

BLUEFIELD HOSPITAL COMPANY, LLC  
4000 MERIDIAN BOULEVARD  
FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE  
37067

August 14, 2019

Via FedEx

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I  
2100 Renaissance Blvd.  
King of Prussia, PA 19406

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**Re: Notice of Proposed Change of Ownership: Bluefield Hospital Company LLC d/b/a  
Bluefield Regional Medical Center (Radioactive Materials License #47-19142-01)**

Dear Sir or Madam:

I write on behalf of Bluefield Hospital Company, LLC (the "Company"). The Company owns and operates Bluefield Regional Medical Center, an acute care hospital located in Bluefield, West Virginia (the "Hospital"). Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 30.34(b), the purpose of this letter is to provide notice to the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the "NRC") of the anticipated change of ownership of the Hospital and to obtain the consent of the NRC to the transfer of control of the above-referenced radioactive materials license issued by the NRC.

The Company is a party to a definitive agreement that, subject to the satisfaction or waiver of certain conditions, will result in the acquisition of all of the membership interests of the Company by Princeton Community Hospital Association, Inc., a West Virginia not for profit corporation (the "Proposed Transaction"). It is anticipated that the Proposed Transaction will close effective as of **October 1, 2019**; however, the closing could take place at a later date depending upon the timing of regulatory and other necessary approvals.

Other than changes resulting in the ordinary course of business, no change in the local administrative management or day-to-day operations of the Hospital is anticipated as a result of the Proposed Transaction. In particular, the Proposed Transaction will not result in any change in the use, possession, location, or storage of licensed radioactive materials at the Hospital, nor will it result in any change in the Hospital's equipment, procedures, or personnel operating under the Company's current radioactive materials license.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact counsel for the Company, Emily Morrison, at (615) 252-3570 or [emorrison@bradley.com](mailto:emorrison@bradley.com).

Sincerely,



Timothy A. Bess  
Chief Executive Officer, Bluefield Regional Medical  
Center

cc: Emily Morrison (via email: [emorrison@bradley.com](mailto:emorrison@bradley.com))

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NMSS/RGN1 MATERIALS-002

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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE**

**Name and Address of Applicant and/or Licensee**

Bluefield Hospital Company, LLC  
Attn: Derek Cimala, CEO  
500 Cherry Street  
Bluefield, WV 24701-3390

**Date**

8/22/2019

**License Number(s)**

47-19142-01

**Mail Control Number(s)**

Change of Control - 613971

**Licensing and/or Technical Reviewer or Branch**

Medical Branch

This is to acknowledge receipt of your: ☒ Letter and/or ☐ Application Dated: 08/14/2019

The initial processing, which included an administrative review, has been performed.

☐ Amendment ☐ Termination ☐ New License ☐ Renewal

☒ There were no administrative omissions identified during our initial review.

☐ This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for renewal of the material(s) license identified above. Your application is deemed timely filed, and accordingly, the license will not expire until final action has been taken by this office.

☐ Your application for a new NRC license did not include your taxpayer identification number. Please complete and submit NRC Form 531, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number, located at the following link: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/nrc531.pdf>  
Follow the instructions on the form for submission.

☐ The following administrative omissions have been identified:

Your application has been assigned the above listed MAIL CONTROL NUMBER. When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number. Your application has been forwarded to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review, which is normally completed within 180 days for a renewal application (90 days for all other requests), may identify additional omissions or require additional information. If you have any questions concerning the processing of your application, our contact information is listed below:

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**Division of Nuclear Materials Safety**  
**2100 Renaissance Boulevard, Suite 100**  
**King of Prussia, PA 19406-2713**  
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