing date of the transaction, or such longer period as provided by the Board, certifying that the change of ownership has been completed in accordance with the key terms contained in the application. If such key terms of the transaction change, a new application shall be required. 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 State Board's approval does not exempt the transaction from any other regulatory, certification or licensure requirements that may be applicable to this transaction.

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Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mike Constantino or George Roate of my staff at Mike.Constantino@illinois.gov or George.Roate@illinois.gov or 217.782.3516

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John P. Kniery", is written over a light gray rectangular background.

John P. Kniery, Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board