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The Honorable Andrew Joyce
Chairman, Albany County Legislature
Legislative Clerk's Office
112 State Street, Suite 710
Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Shaker Place Rehabilitation and Nursing Center respectfully requests to permit Shaker Place Rehabilitation and Nursing Center to hire out of County staff for the positions of Social Worker and Dietitian.

For the past four months we have endeavored to hire these professionals who reside in the County of Albany with no success. We have utilized every form of solicitation including Indeed, our own website employment platform and local newspapers to no avail. The positions of Dietitian and Social Worker are mandated by the New York State Department of Health and the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS) and, therefore, the positions must be filled.

We are, therefore, requesting approval to hire Dietitians and Social Workers who do not resident in the County of Albany which will increase the market place for our advertising.

We respectfully request that this RLA be approved.

Sincerely,

Larry I. Slatky
Executive Director

cc: Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel
Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel

