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Surgical Care Affiliates
Attn: Matt A. Heilala, DPM
Alaska Foot and Ankle Specialists
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Dear Dr. Heilala:

The Department has completed its concurrent review and analysis of the Certificate of Need application submitted by your organization for construction of a two-suite ambulatory surgery center in the Matanuska Susitna (Mat-Su) Borough in Alaska and the application submitted by Providence Health and Services Alaska to also construct a two-suite ambulatory surgical center in the Mat-Su.

It has been determined that the Surgical Care Affiliates Certificate of Need application has not met the provisions of AS 18.07 and 7 AAC 07 and is therefore denied.

Under 7 AAC 07.080, if you are dissatisfied with this decision, you are entitled to a hearing if the request for a hearing is received in writing by the Department no later than 30 days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "William J. Streur".

William J. Streur
Commissioner, DHSS

Encl: Staff concurrent review of CON applications