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June 26, 2023

Minnesota Senate

Health and Human Services Committee

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Sent via electronic mail

To the Honorable Chairs and Ranking Members:

The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) has received a letter of intent from [Nobis Rehabilitation Partners](#) ('Nobis'), based in Allen Texas, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 144.553, to seek a hospital license to construct a new 60-bed inpatient rehabilitation hospital in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

On March 20, 2023, MDH published official notice in the Minnesota State Register in which we shared the letter of intent to assess if there were any potential alternative proposals. Not having received any such proposals, MDH subsequently notified Nobis of that fact and invited a submission of a formal plan.

As required, this letter is to notify you that the Nobis project is subject to sections 144.551 and 144.552 of Minnesota Statutes, and that MDH will be conducting a Public Interest Review once we have received a plan with complete information. The plan and all subsequently received information will be available online at: www.health.state.mn.us/data/economics/moratorium/index.html

If you have questions or concerns regarding this review, please contact Stefan Gildemeister, Minnesota's State Health Economist, at 651-201-3554 or stefan.gildemeister@state.mn.us.

Sincerely,

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