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September 24, 2018

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Alva Lambert Executive Director State Health Planning and Development Agency 100 North Union Street RSA Union Building, Ste. 870 Montgomery, AL 36130-3025

RE: BUSINESS REORGANIZATION/UPSTREAM CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP

Vaughan Regional Medical Center (175 Bed Acute Care Hospital) 1015 Medical Center Parkway Selma, AL 36701 ("VRMC")

Andalusia Health (88 Bed Acute Care Hospital) 849 South Tree Notch Street Andalusia, AL 36420 ("AH")

Dear Mr. Lambert:

We respectfully submit to the State Health Planning and Development Agency ("SHPDA") this letter as an attachment to the Notice of Change of Ownership/Control form that we are filing pursuant to Chapter 410-1-7-.04, Rules and Regulations of the Alabama Certificate of Need Program (the "Rules").

LifePoint Health, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("LifePoint") has entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with RegionalCare Hospital Partners Holdings, Inc. (D/B/A RCCH HealthCare Partners), a Delaware corporation ("RCCH"), and Legend Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of RCCH ("Merger Sub"), pursuant to which Merger Sub will merge with and into LifePoint (the "Merger"), with LifePoint surviving the Merger as a subsidiary of RCCH on the terms and conditions set forth in the Merger Agreement. RCCH is owned by certain funds managed by affiliates of Apollo Global Management, LLC ("Apollo").

After the Merger, Vaughan Regional Medical Center, LLC will continue to own VRMC, and Community Hospital of Andalusia, LLC will continue to own AH. There is no direct change of ownership involved in this transaction.

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Therefore, with regards to the questions posed in the Change of Ownership/Control form, please note the following:

1. <u>Services to be Offered</u>. The contemplated transaction will not result in any new or additional services to those already being provided by either VRMC or AH. All existing services will continue to be operated by these hospitals.

2. <u>Whether the Proposal will Include the Addition of Any New Beds</u>. The Merger will not result in the addition of any new beds at either VRMC or AH.

3. <u>Whether the Proposal will Involve the Conversion of Beds</u>. The Merger will not result in the conversion of any beds at either VRMC or AH.

4. <u>Whether the Assets and Stock (if any) will be acquired</u>. Through the Merger, RCCH will acquire 100% indirect ownership of VRMC and AH. After the Merger, Vaughan Regional Medical Center, LLC will continue to own VRMC, and Community Hospital of Andalusia, LLC will continue to own AH. There is no direct change of ownership involved in this transaction.

On Friday, we forwarded the check in the amount of \$2,500, pursuant to Ala. Admin. Code r. 410-1-7-.04, made payable to the Alabama State Health Planning and Development Agency, for the filing fee associated with this change of ownership/control application.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact me at the number or address listed above. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this matter.

Enclosures

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___X_ Change in Direct Ownership or Control (of a vested Facility; ALA. CODE §§ 22-20-271(d), (e))

Change in Certificate of Need Holder (ALA. CODE § 22-20-271(f))

Change in Facility Management (Facility Operator)

Any transaction other than those above-described requires an application for a Certificate of Need.

(This is a Business Reorganization/Upstream Merger.)

Part I: Facility Information

SHPDA ID Number: 1015 Medical/ 039-6530050

(This can be found at www.shpda.alabama.gov, Health Care Data, ID Codes)

Name of Facility/Provider:	Vaughan Regional Medical Center Andalusia Health (ADPH Licensure Name)
Physical Address:	Vaughan Regional Medical Center (175 Bed Acute Care Hospital) 1015 Medical Center Parkway Selma, AL 36701
	Andalusia Health (88 Bed Acute Care Hospital) 849 South Tree Notch Street Andalusia, AL 36420
County of Location:	Dallas/Covington

Number of Beds/ESRD Stations: 175/88 Beds

CON Authorized Service Area (Home Health and Hospice Providers Only). Attach additional pages if necessary. N/A

Part II: Current Authority (Note: If this transaction will result in a change in direct ownership or control, as defined under ALA. CODE § 22-20-271(e), please attach organizational charts outlining current and proposed structures.)

Owner (Entity Name) of Facility named in Part I:

See attached

Mailing Address:

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State Health Planning and Development Agency Alabama CON Rules & Regulations Part III: Acquiring Entity Information Name of Entity: See attached letter Mailing Address: **Operator (Entity Name):** Proposed Date of Transaction is on or after: 4th Quarter of 2018 Part IV: Terms of Purchase Monetary Value of Purchase: \$ (N/A Business Reorganization-Larger Transaction) Type of Beds: See above Number of Beds/ESRD Stations: See above Financial Scope: to Include Preliminary Estimate of the Cost Broken Down by Equipment, Construction, and Yearly Operating Cost: Projected Equipment Cost: \$ N/A **Projected Construction Cost:** \$ N/A Projected Yearly Operating Cost: \$ N/A Projected Total Cost: \$ N/A On an Attached Sheet Please Address the Following:

1.) The services to be offered by the proposal (the applicant will state whether he has previously offered the service, whether the service is an extension of a presently offered service, or whether the service is a new service). See attached cover letter.

2.) Whether the proposal will include the addition of any new beds. See attached cover letter.

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