

**STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES
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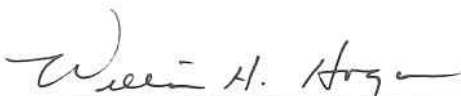
**CERTIFICATE OF NEED
FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A FOUR SUITE
AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER**

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER

South Anchorage Ambulatory Surgery Center, a joint venture between Providence Health System in Alaska and Advanced Pain Centers of Alaska, is authorized to spend a total of \$6,500,000 to build out a four-suite, 20,100 square foot surgical facility in an existing building located at 88th and Toloff in Anchorage.

A condition of approval is that any "shelled in" or other space planned for conversion to additional surgical suites at a later date must go through the Certificate of Need process and be approved by the Department, regardless of the cost, prior to expending any funds for conversion or operation.

The completion date for the project is December 31, 2009.

By: 
**William H. Hogan
Commissioner**

Date: July 28, 2008