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Ms. Kathryn J. Olson, Chair
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 W. Jefferson Street--2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Tinley Woods Surgery Center COE, E-035-16
Request to Relinquish Certificate of Exemption

Dear Chairman Olson:

On behalf of Tinley Woods Surgery Center we request approval to relinquish the Certificate of Exemption for change of ownership approved as exemption E-035-16.

On October 14, 2016, the Review Board, acting through Chairwoman Olson, approved a COE for the change of ownership of Advocate Southwest Surgery Center, d/b/a Tinley Woods Surgery Center. The closing on that transaction had been put on hold. The parties now wish to proceed with the change of ownership of that facility. The structure of the transaction remains similar to what was previously approved in E-035-16 but has changed enough that a new COE would be required. Simultaneous with this request, Tinley Woods is filing a new COE application. We understand that we first need to request approval to relinquish the 2019 exemption and formally request approval to do so by this letter.

We are enclosing a check in the amount of $1,000 for the necessary filing fee.

We thank the Board for the approval of the earlier COE and similarly ask the Board's approval of the replacement application.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure
Cc: David Spieske
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