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RE: Eyecare Medical Group, P.A. – Expansion of ASU

Dear Attorney Gleason:

I am writing in response to your Letter of Intent dated May 6, 2014 in which Eyecare Medical Group proposes to expand its ASU from two operating rooms to four, while renovating the administrative and clinical space for its medical practice. The capital cost for this project is estimated to be less than \$10,000,000. Third year incremental operating costs were not estimated.

Based on the information you provided, the Department of Health and Human Services has determined that the proposal as written is not subject to review. It is not a new health service and total capital costs are less than the current threshold of greater than \$10,000,000. At any time, you find these thresholds for this project will be exceeded thereby requiring a review; you will need to apply for a subsequent review of the proposed project.

Our decision was based solely on information provided by the applicant.

Sincerely,

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Senior Health Care Financial Analyst  
Manager, HealthCare Oversight

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Mike Swan, Health Facility Survey Manager