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**HEALTH FACILITIES &
SERVICES REVIEW BOARD**

Ms. Courtney Avery
Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson Street
Springfield, IL 62761

RE: IHFPB Project #13-036

Dear Ms. Avery;

On behalf of the permit holder, Touchette Regional Hospital, I would like to respectfully request a permit renewal for the above referenced project to expand the Hospital's AMI unit. The current completion date is December 31, 2015 and we would like to renew the permit through April 30, 2016. This is the first permit renewal request.

The project construction was delayed due to unforeseen weather. However, at this point, the project is 81% complete and all construction will be done by year end. Eighty-four % of the approved project funds have been expended to date, and all will be expended by year end. The project remains within scope and budget as approved in the permit that was issued.

The IDPH will need to survey the newly constructed space, and certify the expanded AMI unit for occupancy, which we expect will take from 1-3 months, and hence the request for a permit renewal. The permit renewal fee is enclosed, and if you have any questions do not hesitate to contact me, or Ms. Clare Ranalli, our CON counsel. We appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely,



Shannon Tesio
Director of Finance