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VIA EMAIL AND OVERNIGHT MAIL (shpda.online@shpda.alabama.gov)

Hon. Emily T. Marsal Executive Director State Health Planning and Development Agency 100 N. Union Street, Suite 870 Montgomery, Alabama 36104

Re: Change of Ownership/Control Notice – Extendicare Health Center (ID 069-N0001).

Dear Ms. Marsal:

This letter is intended to provide you with written notice of a proposed change of ownership/control ("<u>CHOW</u>") concerning the Certificate of Need for Extendicare Health Center (the "<u>Facility</u>").

Extendicare, Inc. (the "<u>Current Owner</u>") currently maintains Certificate of Need (Facility ID no. 069-N0001), to operate the Facility as a one hundred seventy (170) bed skilled nursing facility located at 950 South St. Andrews Street, Dothan, Alabama 36301 (the "<u>CON</u>").

Pursuant to an asset purchase agreement (the "<u>Agreement</u>"), anticipated to close on or after July 1, 2024 (the "<u>Effective Date</u>"), Noland Extendicare, LLC d/b/a Extendicare Health & Rehab (the "<u>New Owner</u>") intends to acquire from the Current Owner all of the real and personal property comprising the Facility, including the Certificate of Need rights required to be a licensed 170-bed nursing facility at its current location (the "<u>Proposed Transaction</u>"). New Owner is owned one hundred percent (100%) by Noland Health Services, Inc., a not-for-profit corporation with 501(c)(3) status ("Noland").

In addition to the foregoing, the following facts provide additional information in response to the required items:

1) The services to be offered by the proposal (the applicant will state whether he has previously offered the service and whether the service is an extension of a presently offered service, or whether the service is a new service).

The Proposed Transaction does not involve the offering of any new services by the New Owner. The Facility is currently a skilled nursing facility ("<u>SNF</u>") and will continue to operate as a SNF. Noland is a nursing home provider and operates a number of SNF facilities throughout Alabama.

2) Whether the proposal will include the addition of any new beds.

The Proposed Transaction does not include the addition of any new beds.

3) Whether the proposal will involve the conversion of beds.

The Proposed Transaction does not involve the conversion of beds.

4) Whether the assets and stock (if any) will be acquired.

The Proposed Transaction will involve the acquisition by the New Owner of certain assets currently owned by the Current Operator used in the operation of the Facility. The Proposed Transaction does not involve acquisition of any stock.

Under the Proposed Transaction, the New Owner will make a fair market value payment to the Current Owner to acquire the assets of the Facility. The Proposed Transaction will not involve construction, nor will it involve the purchase of any new equipment, new operating costs, or other capital expenditures in excess of the spending thresholds of \$3,322,582 for new equipment, \$1,327,734 for new operating costs, or \$6,638,679 for capital expenditures.

Please consider this letter as official notice of the Proposed Transaction and the corresponding CHOW, and find enclosed the following documents: (i) a completed Notice of Change of Ownership/Control Form; and (ii) the required fee in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00).

Based on the information above and enclosed showing that the Proposed Transaction will not involve (i) a change in health services, (ii) an expenditure in excess of the spending thresholds, or (iii) a change in existing bed capacity, we respectfully ask that you exercise your authority under Ala. Admin. Code r. 410-1-1-.01, *et seq.* to determine that a certificate of need or other action by SHPDA is not required for the consummation of the Proposed Transaction.

Should you have any questions or require any additional information, please contact me by phone at 205.226.5739 or email at Chris.Thompson@hklaw.com.

Sincerely yours,

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Alabama CON Rules & Regulations

STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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.

- Ohange 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))

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

Part I: Facility Information		
SHPDA ID Number:	069-N0001	
(This can be found at www.shpda.alabama.go		
Name of Facility/Provider: (ADPH Licensure Name)	Extendicare Health Center	
Physical Address:	950 South St. Andrews Street	
	Dothan, AL 36301	
County of Location:	HOUSTON	
Number of Beds/ESRD Stations:	170	
ownership or control, as defined un- charts outlining current and proposed	,	e in direc anizationa
Owner (Entity Name) of Facility named in Part I:	Extendicare, Inc.	
	950 South St. Andrews Street	
Mailing Address:	Dothan, AL 36301	
	Extendicare, Inc. d/b/a Extendicare Health	Contor
Operator (Entity Name):		———
Part III: Acquiring Entity Info	rmation	
	Noland Extendicare, LLC	
Name of Entity:		
Mailing Address:	600 Corporate Parkway, Suite 100	
	Birmingham, AL 35242	

Operator (Entit	ty Name).	Noland Extend	dicare, LLC d/b/a Extendicare Health
. ,	e of Transaction is	July 1, 2024	
Part IV: Ter	ms of Purchase		
Monetary Value	e of Purchase: \$	fair market value	e
Type of Beds:		Nursing Hor	me
Number of Bed	ls/ESRD Stations:		170
	pe: to Include Prelimin		the Cost Broken Down by Equipment,
Projected	d Equipment Cost:	\$ <u>0.00</u>	
Projected	d Construction Cost:	\$ 0.00	
Projected	Yearly Operating Cost:	\$_0.00	
Projecte	ed Total Cost:	\$_0.00	
1.) The service	vice, whether the service	oposal (the appli	Following: icant will state whether he has previously of a presently offered service, or whether
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3.) Whether the	proposal will involve the	conversion of be	eds.
4.) Whether the	assets and stock (if any	•	l. over Letter
Part V: Certi	ification of Informat		ver Letter
Current Autho	rity Signature(s):		
The information belief.	contained in this notifica	ation is true and o	correct to the best of my knowledge and
Owner(s):	Extendicare, Inc.		Caucer Jane
Operator(s):	Extendicare, Inc.	_	Janes Clennis
Title/Date:	Owner/Operator		Date: 5/23/2024

State Health Plann	ing and Development Agency	Alabama CON Rules & Regulations		
SWORN to and	d subscribed before me, this day o	Andria D. Parker Notary Public		
		My Commission Expires: 10-6-2025		
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. 410-1-312. The information contained in this notification is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.				
Purchaser(s):	Noland Extendicare, LLC			
Operator(s):	Noland Extendicare, LLC			
Title/Date:	President/CEO			
SWORN to and subscribed before me, this day of,				

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Author: Alva M. Lambert

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

History: New Rule

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State Health Plann	ing and Development Agency	Alabama CON Rules & Regulations		
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(Seal)		Notary Public		
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Purchaser(s):	Noland Extendicare, LLC	Barbara Estap		
Operator(s):	Noland Extendicare, LLC	Barbara Exep		
Title/Date:	President/CEO	President (CEO		
SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 23 day of May				
(Seal)		Carol Stephens Metchell Notary Public		
		My Commission Expires: 13/8/2027		



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

History: New Rule