



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
OFFICE OF HEALTH CARE ACCESS

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COMMISSIONER

November 13, 2007

IN THE MATTER OF:

Reconsideration of the Final Decision
Rendered in Docket Number 07-30929-CON
on October 9, 2007, by

Notice of Reconsideration Decision
Office of Health Care Access
Docket Number 07-30929-RCN

Mandell & Blau, M.D.'s, P.C.

**Reconsideration of Final Decision for the
Acquisition of a 1.5 Tesla Magnetic Resonance
Imaging Scanner and a 16-Slice Computed
Tomography Scanner to be Located in a New
Radiology Office in the Blue Back Square in
West Hartford**

To: Elliot B. Pollack, Esq.
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Dear Attorney Pollack:

This letter will serve as notice of the Response to Petition of Mandell & Blau, M.D.'s, P.C. from the Office of Health Care Access for reconsideration of the acquisition of the magnetic resonance scanner in the above matter, as provided by Section 4-181b, C.G.S. On November 13, 2007, the response to petition of Mandell & Blau, M.D.'s, P.C. was rendered. A copy of the response to the petition of Mandell & Blau, M.D.'s, P.C. is attached hereto for your information.

By Order of the
Office of Health Care Access

Signed by Commissioner Vogel on November 13, 2007

Cristine A. Vogel
Commissioner

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IN RE: APPLICATION OF MANDELL & BLAU, M.D.'s, P.C.

DOCKET NUMBER: 07-30929-RCN

November 13, 2007

RESPONSE TO PETITION OF MANDELL & BLAU, M.D.'s, P.C.

On October 9, 2007, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") denied the Certificate of Need ("CON") application of Mandell & Blau, M.D.'s, P.C. ("Applicant") under Docket Number 07-30929-CON for the acquisition of a 1.5 Tesla magnetic resonance imaging scanner ("MRI") and a 16-slice computed tomography ("CT") scanner to be located in a new radiology office in Blue Back Square in West Hartford, Connecticut pursuant to Section 19a-639 of the Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S."). On October 19, 2007, the Applicant filed a Petition requesting that OHCA reconsider the above decision for the MRI scanner only.

After careful consideration, OHCA has decided to not reconsider its final decision rendered on October 9, 2007, under Docket Number 07-30929-CON. The Applicant must file a new Letter of Intent with OHCA if it wishes to proceed with a proposal for the acquisition of an magnetic resonance imaging scanner or a computed tomography scanner at Blue Back Square in West Hartford, Connecticut.

Signed by Commissioner Vogel on November 13, 2007

Date

Cristine A. Vogel
Commissioner

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