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**Sent:** Sunday, September 07, 2014 6:06 PM **To:** Attorney General; Webmaster, DPH

Cc: Ellie Marmer

Subject: Concerned Citizens Ask You To Stop the Takeover of Connecticut Healthcare by Tenet

Healthcare

To the attention of the Honorable George Jepsen, Atty. General and the Honorable Jewel Mullen, Commissioner of Public Health:

As a former Mayor of Vernon and Physician, and as a current member of the Vernon Town Council, and both as Concerned Citizens, we write to you today with the following questions that have us deeply concerned:

Why has the State Legislature **NOT** been proactive to protect Connecticut Hospitals and their patients from being over-taken by Tenet Healthcare?

Why do we NOT emulate Rhode Island's Hospital Conversion Act instead of laying down our arms?

There is ample proof: Tenet is a BAD ACTOR and part of their M.O. is to put aside money to pay for fraudulent activities.

Do we need to follow a **MONEY TRAIL** to get our answers?

We look forward to hearing from you on these issues. Even more, we look forward to your action on behalf of the citizens of Connecticut to protect our healthcare against organizations such as Tenet Healthcare.

Sincerely,

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