



STATE OF ILLINOIS
HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

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CORRECTED
CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Annette Kenney
Vice President Strategy & Business Development
Edward-Elmhurst Healthcare
801 S. Washington Street
Naperville, IL 60540

Re: Exemption Approval

EXEMPTION NUMBER: E-025-13

FACILITY NAME: Midwest Endoscopy Center, LLC - Naperville

APPLICANTS: Midwest Endoscopy Center, LLC - Edward Health Ventures - Edward/
Elmhurst Healthcare

Dear Ms. Kenny:

On December 13, 2013, the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board/Chairwoman approved the exemption application for the referenced project based upon the project's substantial conformance with the applicable standards and criteria of 77 III Adm. Code 1130. In arriving at a decision, the State Board considered the findings contained in the State Board Staff Report, the exemption application material, public hearing testimony and documents, any testimony made before the State Board, and the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act (20 ILCS 3960).

The operating entity licensee and the owner of the site is Midwest Endoscopy Center, LLC. The exemption change of ownership involves a stock transfer resulting in no change of licensee. The acquisition price/fair market value is \$12,876,600.

You are reminded that this exemption is only valid for 24 months from the date of approval and is not transferable or assignable. This exemption must be completed within the 24 -month period. To demonstrate completion of this transaction, the exemption holder must provide the State Agency with the date that the ownership change occurred and also provide a copy of the license or certification.

This permit does not exempt the project or permit holder from licensing and certification requirements, including approval of applicable architectural plans and specifications prior to construction. Please note the Illinois Department of Public Health will not license the proposed facility until such time as all of the permit requirements have been completed. Should you have any questions regarding the permit requirements, please contact Mike Constantino at 217-782-3516.

Sincerely,

Courtney Avery, Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board

cc: Kathy J. Olson, Chairwoman