SB 933, An Act Clarifying Licensing Requirements For Outpatient Surgical Facilities

The Connecticut Hospital Association submits this testimony in support of SB 933, An Act Clarifying Licensing Requirements For Outpatient Surgical Facilities. SB 933 clarifies the applicability of certain requirements in Public Act 04-249 to outpatient surgical facilities that were in operation on or before July 1, 2003 or that had obtained, on or before July 1, 2003, a determination from the Office of Health Care Access that a certificate of need was not required. As CHA understands the clarification to be necessary to make section 19a-493b consistent with the legislative purpose and intent of Public Act 04-249, CHA supports SB 933.

Thank you for your consideration of our position.

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