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VIA EMAIL: john.kniery@illinois.gov and Fed Ex Overnight Delivery

John P. Kniery, Administrator Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board 525 W. Jefferson St., Second Floor Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Request for Relinquishment of Exemptions
Exemption E-021-23 Trinity Moline, E-022-23 Trinity Rock Island, E-023-23 Quad
Cities Ambulatory Surgery Center, E-024-23 Quad Cities Rehabilitation Institute

Dear Mr. Kniery,

On June 27, 2023, the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board ("HFSRB") approved requests for a change of ownership at UnityPoint Health – Trinity Moline (E-021-23), UnityPoint Health – Trinity Rock Island (E-022-23), Quad Cities Ambulatory Surgery Center (E-023-23), and Quad Cities Rehabilitation Institute (E-024-23). There were no costs associated with the change of ownership, and the approval of the exemptions was not based upon need.

Pursuant to 77 III. Adm. Code § 1130.580, the exemption holders request that the exemptions be relinquished because the proposed transaction, which was summarized in the exemption applications, will not proceed to closing. This change in direction for UnityPoint Health means there will be no change to the ownership structure of the following Illinois facilities:

UnityPoint Health-Trinity Moline, 500 John Deere Road, Moline, Illinois

UnityPoint Health - Trinity Rock Island, 2701 17th Street, Rock Island, Illinois

Quad Cities Ambulatory Surgery Center, 520 Valley View Drive, Moline, Illinois

Quad Cities Rehabilitation Institute, 653 52nd Avenue, Moline, Illinois

We want to express our sincere gratitude to you, the HFSRB, and the HFSRB's staff for your assistance and cooperation as we pursued this proposed transaction. We also greatly appreciate the HFSRB's understanding of these unanticipated circumstances.

Please contact Ashley Kleemeier, UnityPoint Health Chief of Staff (<u>Ashley.kleemeier@unitypoint.org</u>) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Scott Kizer

President and CEO UnityPoint Health

Enclosure – Checks for Application-Processing Fees