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Kelly Z. Andrews, General Counsel Pinnacle Fertility, Inc. 1715 North Westshore Boulevard, Suite 410 Tampa, Florida 33607 kandrews@pinnaclefertility.com

RE: Change of Ownership Exemption, Health Facilities Planning Act--Part 1130 Exemption.

Exemption #: E-015-23 – Naperville Fertility Center

Exemption Holder: Naperville Fertility Center, Inc., Pinnacle Fertility, Inc., IVF Consulting,

LLC., IVF MSO, LLC.

Dear Ms. Andrews:

On August 6, 2023, 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 a change of ownership exemption. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 ILAC 1130. The exemption is for Naperville Fertility Center, Inc. The entity to be licensed is Naperville Fertility Center, Inc.

The exemption involves change of ownership among related persons that does not result in a license being issued to an entity different from the current licensee. There is no cost to this transaction.

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 as defined in 77 IAC 1130.140.

Sincerely,

John P. Kniery Administrator

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board