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**HEALTH FACILITIES &
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Mike Constantino
Illinois Health Facilities & Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson, 2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Project #E-058-16, Fresenius Medical Care Plainfield North
Permit Holder: Fresenius Medical Care Plainfield North, LLC, and Fresenius Medical Care Holdings, Inc.

Dear Mike:

This letter is to inform you that the change of ownership of the above mentioned Plainfield North clinic occurred on September 19, 2016. The change of ownership was consistent with the material terms of the Certificate of Exemption ("COE") approved by the Chair of the Illinois Health Facilities & Services Review Board ("HFSRB") on November 15, 2016. However, as you can see, due to a miscommunication or misunderstanding, the change of ownership occurred prior to COE issuance. I discovered this mistake after COE approval when I inquired as to if/when the change of ownership transaction would occur, and the date thereof, so I could provide HFSRB timely notice of same.

As you know, I work very hard to make sure that our numerous applications and permits are consistent with, and in compliance with, HFSRB rules. This is the first time something of this nature has occurred. I believe it was due only to miscommunication regarding the process in Illinois for the proposed change of ownership. Please be assured that we have taken appropriate steps to ensure that this will not happen again.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Should this be referred to Ms. Mitchell and/or Mr. Morado, please have them contact our legal counsel, Ms. Ranalli, if they have any questions or concerns. As always, thank you.

Sincerely,

Lori Wright

cc: Courtney Avery
Clare Ranalli
Gina Reppucci