



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Office of Health Care Access

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VIA FACSIMILE ONLY

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RE: Certificate of Need Determination Report Number 13-31824-DTR
International Charged Particle LLC
ProTech Park – A Regional Health technology Park Featuring Proton Beam Therapy

Dear Attorney Blair:

On February 22, 2013, the Office of Health Care Access (“OHCA”) received your completed Certificate of Need (“CON”) determination request on behalf of International Charged Particle LLC (“Applicant”) with respect to whether a CON is required for the Applicant to establish and operate a facility that will provide proton therapy services.

ProTech Park’s-Regional Health Technology Park proposal plans to locate in Enfield Connecticut with the anchor tenant being a proton therapy center that provides services to individual clients, research institutions and other businesses in Connecticut and surrounding states. One of the services to be provided will be cancer treatment via cyclotron generated proton beam therapy.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 19a-638 (a) (12), a CON is required for the acquisition of equipment utilizing technology that has not previously been utilized in the state. Since proton beam therapy has not previously been utilized in the State of Connecticut, it is considered new technology. Therefore, International Charged Particle LLC is required to obtain CON authorization in order to utilize proton beam therapy in Connecticut.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Steven W. Lazarus, Associate Health Care Analyst, at (860) 418-7012.

Sincerely,

Kimberly R. Martone
Director of Operations

Cc: Rose McLellan, License and Applications Supervisor, DPH, DHSR

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