NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S DECISION

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STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES
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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S DECISION TO ISSUE A CERTIFICATE OF NEED THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

In accordance with 7 AAC 07.070, the Commissioner of the Department of Health and Social Services has issued a Certificate of Need for the application described below.

Project/Activity: Central Peninsula General Hospital, Inc. proposes to construct the Imaging Expansion Project in its current facility in Soldotna, Alaska.

Applicant's Name: Central Peninsula General Hospital, Inc.

Project/Activity Service Area: Kenai Peninsula Borough

Summary of Decision: In accordance with A.S. 18.07.031-111 and 7 AAC 07.001-900, Central Peninsula Hospital is approved to construct the Imaging Expansion Project, as proposed, in its current facility in Soldotna.

Central Peninsula Hospital is authorized to construct a 5,227 square foot build-out addition that includes shelled-in space for future replacement of Magnetic Resonance Imaging and Nuclear Medicine.

The total cost of the project is \$3,843,796 for construction, equipment, and furnishings.

The anticipated completion date for construction is November 30, 2014, and the anticipated project completion date (date of operation) is December 31, 2014.

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A copy of the decision is also available on the Certificate of Need website at: http://hss.state.ak.us/Apps/CertNeed/CertificateForm.aspx?Certificate=b962044e-37a4-42ec-9af4-96af9d734812

An applicant may appeal the Commissioner's decision by contacting Kevin Perron as indicated above. An appeal must be made in accordance with 7 AAC 07.080 and must be received by the department no later than 4:30pm Friday, December 13, 2013.

Any member of the public who is substantially affected by activities authorized by this certificate of need may initiate an administrative hearing under 7 AAC 07.082. The request must be received by Kevin Perron as indicated above, be made in accordance with 7 AAC 07.082, and must be received by the department no later than 4:30pm Friday, December 13, 2013.

DATE: November 9, 2013 Anchorage, Alaska

/s/William J. Streur Commissioner Department of Health and Social Services