



STATE OF ILLINOIS

## HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

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### **TRANSMITTED ELECTRONICALLY**

Juan Morado, Jr. and Mark J. Silberman  
Benesch Friedlander Coplan & Aronoff, LLP  
71 South Wacker Dr., Suite 1600  
Chicago, IL 60606

**Re: EXEMPTION APPROVAL**

EXEMPTION: #E-014-23- Rush Specialty Hospital, LLC

EXEMPTION HOLDERS: Rush System for Health d/b/a Rush University System for Health, Rush University Medical Center, Rush Partners, LLC, Rush Real Estate Holdings, LLC, Select Medical Corporation, Select Illinois Holdings, Inc. Rush Specialty Hospital, LLC, RSH Property Ventures, LLC.

OPERATING ENTITY/LICENSEE: Rush Specialty Hospital, LLC

Dear Juan Morado, Jr. and Mark J. Silberman:

On April 20, 2023, the Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board ("State Board") acting on behalf of the State Board approved your request for a change of ownership of the real estate that will house Rush Specialty Hospital, LLC Corner of Harrison and Loomis Street, Chicago, Illinois. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 IAC 1130. The change of ownership involves the sale or transfer of the physical plant and related assets of a health care facility not resulting in a change of current licensee.

You are reminded that this exemption for a change of ownership of a health care facility shall be invalid if the exemption holder fails to submit 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 is required. [20 ILCS 3960/8.5(a)] 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 health care facility.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mike Constantino or George Roate of my staff at [Mike.Constantino@illinois.gov](mailto:Mike.Constantino@illinois.gov) or [George.Roate@illinois.gov](mailto:George.Roate@illinois.gov) or 217.782.3516

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John P. Kniery", is shown within a rectangular border.

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