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June 17, 1999

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Dear Mr. Smith:

This is to confirm our conversation yesterday regarding my client's participation in an acquisition upon which you received a letter dated June 10, 1999 from [REDACTED] of [REDACTED]

In that letter, Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he represented a hospital which was going to purchase property from another hospital. Prior to the closing, the seller hospital will strip from its buildings all income producing assets, as explained in Mr. [REDACTED] letter. You confirmed in our conversation that you agreed with Mr. [REDACTED] letter that the acquisition by his hospital client was exempt as a purchase of unproductive real property under Section 802.2(c) of the Hart Scott-Rodino rules.

The property being sold consists of several buildings. Mr. [REDACTED] hospital

my client also will be stripped of income producing assets prior to the closing.

In our conversation you confirmed that my client's acquisition also is exempt from a Hart-Scott-Rodino filing as the purchase of unproductive real property under section 802.2(c).

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Please let me know within three (3) days of your receipt of this letter if you disagree with the above.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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