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Exempt from Review – Physician Office

Record #: 1966
Business Name: Novant Health Brunswick Medical Center
Business #: 2420
Project Description: Develop a second medical office building on the main hospital campus
County: Brunswick

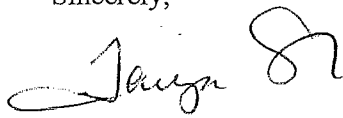
Dear Ms. Freedy:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency), determined that based on your letter dated May 26, 2016 and received in our office on May 31, 2016, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with G.S. 131E-184(a)(9). Therefore, you may proceed to offer, develop or establish the above referenced project without a certificate of need.

However, you need to contact the Agency's Construction and the Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Sections to determine if they have any requirements for development of the proposed physician office.

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 the Agency and a separate determination. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,


Tanya S. Rupp
Project Analyst


Martha J. Frisone
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RE: NCGS Section 131E-184(a)(9) Exemption Request for Development of Physician Office Building on the campus of Novant Health Brunswick Medical Center, Bolivia, NC-FID #061342 (Brunswick County/Health Service Area V)

Dear Ms. Frisone:

Novant Health is planning to develop a second Medical Office Building on the existing campus of Novant Health Brunswick Medical Center in Bolivia, NC. This MOB will be one story and will be next to the existing MOB on the NHBMC campus. Novant Health will contact the Agency and submit the necessary CON Application for any new institutional health service that may be developed in the proposed second MOB.

Based on the project described above and pursuant to NCGS Section 131E-184(a)(9), we believe this project is exempt from CON review. This letter serves as our prior written notification to the CON Agency of our intent to proceed with the MOB #2 project. We would appreciate your confirmation that this project is exempt for CON review. If you have questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 336-718-4483.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara L. Freedy".

Barbara L. Freedy
Novant Health, Inc.
Director, Certificate of Need

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