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Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development
400 R Street, Suite 200
Sacramento, CA 95811-6213
Attn: Jerry Yee / SB 1661 Report

SUBJECT: SB 1661 Information for Santa Paula Hospital, Santa Paula

Dear Mr. Yee:

Attached is our status update submission for Santa Paula's SPC-1 buildings in accordance with Senate Bill 1661 reporting requirements. As a side note, Santa Paula Hospital, in conjunction with the County of Ventura's Engineering Services Department, is investigating the prospect of improving the roof-to-wall anchorage system of Santa Paula Hospital in order to increase the seismic standards of the SPC-1 buildings to ensure their soundness and extend the operational life of the facility. We will keep OSHPD abreast of this potential project.

If you or staff has any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 805-652-6058. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. Lorenz", written in a cursive style.

Paul E. Lorenz

Cc: Michael Powers, Health Care Agency Director/VCMC Administrator
Phil Nelson, Director, Engineering Services Department