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July 31, 2014

Kathryn J. Olson, Chairman
Illinois Health Facilities Planning Board
525 W. Jefferson Street, Second Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62761

RE: Application for Chicago Behavioral Health Hospital - Certificate of Exemption for the Change of Ownership for Maryville Behavioral Health Hospital in Des Plaines, Illinois

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Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dan Kotowski".

Dan Kotowski
Illinois State Senator
28th District



July 22, 2014

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July 24, 2014

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