

**NOTICE OF DECISION ON REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF WHETHER  
A CERTIFICATE OF NEED IS REQUIRED  
THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

In accordance with 7 AAC 07.031, the Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS) determines that a certificate of need is not required for the project/activity described below:

**Project/Activity:** Muldoon ASC, LLC seeks to co-locate a single operating room ambulatory surgery center with ASC North, LLC which occupies a free standing building located at 6911 DeBarr Road in Anchorage, Alaska. The estimated cost of the project is \$527,653.77. Muldoon ASC, LLC will be operating a maximum of two days per week, and ASC North will be operating a maximum of five days per week. This concept is in accordance with CMS guidelines for temporally separate ASC's that share the same location.

**Summary of Decision:** In accordance with A.S. 18.07 and 7 AAC 07, the project does not require a certificate of need because the cost estimate for the leased space does not exceed the \$1.5 million statutory threshold under AS 18.07.031.

Copies of the request for determination and this decision are available on the Certificate of Need website at: <http://hss.state.ak.us/Apps/CertNeed/>. Copies may also be obtained by contacting the Certificate of Need Program Coordinator by mail, phone, FAX, or email as follows:

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A person who requested a determination under 7 AAC 07.031 may seek reconsideration of the determination by submitting a written request for reconsideration to the department at the address listed above. A request for reconsideration must be postmarked no later than 30 days after the date of this determination and be made in conformance with 7 AAC 07.033.

DATE: January 6, 2016  
Anchorage, Alaska

/s/Alexandria Hicks  
Certificate of Need Program Coordinator