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AGENCY FOR HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION

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CIRCLES OF CARE, INC.,

Petitioner,

DOAH No. 15-0128CON

vs.

AHCA No. 2014012449  
CON No. 10233

INDIAN RIVER BEHAVIORAL HEALTH,  
LLC, AND AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE  
ADMINISTRATION,

Respondents.

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THE DEVEREUX FOUNDATION, INC.,

Petitioner,

DOAH No. 15-0131CON

vs.

AHCA No. 2014012447  
CON No. 10233

INDIAN RIVER BEHAVIORAL HEALTH,  
LLC, AND AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE  
ADMINISTRATION,

Respondents.

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**FINAL ORDER**

THIS CAUSE is before the State of Florida, Agency for Health Care Administration (“the Agency”) concerning the preliminary approval of Certificate of Need (“CON”) 10233 filed by Indian River Behavioral Hospital (“IRBH”) to establish a 74 bed child/adolescent psychiatric hospital in Service Area 7, Brevard County.

1. On December 8, 2014, the Agency published notice in the Florida Administrative Register of its preliminary approval of CON application No. 10233 filed by Indian River Behavioral Hospital (“IRBH”).

2. On December 24, 2014, The Devereux Foundation Inc. (“Devereux”) filed a

Petition for Formal Administrative Hearing challenging the preliminary approval of IRBH's CON application No. 10233.

3. On December 24, 2014, Circles of Care, Inc. ("Circles") filed a petition for a Formal Administrative Hearing seeking full party or intervenor status to challenge the preliminary approval of IRBH's CON application No. 10233.

4. The Agency referred the Petitions to the Division of Administrative Hearings and an Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") was assigned.

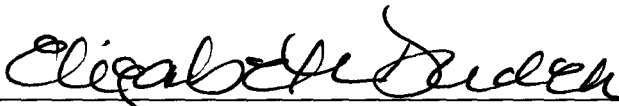
5. On May 6, 2015, Circles of Care, Inc. filed Voluntary Dismissal.

6. On May 21, 2015, Devereux filed a Notice of Voluntary Dismissal of its petition for formal administrative proceeding.

It is therefore **ORDERED:**

1. The approval of CON 10233 is UPHELD. The Agency shall issue CON 10233 to Indian River Behavioral Hospital.

**ORDERED** in Tallahassee, Florida, on this 16 day of September 2015.

  
Elizabeth Dudek, Secretary  
Agency for Health Care Administration

**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW**

A party who is adversely affected by this Final Order is entitled to judicial review, which shall be instituted by filing the original Notice of Appeal with the Agency Clerk of AHCA, and a copy along with the filing fee prescribed by law with the District Court of Appeal in the appellate district where the Agency maintains its headquarters or where a party resides. Review of proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the Florida appellate rules. The Notice of Appeal must be filed within 30 days of the rendition of the order to be reviewed.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order has been furnished by the method designated to the persons named below on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.



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