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September 14, 2009

Certified, Return Receipt Requested

Bruce Lamoureux, CEO/Administrator Providence Alaska Medical Center 3200 Providence Drive P.O. Box 196604 Anchorage, Alaska 99519-6604

Dear Mr. Lamoureux:

The review of the Providence Alaska Medical Center Certificate of Need (CON) application for construction of an Electrophysiology Laboratory is complete. I have determined that the application has met the applicable criteria for approval to the satisfaction of the State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Services.

In accordance with A.S. 18.07.031-111 and 7 AAC 07.010-130, Providence Alaska Medical Center is authorized to spend \$7,030,727 for construction of a 1,948 square foot Electrophysiology Laboratory in the Providence Alaska Medical Center in Anchorage. Included in the construction costs is the relocation and remodeling of a 3,080 square foot space for Ultrasound and its associated services and the relocation and remodeling of a 1,430 square foot space for Laboratory services.

The anticipated completion date is July 31, 2010.

A Certificate of Need for construction is enclosed along with a copy of the department's review of your application.

Under 7 AAC 07.08, 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,

William H. Hogan

Commissioner

Attachment: Certificate with staff review