

Birk Law Firm, LC

From the desk of
Kelvin W. Birk
Attorney and Counselor at Law
Certified Public Accountant

106 Farrar Dr., Ste. 107
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Telephone (573) 332-8585
Facsimile (573) 332-0660
Website www.birklegal.com
Email kbirk@birklegal.com

June 6, 2011

Mike Constantino
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson
2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: E-001-11: Surgery Center of Southern Illinois, Marion

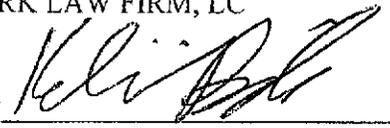
Dear Mr. Constantino:

This correspondence is to inform you that I was told by Mr. Charles Ferguson, an attorney retained by Surgical Care Affiliates, that Mr. Ron Osman's inquiry into purchasing the Surgery Center referenced above was for the purpose of utilizing the real estate only, i.e., that Mr. Osman was not looking at the transaction for the purpose of operating the surgery center. This information was relayed to me in a context in that I was representing Dr. Ahmad in closing the transaction to purchase the Surgery Center wherein Dr. Ahmad fully intends to operate the property as a surgery center.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

BIRK LAW FIRM, LC

By 

Kelvin W. Birk

KB/rm