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Determination of Need Program Massachusetts Department of Public Health 67 Forest Street, Marlborough, MA 01752

**DPH.DON@massmail.state.ma.us**

Dear Commissioner Goldstein and DoN Program,

As taxpayers of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, pursuant to 105 CMR 100.000 *Determination of Need,* we seek Department of Public Health (DPH or "the Department") recognition as a Party of Record and duly registered Ten Taxpayer Group for the purposes of DoN Application No. BCH-23082514-HE, The Children's Medical Center Corporation ("the Application").

Additionally, pursuant to 105 CMR 100.445, we respectfully request that the Department hold a noticed public hearing regarding the Application.

In accordance with DoN regulation, please direct all written communications concerning the Application to Anabela Gomes at AnabelaGomes01l@gmail.com .

We thank you and the Department for your careful and thoughtful consideration of this Application and its impacts on our Commonwealth and communities.

Respectfully submitted,

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