## STATE OF VERMONT GREEN MOUNTAIN CARE BOARD

In re: ACTD, LLC, d/b/a Green	)	
Mountain Surgery Center	)	Docket No. GMCB-010-15con
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## FIRST AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER

On March 21, 2019, following a pre-hearing conference, the Board issued a Scheduling Order in connection with a hearing that will take place in the above-referenced matter on April 17, 2019. The Board has now received requests to amend the Scheduling Order from GMSC (request dated March 26, 2019) and the Vermont Association of Hospitals and Health System (VAHHS) and Northwestern Medical Center (NMC) (request dated March 27, 2019). After reviewing these requests and responses thereto, the Board issues this First Amended Scheduling Order:

- 1. GMSC must submit any additional documents it intends to rely on by April 8, 2019.
- 2. On or before April 8, 2019, GMSC must submit a witness list that identifies the individuals it intends to call as witnesses at the hearing. GMSC must provide a brief description of the nature of the testimony each individual is expected to give. In addition, GMSC must identify each individual it may ask to offer expert testimony at the hearing. For each potential expert witness, GMCB must identify the witness's qualifications (e.g., curriculum vitae(s) or resume(s)), including a list of all publications authored in the previous ten years.
- 3. The Board may pose additional questions to GMSC or require GMSC to submit additional documents prior to the hearing. Any such questions or document requests will include a deadline for GMSC to respond.
- 4. Interested Parties have until April 10, 2019 to identify any witnesses they intend to call at the hearing and to provide the information described in paragraph two above.
- 5. Testimony from Interested Parties will be limited in duration to approximately twenty minutes per Interested Party.
- 6. The Office of the Healthcare Advocate will have approximately twenty minutes to ask questions at the hearing.
- 7. Public comment will be taken at the end of the hearing.

- 8. All testimony will be taken under oath and the hearing will be recorded by a court reporter.
- 9. If GMSC or an Interested Party wishes to file written, post-hearing arguments, it must do so by April 26, 2019.
- 10. GMSC and the Interested Parties are required to copy each other on all correspondence and documents sent to the Board.

Dated: April 1, 2019 at Montpelier, Vermont

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