



STATE OF ILLINOIS
HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

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September 30, 2017

Norman Stephens, CEO
Vista West Medical Center
1324 N. Sheridan Road
Waukegan, IL 60085

RE: Discontinuation of a Category of Service Exemption, Health Facilities Planning Act--Part 1130 Exemption.
Exemption #: E-041-17 - Vista West Medical Center
Exemption Holder: Waukegan Illinois Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Vista West Medical Center
Completion Date: November 14, 2017

Dear Mr. Stephens:

On September 28, 2017, the Chairman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board (State Board) acting on behalf of the State Board under 77 IAC 1130.560(a) approved your request for the discontinuation of a twenty-five (25) bed comprehensive physical rehabilitation category of service exemption. The approval was based upon the application's compliance with applicable provisions of 77 IAC 1130. The exemption is for Waukegan Illinois Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Vista West Medical Center Vista Medical Center West. The entity to be licensed is Waukegan Illinois Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Vista West Medical Center. There is no cost to this transaction.

You are reminded that the issuance of the certificate of exemption for the discontinuation of a category of service is complete upon the date provided above and no further action regarding this exemption as it relates to the State Board is required.

The State Board's approval does not exempt the transaction from any other regulatory, certification or licensure requirements that may be applicable prior to the discontinuation of the category of service.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Courtney Avery of my staff at Courtney.Avery@illinois.gov or 312.814.4825.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kathy Olson".

Kathy Olson, Board Chair
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board