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CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Lei Cataraha President/CEO Ali'i Health Center 78-6831 Ali'i Drive, Suite 418 Kailua-Kona, Hi 96740

Dear Ms. Cataraha:

The State Health Planning and Development Agency has evaluated Alii Health Center's Certificate of Need application #22-08A for the acquisition of Outpatient Surgery services at 75-5905 Walua Road, Suite 4, Kailua-Kona, HI, at a capital cost of \$1.00.

Pursuant to Title 11, Chapter 186 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), the Agency finds that:

- (a) The proposal is eligible for administrative review as it meets the criterion in HAR 11-186-99.1(b)(6) i.e.: "Any proposal which is determined by the agency not to have a significant impact on the health care system."
- (b) The applicant, Alii Health Center, has proven by a preponderance of the evidence that its proposal meets the Certificate of Need criteria in HAR 11-186-15(a).
- (c) There is no compelling public interest which will be served by requiring the application to go through the standard review process.

As required under Section 323D-43(b), Hawai i Revised Statutes (HRS), the Agency concludes and determines that:

- 1. There is a public need for this proposal.
- 2. The cost of this proposal will not be unreasonable in light of the benefits it will provide and its impact on health care costs.

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Accordingly, the State Health Planning and Development Agency hereby APPROVES and ISSUES a Certificate of Need to Alii Health Center for the proposal described in Certificate of Need application #22-08A. The maximum capital expenditure allowed under this approval is \$1.00.

Danyl D. Shutter Acting Administrator