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RE: Discontinuation of a Category of Service, Health Facilities Planning Act--Part 1130 Exemption.
Exemption #: E-040-23 – Evanston Hospital
Exemption Holders: Endeavor Health, Endeavor Health Clinical Operations d/b/a Evanston Hospital

Dear Mr. Bautista and Ms. Friedman:

On January 22, 2024, the Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board acting on behalf of the State Board under 77 ILAC 1130 approved your request for the discontinuation of the open-heart category of service at Evanston Hospital, 2650 Ridge Avenue, Evanston, Illinois. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 ILAC 1130. There is no cost to this transaction.

You are reminded that this exemption for the discontinuation of a category of service shall be invalid if the exemption holder fails to submit a statement to the Board within 90 days after the discontinuation of the category of service or such longer period as provided by the Board, certifying that the discontinuation has been completed. 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 as defined in 77 IAC 1130.140.

Sincerely,

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