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VIA FACSIMILE ONLY

Nancy Rosenthal Senior Vice President-Health System Development Yale-New Haven Health Services Corporation 20 York Street New Haven, CT 06510

RE:

Certificate of Need Determination Report Number 13-31860-DTR

Yale-New Haven Hospital

Discontinuation of Services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital

Pediatric Specialty Clinic at Guilford

Dear Ms. Rosenthal:

On August 28, 2013, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received your Certificate of Need ("CON") determination request on behalf of Yale-New Haven Hospital ("Applicant") with respect to whether a CON is required for the discontinuation of services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Pediatric Specialty Clinic at Guilford (the "Clinic").

The Clinic is located at 405 Church Street in Guilford, Connecticut and provides outpatient chemotherapy infusion services, and outpatient office visits in the specialties of hematology/oncology, cardiology, endocrinology, respiratory and gastroenterology for pediatric patients.

The Applicant, a member of the Yale-New Haven Health System, is a 1,541 bed non-profit hospital that has been operating the Clinic with clinical services provided by Yale Medical Group. The Applicant is proposing the cessation of all services at the Clinic in March of 2014.

The cessation of services at the Clinic is a termination of inpatient or outpatient services offered by a hospital, as referenced in Connecticut General Statutes § 19a-638(a)(4). Based upon the foregoing, OHCA concludes that a CON is required.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kimberly R. Martone Director of Operations

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C: Rose McLellan, License and Applications Supervisor, DPH, DHSR