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July 30, 2019

Ms. Amanda Hudak Valley Vista/OAS LLC 23 Upper Plain Bradford, VT 05033

RE: Docket No. GMCB-005-19con, Conversion of Licensed Beds

Dear Ms. Hudak:

Thank you for your letter dated July 15, 2019, which was received on July 16, 2019, requesting confidentiality for Tables 1, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7 and 9; Valley Vista Income Statement as of 5-31-19; Meridian Behavioral Health Balance Sheet as of 5-31-19; Valley Vista Balance Sheet 2018 Actual and Budget with projections; and Valley Vista Income Statement 2018 Actual and Budget with projections.

The letter referenced above is not adequate to determine whether confidentiality is appropriate for the documents cited in the letter. These documents are typically provided with all applications and are public documents. However, if you believe the referenced documents should be confidential you will need to provide a letter that includes the legal justification for the protection of such material. If you are claiming the exemption provided by 1 V.S.A. § 317(c)(9) (trade secrets), please describe specifically how the documents you cited or the information therein gives Valley Vista an opportunity to obtain a business advantage over competitors who do not know it or use it.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 802-828-2918.

Sincerely,

<u>s/ Donna Jerry</u>Donna JerrySenior Health Policy Analyst

cc. Michael Barber, General Counsel Green Mountain Care Board

