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Pamela Monroe, Administrator NH Site Evaluation Committee 21 South Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

RE: ANTRIM LEVEL LLC - PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RULING OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION FOR EXPEDITED APPROVAL OF CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP OR OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE

Dear Ms. Monroe:

It is my understanding that the Site Evaluation Committee has received above referenced Petition and will open a new docket.

Over the past years, the Site Evaluation Committee has retained the Brennan Lenehan law firm and me as outside counsel. Our firm has represented the Committee in a broad array of matters including Applications for Certificates of Site and Facility, Petitions for Declaratory Rulings, Exemption Petitions and post-certificate motions for relief. We have represented the Committee in several dockets concerning a change or transfer of ownership interests in certificated facilities.

My office is available, ready, willing and able to represent the Committee regarding this docket, if the Committee deems it necessary and appropriate to hire outside counsel for this purpose. I can confirm that my office has no conflicts of interest in representing the Committee. Under RSA 162-H:10, V, the Applicant is responsible for the payment of attorney's fees. The statute also states that the Administrator, with Committee approval, may hire additional legal support to fulfill the functions of the Committee as necessary. See RSA 162-H:3-a. In the past, our bills have been presented to the Administrator for approval and then forwarded to the Applicant for payment.

In representing the Committee, I would propose attorney fees at the hourly rate of \$200.00 per hour and reimbursement for out of pocket costs and expenses incurred by counsel. If another attorney from my office assists in the representation, the hourly rate for that attorney will be no more than \$200.00 per hour. In no case will my office charge more than \$200.00 per hour for the same services. We will not bill twice for two lawyers working on the same parts of the matter at the same time, including attendance at meetings or hearings.

Should you desire further information about my firm, our qualifications, or me I would be happy to provide that in whatever format you require. Again, I thank you for the opportunity to represent the Committee and ask that you approve our representation under the terms set forth above.

Very truly yours,

Michael J. Iacopino

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