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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region II, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety 61 Forsyth St SW, Suite 23T85 Atlanta, GA 30303 Attn: Richard Gibson

> Re: Raleigh General Hospital Beckley, West Virginia 030/4390 Radioactive Materials License No. 47-18046-01

Dear Mr. Gibson:

Please be advised of the proposed acquisition of the ownership interest in Raleigh General Hospital, LLC, the owner and operator of Raleigh General Hospital (the "Hospital") by LifePoint WV Holdings, Inc.

This transaction is expected to take place on or about July 1, 2006. Following this transfer of ownership interest, Raleigh General Hospital, LLC will continue to own and operate the Hospital. The name of the Hospital and the tax identification number, 55-0261260, will not change. Therefore, this transaction should not constitute a change in ownership of the Hospital.

I will again notify your office when the transaction is completed. I can be reached at (615) 565-1538 or faye.edwards@lpnt.net if you have any questions or need any further information in this matter.

Yours truly,

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Faye S. Edwards Director, Regulatory Affairs

Cc: Robert N. Klein Paul R. Hannah Karin Anderson-Barrett

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This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated

There were no administrative omissions. Your application was assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.

Please provide to this office within 30 days of your receipt of this card

A copy of your action has been forwarded to our License Fee & Accounts Receivable Branch, who will contact you separately if there is a fee issue involved.

NRC FORM 532 (RI) (6-96) Sincerely, Licensing Assistance Team Leader