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Mr. Richard McKinley
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 475 Allendale Road
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Re: Change of Ownership: Pennington Gap HMA, Inc. d/b/a Lee Regional Hospital;
 Materials License No. 45-23009-01
 Change of Ownership: Norton HMA, Inc. d/b/a Mountain View Regional Hospital;
 Materials License No. 45-23001-01

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Dear Mr. McKinley:

Per your instructions, attached are letters regarding the above-referenced transactions which are signed by the selling entity and the buying entity. If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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July 31, 2007

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Re: Change of Ownership: Norton HMA, Inc. d/b/a Mountain View Regional Hospital;
Materials License No. 45-23001-01

Dear Mr. McKinley:

The purpose of this letter is to amend Materials License No. 45-23001-01 due to a change of ownership. Wellmont Health System, a Tennessee nonprofit hospital system headquartered in Kingsport, Tennessee, has entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement whereby it will acquire substantially all of the assets of Norton HMA, Inc. d/b/a Mountain View Regional Hospital in Norton, Virginia. Mountain View Regional Hospital presently holds Materials License No. 45-23009-01. The acquisition of Mountain View Regional Hospital is anticipated to be effective as of 12:01 a.m. on August 1, 2007. This transaction will result in Wellmont Health System succeeding to the ownership of all of the assets and facilities of Mountain View Regional Hospital. Accordingly, this transaction will represent a change of ownership for purposes of the above-referenced license previously issued to Mountain View Regional Hospital.

For purposes of obtaining NRC's prior written consent pursuant to Nu Reg. - 1556, Volume 15, Appendix F, we submit the following information:

1. The transaction will be an asset purchase. A name change is not contemplated at this time, though one may occur in the future. Wellmont Health System will take the necessary steps to notify NRC if a name change occurs. Please contact Jeremy Drinkwitz at (276) 679-9107 if more information is needed.

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2. At present, there will not be any changes in personnel or duties that relate to the licensed program.

3. At present, there will not be any changes in the organization, location, facilities, equipment or procedures that relate to the licensed program.

4. The change of ownership will not result in an interruption of the licensed program or the established administrative procedures for security. Mountain View Regional Hospital has and Wellmont Health System will continue to conduct the licensed program in accordance with the statements, representations and procedures contained in the documents submitted to renew the above-referenced license.

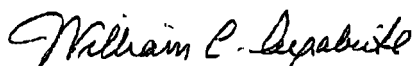
5. All records concerning the safety of the facility will be transferred to Wellmont Health System or NRC as appropriate.

6. Wellmont Health System agrees to abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements and commitments of Mountain View Regional Hospital.

Please send our office any additional application forms, notices or other correspondence or filings which your office requires in connection with this change of ownership.

Very truly yours,

HUNTER, SMITH & DAVIS, LLP



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