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VIA EMAIL

John P. Kniery
Board Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 W Jefferson Street, Floor 2
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Project 26-009- Sycamore Specialty Hospital, Request to Additional Appearance

Dear John,

We represent Sycamore Specialty Hospital, LLC in relation to their Certificate of Need application (Project 26-009) to establish a Long-Term Acute Care Hospital ("LTACH") with an Inpatient Rehabilitation Unit at 225 Edward Street, Sycamore, Illinois. We are grateful to you, your staff and the Board, for their time and consideration of our project during the July 21, 2026 State Board Meeting. Please accept this letter as a notification of our intent to supply additional information in response to an Intent to Deny pursuant to 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1130.635. We would like to request to appear before the Board for reconsideration of the application during the September 15, 2026 State Board Meeting.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at 312-212-4967.

Sincerely,

BENESCH, FRIEDLANDER,
COPLAN & ARONOFF LLP

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Juan Morado, Jr.', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Juan Morado, Jr.

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