



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Office of Health Care Access

2-15-2011

Harry Evert
Vice President
Middlesex Hospital
29 Crescent Street
Middletown, CT 06457

Re: Certificate of Need Determination; Report Number: 11-31684-DTR
Middlesex Hospital
Relocation of the Shoreline Medical Center from Essex to Old Saybrook

Dear Mr. Evert:

On January 25, 2011, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received your determination request on behalf of Middlesex Hospital ("Hospital") with respect to whether a certificate of need ("CON") is required to relocate the Hospital's Shoreline Medical Center from the town of Essex to the town of Old Saybrook. Based upon the information provided, it appears that there will not be a substantial change in the payer mix or the population served as a result of this relocation; therefore, a CON is not required pursuant to General Statutes § 19a-639c (a).

Thank you for informing OHCA of your plans and if you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Steven W. Lazarus, Associate Health Care Analyst, at (860) 418-7012.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeannette B. DeJesus".

Jeannette B. DeJesus, MPA, MSW
Deputy Commissioner, OHCA

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