

December 15, 2015

Donna Jerry, Health Care Administrator
Green Mountain Care Board
89 Main Street, Third Floor, City Center
Montpelier, VT 05620

RE: Request for Temporary hold for CON
Docket #: GMCB-017-15con

Dear Ms. Jerry,

Southwestern Vermont Medical Center (SVMC) request the Certificate of Need (CON) application for to replace its aged boilers with a compressed natural gas boiler plant be put on temporary hold. SVMC plans to engage the two parties with amicus curiae status (Vermont Department of Public Service and Renewable Energy Vermont) and the party that submitted a letter of interest (Bennington County Regional Commission on behalf of the Bennington Regional Energy Committee). SVMC's hope is to reopen this CON application within 90 days.

Thank you,



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