

TEFRA HEARING CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Michele Madison, has been appointed as the hearing officer (the “TEFRA Hearing Officer”) on behalf of the Hospital Authority of Valdosta and Lowndes County, Georgia (the “Authority”), and HEREBY CERTIFIES as follows:

(1) A hearing, open to the public (the “Public Hearing”), was duly called and held by the TEFRA Hearing Officer on October 12, 2023, at 2:00 p.m., at the Board Room, located on the First Floor of the South Georgia Medical Center, 2501 North Patterson Street, Valdosta, Georgia 31602. Proper notice of the Public Hearing was published on the Authority’s website on October 5, 2023, in accordance with applicable law and with the procedures of the Authority at least seven (7) days prior to such Public Hearing. A copy of the public notice for the Public Hearing is attached hereto as Exhibit “A”. The TEFRA Hearing Officer was present throughout such Public Hearing.

(2) The Public Hearing was held within the geographical limits of the City of Valdosta, the seat of government of Lowndes County, Georgia, and was convenient for residents of the City of Valdosta and Lowndes County. The Public Hearing provided a reasonable opportunity for interested individuals to express their views, both orally and in writing, on the proposed reissue of the Series 2019A Certificates (as hereinafter defined) and the proposed facilities to be financed or refinanced.

(3) The TEFRA Hearing Officer announced the commencement of a public hearing on the proposed reissuance of the Authority’s Refunding Revenue Anticipation Certificates, Series 2019A (the “Series 2019A Certificates”) in the original aggregate principal amount of \$42,615,000 for the benefit of the Authority and invited comments or questions from persons with views on the reissuance of the Series 2019A Certificates for the purpose of (a) refunding the outstanding balances of the Authority’s Revenue Certificates (South Georgia Medical Center Project), Series 2007, the Refunding Revenue Certificate (South Georgia Medical Center Project), Series 2010 and the Revenue Certificate (South Georgia Medical Center Project), Series 2010; and (b) paying all or a portion of the costs of issuance of the Series 2019A Certificates.

(4) At such hearing the following person was in attendance and did not have any questions with respect to the issuance of the Series 2019A Certificates:

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No one else having appeared to speak on the matter, the TEFRA Hearing Officer declared the Public Hearing closed.