



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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VIA FACSIMILE ONLY

Ms. Christine Vallee  
Vice President, Physician Services  
Day Kimball Healthcare d/b/a Day Kimball Hospital  
320 Pomfret Street  
Putnam, CT 06260

Re: Certificate of Need Exemption Report Number 10-31645-EXM  
Day Kimball Healthcare d/b/a Day Kimball Hospital  
Proposal to Construct a Building in Plainfield

Dear Ms. Vallee:

On July 7, 2010, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received Day Kimball Healthcare d/b/a Day Kimball Hospital's ("Hospital") completed Certificate of Need ("CON") Exemption request to construct a building in Plainfield, with an associated capital expenditure of \$9,900,000.

OHCA has reviewed the information contained in your proposal in light of Section 19a-639a(e) of the Connecticut General Statutes, and makes the following findings:

1. The Hospital is located at 320 Pomfret Street, Putnam, Connecticut. The Hospital is a health care facility or institution as defined by Section 19a-630 of the Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S").
2. The Hospital is proposing to construct a building at 12 Lathrop Road in Plainfield in order to relocate adult primary care and obstetric and gynecological services ("services") to that location.
3. The Hospital's intent was to offer these services at Plainfield Healthcare Center ("Center"), a satellite office the Hospital has operated at 31 Dow Road in Plainfield since 1990. However, the Hospital indicates that the volume and need for the services exceeded the available space at the Center.
4. The new building will be located adjacent to the Center's location, have approximately 27,500 square feet to accommodate additional physician office space and administrative office space.



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5. The total capital expenditure associated with the proposal is \$9,900,000, which the Hospital intends to fund with their equity and bank financing.

Based on the above findings, OHCA has determined that the proposal of Day Kimball Healthcare d/b/a Day Kimball Hospital to construct a building in Plainfield with a total capital expenditure of \$9,900,000, meets the exemption requirements of Section 19a-639a(e) of the Connecticut General Statutes, and therefore, is exempt from OHCA's CON process.

Thank you for keeping OHCA informed of your plans regarding this proposal. If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Carmen Cotto, Health Care Analyst, at (860) 418-7001.

Sincerely,



Cristine A. Vogel  
Deputy Commissioner

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