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Eric Hernandez, Program Manager Certificate of Need Program Department of Health 111 Israel Road Southeast Tumwater, WA 98501

Via email: eric.hernandez@doh.wa.gov>; FSLCON@DOH.WA.GOV

Dear Mr. Hernandez:

Shalom Hospice of Puget Sound LLC submits this letter of intent to establish a Medicare certified/Medicaid eligible hospice agency in Kitsap County. In conformance with the requirements of WACs 246-310-080 and 246-310-290(3), the following information is provided:

1. A Description of the Extent of Services Proposed:

Shalom Hospice of Puget Sound LLC proposes to establish a Medicare certified/Medicaid eligible hospice agency to serve Kitsap County. The agency will provide all Medicare required services as well as a number of specialty therapies.

2. Estimated Cost of the Proposed Project:

The capital required to establish the agency is estimated at \$115,000.

3. Description of the Service Area:

Consistent with WAC, the service area is Kitsap County.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Samuel Stern,

Managing Member and Chief Executive Officer