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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

**COMMISSIONERS: Deborah Platt Majoras, Chairman
Pamela Jones Harbour
Jon Leibowitz
William E. Kovacic
J. Thomas Rosch**

In the matter of

EVANSTON NORTHWESTERN HEALTHCARE CORPORATION | Docket No. 9315

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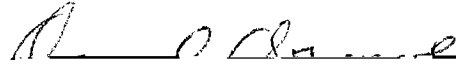
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Gaynor, Vivian Ho, Richard Lindrooth, and Mark Satterthwaite (collectively “Amici”), respectfully move for leave to file an *amicus curiae* brief in this matter. The Amici are professors at major universities who have researched and written extensively on health economics, industrial organization, and the economics of competition in health care. This

submission describes what the Amici believe are consensus views on some economic questions that arise in connection with the August 6, 2007 ruling by the Federal Trade Commission in the

Respectfully submitted,

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