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**Exempt from Review – Acquisition of Facility**

**Record #:** 2090  
**Facility Name:** New Hanover House  
**Type of Facility:** Adult care home  
**FID #:** 051355  
**Acquisition by:** Wilmington Propco Holdings, LLC  
**Business #:** 1305  
**County:** New Hanover

Dear Mr. Deaton:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) determined that based on your letter of October 12, 2016, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with G.S 131E-184(a)(8). Therefore, Wilmington Propco Holdings, LLC may proceed to acquire the above referenced health service facility without first obtaining a certificate of need. However, you need to contact the Agency's Adult Care Licensure Section to obtain instructions for changing ownership of the existing facility. Note that pursuant to G.S. 131E-181(b): *"A recipient of a certificate of need, or any person who may subsequently acquire, in any manner whatsoever permitted by law, the service for which that certificate of need was issued, is required to materially comply with the representations made in its application for that certificate of need."*

It should be noted that this Agency's position is based solely on the facts represented by you and that any change in facts as represented would require further consideration by this Agency and a separate determination. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

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Project Analyst

Martha J. Frisone  
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cc: Adult Care Licensure Section, DHSR  
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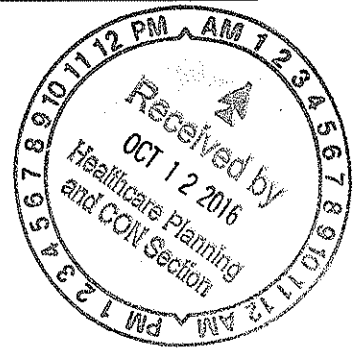


# Wilmington Propco Holdings, LLC

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October 11, 2016



Ms. Martha Frisone, Assistant Chief  
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**Re: Notice of Exempt Acquisition of New Hanover House (FID: 051355) pursuant to Section 131E-184(a)(8) of the North Carolina General Statutes**

Bus id 1305  
NR 2090

Dear Ms. Frisone:

I am writing on behalf of Wilmington Propco Holdings, LLC (the "Buyer"), to provide notice to the N.C. Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Service Regulation, Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section (the "Agency") of a transaction involving New Hanover House (License Number HAL-065-036), a licensed adult care home located at 3915 Stedwick Court, Wilmington, New Hanover County, North Carolina (the "Facility").

The Facility is currently owned by New Hanover Health Investors, LLC. The Facility is leased to and operated by New Hanover House, LLC (the "Current Licensee"). Pursuant to the transaction, the Facility will be acquired by Buyer. Following the conclusion of the transaction, on or about October 31, 2016, the Facility will continue to be operated as an adult care home, and the Facility will continue to be operated by the Current Licensee pursuant to its lease agreement with the Buyer.

The acquisition of the Facility will not involve the development of any new health service facility or otherwise qualify as a "new institutional health service" which would be subject to review under applicable Certificate of Need statutes or regulations. Pursuant to this letter, the Buyer hereby requests that the Agency confirm that the acquisition of the Facility is exempt from Certificate of Need review and approval pursuant to Section 131E-184(a)(8) of the North Carolina General Statutes.

If you require additional information, please contact me at (828) 261-7312. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

J. Melvin Deaton

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