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VIA EMAIL ONLY

Ms. Emily Marsal Executive Director State Health Planning and Development Agency 100 North Union Street Suite 870 Montgomery, AL 36104

Re: Skilled Nursing Facility Change of Ownership - The Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center

Dear Ms. Marsal:

Pursuant to Chapter 410-1-7-.04, Rules and Regulations of the Alabama Certificate of Need Program (the "Rules"), we respectfully submit the attached Notice of Change of Ownership. The Change of Ownership involves the purchase of the 80-bed skilled nursing facility located in Thomasville, Clarke County, Alabama, and known as The Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center (the "Facility"). The Facility is currently owned by The City of Thomasville, Alabama, a municipal corporation (the "Seller") and operated by The Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center, an Alabama public corporation (the "Current Operator"). Following is a summary of the proposed transaction:

I. Facts.

- 1. Seller owns the real property on which the Facility is located and operates the Facility located at 1425 Mosley Drive, Thomasville, AL 36784 through the Current Operator.
- 2. Seller, Operator and Crowne Investments, Inc., an Alabama corporation ("Purchaser") have negotiated and entered into an asset purchase agreement dated March 18, 2020 (the "APA") for the sale of substantially all of the assets used in the operation of the Facility (the "Transaction").

- 3. Prior to the Commencement, as defined below, and pursuant to the terms of the APA, the Purchaser intends to assign its right to purchase the Facility to Thomasville Real Estate, LLC, a newly organized single purpose Alabama limited liability company (the "Assignee") which is wholly-owned by Purchaser. Assignee shall lease the Facility under a lease agreement (the "Lease Agreement") to Crowne Health Care of Thomasville, LLC, a newly organized single-purpose Alabama limited liability company (the "Tenant") which is wholly-owned by Crowne Operations, Inc., an Alabama corporation which is under common control with Purchaser. Tenant will be responsible for the operations of the Facility under the Lease Agreement.
- 4. Under certain documents to be negotiated and entered into in order to effectuate the Transaction, subject to approval by the Alabama Department of Public Health ("ADPH") and the issuance of a license by ADPH to Tenant to operate the Facility as an 80-bed nursing facility, the Transaction will become effective as of May 1, 2020 (the "Commencement").
- 5. The resulting "change in control" requires notification to your agency pursuant to ALA. ADMIN. CODE §410-1-7-.04(1).
- 6. The change in control of the Facility will be documented by the enclosed executed change of ownership form.

II. <u>Financial Scope of Project.</u>

As outlined in the attached change of ownership form, this transaction does not involve the purchase of new equipment, new operating costs, or other capital expenditures in excess of the spending thresholds set forth in Section 22-21-263(a)(2) of the Code of Alabama. The specific costs related to the project are itemized.

III. Services to be Offered.

1. <u>No New Services</u>: The transaction does not involve the offering of any new services by the Facility.

IV. Beds.

1. <u>New Beds</u>: The proposed transaction does not involve any addition or reduction of beds.

2. <u>Conversion of Beds</u>: The proposed transaction does not involve the conversion of beds.

V. Stock and Assets.

Other than described above, the transaction does not involve the acquisition of stock or assets relating to the operation of the Facility.

Based on the above showing that there has been no (i) change in health service, (ii) spending in excess of the spending thresholds, (iii) conversion of beds or (iv) increase in bed capacity we respectfully ask that you exercise your authority under Chapter 410-1-7-.04(2) of the Rules and determine that a CON or other action by SHPDA is not required for the consummation of the above-described proposed transaction. In accordance with the Rules, the filing fee of \$2,500.00 will be paid via the electronic payment portal. I enclose the executed change of ownership form.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at 205-381-1364.

Sincerely,

Angie C. Smith

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP/CONTROL

The following notification of intent is provided pursuant to all applicable provisions of ALA. CODE § 22-21-270 (1975 as amended) and ALA. ADMIN. CODE r. 410-1-7-.04. This notice must be filed at least twenty (20) days prior to the transaction.

 \underline{X} Change in Direct Ownership or Control (of a vested Facility; ALA. CODE §§ 22-20-271(d), (e)) Change in Certificate of Need Holder (ALA. CODE § 22-20-271(f))

X Change in Facility Management (Facility Operator)

Any transaction other than those above-described requires an application for a Certificate of Need

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| Part I: Facility Information | |
| SHPDA ID Number: (This can be found at www.shpda.alabama.g | 025-N7000 ov, Health Care Data, ID Codes) |
| Name of Facility/Provider: (ADPH Licensure Name) | Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center |
| Physical Address: | 1425 Mosley Drive |
| | Thomasville, AL 36784 |
| County of Location: | Clarke County |
| Number of Beds/ESRD Stations: | 80 skilled nursing facility beds |
| CON Authorized Service Area (Hom pages if necessary. NA | e Health and Hospice Providers Only). Attach additional |
| Part II: Current Authority (ownership or control, as defined un charts outlining current and proposed Owner (Entity Name) of Facility named in Part I: | Note: If this transaction will result in a change in director ALA. Code § 22-20-271(e), please attach organizational structures.) The City of Thomasville, Alabama |
| racility hamed in Part I. | The City of Thomasville, Alabama |
| Mailing Address: | P.O. Box 127 Thomasville, AL 36784 |
| Operator (Entity Name): | The Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center |
| Part III: Acquiring Entity Info | rmation |
| Name of Entity: | Thomasville Real Estate, LLC |
| Mailing Address: | 501 Whetstone Street |
| | Monroeville, AL 36460 |

| Operator (Entity Name): | Crowne Health Care of Thomasville, LLC |
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| Proposed Date of Transaction is on or after: | 5/1/2020 |
| Part IV: Terms of Purchase | |
| Monetary Value of Purchase: | \$ see attached correspondence |
| Type of Beds: | skilled nursing facility |
| Number of Beds/ESRD Stations: | 80 beds |
| Financial Scope: to Include Prelimin Construction, and Yearly Operating Cos | ary Estimate of the Cost Broken Down by Equipment, st: |
| Projected Equipment Cost: | \$ None |
| Projected Construction Cost: | \$ 220,000 |
| Projected Yearly Operating Cost: | \$_698,700 |
| Projected Total Cost: | \$ 918,700 |
| On an Attached Sheet Please A | Address the Following: |
| 1.) The services to be offered by the prooffered the service, whether the service the service is a new service). | oposal (the applicant will state whether he has previously is an extension of a presently offered service, or whether |
| 2.) Whether the proposal will include the | addition of any new beds. |
| 3.) Whether the proposal will involve the | conversion of beds. |
| 4.) Whether the assets and stock (if any) | will be acquired. |
| Part V: Certification of Informat | ion |
| Current Authority Signature(s): | |
| The information contained in this notifica belief. | tion is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and |
| Owner(s): The City of Thomasville, | Alabama |

Operator(s):

Title/Date:

The Thomasville Health Care and Rehabilitation Center

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 8 day of April , 2020.

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Notary Public

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Acquiring Authority Signature(s):

I agree to be responsible for reporting of all services provided during the current annual reporting period, as specified in ALA. ADMIN. CODE r. 410-1-3-.12. The information contained in this notification is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Lessor(s): Thomasville Real Estate, LLC

Crowne Health Care of Thomasville

of Thomasville, LLC

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 7% day of $\sqrt{}$

2020

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Or

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Operator(s):

Title/Date:

Author: Alva M. Lambert

Statutory Authority: § 22-21-271(c), Code of Alabama, 1975

History: New Rule

