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December 12, 2014

Mr. Rick Davis, CEO
Central Peninsula Hospital
250 Hospital Place
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RE: Request for Determination dated November 21, 2014

Dear Mr. Davis,

The Department is in receipt of your Request for Determination regarding the conversion of prior CON approved shelled space in the Specialty Clinics Building located on the Central Peninsula Hospital campus. You plan to convert this space for use as endoscopy and procedure suites for non-surgical procedures.

The results of the recent State of Alaska Gubernatorial race dictate changes in the Department's leadership. As such, transition activities are underway. These activities interrupted the analysis and processing of your request. The Department is informing you that an additional thirty (30) days is necessary to review your Request for Determination and render a decision. You can expect a determination from the Department on or before January 14, 2015.

I apologize for any inconvenience. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Hicks", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Alexandria Hicks, CON Coordinator

cc: Jon Sherwood, Deputy Commissioner for Medicaid and Health Care Policy