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**BY ELECTRONIC MAIL** ([COPN@vdh.virginia.gov](mailto:COPN@vdh.virginia.gov))

Karen Shelton, M.D.  
State Health Commissioner  
Virginia Department of Health  
109 Governor Street, 13th Floor  
Richmond, VA 23219

**RE: Letter of Intent  
Virginia Hospital Center Arlington Health System d/b/a VHC Health  
Introduction of Cardiac PET/CT Services (One Fixed PET/CT Unit)  
Planning District 8**

Dear Dr. Shelton:

Pursuant to 12 VAC 5-220-180 of the Virginia Medical Care Facilities Certificate of Public Need ("COPN") Rules and Regulations, I write to inform you that Virginia Hospital Center Arlington Health System d/b/a VHC Health intends to submit a COPN application to establish cardiac PET/CT services at the VHC Health Outpatient Imaging Center at 1760 Old Meadow Road in McLean, Planning District 8, with one fixed cardiac PET/CT unit.

Please forward the appropriate application materials to me. Thank you for your assistance in this matter, and please let me know of any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adrian Stanton", written over a circular stamp or watermark.

Adrian Stanton  
V.P., Real Estate Acquisition and Development  
VHC Health

cc: Mr. Erik O. Bodin, III, Director, Division of Certificate of Public Need  
Mr. Dean Montgomery, Executive Director, Health Systems Agency of Northern Virginia