



## STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

100 NORTH UNION STREET, SUITE 870  
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36104

### **NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

AGENCY NAME: STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY  
(Certificate of Need Review Board)

RULE NO. & TITLE: 410-1-7-.04 Notice of Change of Ownership

INTENDED ACTION:

The State Health Planning and Development Agency and the Certificate of Need Review Board propose to amend the above styled section of the *Alabama Certificate of Need Program Rules and Regulations*.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:

This amendment revises the current provisions regarding notice of change of ownership to comport with the recent amendments to ALA. CODE §§ 22-21-260, -263 and -270 (1975 as amended), which further define changes of ownership and control in existing health care facilities and clarify when a certificate of need is required for such changes. The amendments to ALA. CODE §§ 22-21-260, -263 and -270 became effective on May 8, 2013. The amendment also shortens the timeframe in which an entity must give notice to the Agency and imposes a fee increase on notices of change of ownership.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:

In response to this Proposed Rule, all interested persons are invited to submit data, views, comments and/or arguments, orally or in writing. Any and all such data, comments, arguments and/or requests to orally address the Certificate of Need Review Board shall be made in writing on or before September 4, 2013, and shall be made to:

Nicole Horn, Executive Secretary  
State Health Planning and Development Agency  
P. O. Box 303025  
Montgomery, Alabama 36130-3025

On September 18, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., the Certificate of Need Review Board shall conduct a public hearing in the State Capitol, Capitol Auditorium, 600 Dexter Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama, at which time it shall consider the Proposed Amendment, along with all written and oral submissions respecting the Proposed Amendment. Only those interested persons who have made timely written requests will be afforded the opportunity to speak.

Copies of the proposed changes are available for review at 100 North Union Street, RSA Union Building, Suite 870, Montgomery, Alabama. Phone (334) 242-4103 or visit the office Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., excluding State holidays.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

September 4, 2013

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:

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