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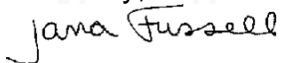
Re: NEWCO Oregon, Inc. (CN #675)

Dear Mr. Escarda:

The Certificate of Need Program is electing to extend the time frame for review of your application in order to allow it an opportunity to review two documents that were recently released by the Oregon Health Authority: "ED Boarding of Psychiatric Patients in Oregon" and "Emergency Department Boarding of Psychiatric Patients in Oregon, Report Briefing." We will be providing you and affected parties a copy of these documents via email. A proposed decision will be issued no later than February 24, 2017.

Thank you for your continuing cooperation.

Sincerely,



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