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November 28, 2023

Ms. Jessica Sacco, Executive Director The Branches of Marlboro 421 Bolton Street Marlborough, MA 01752

Dear Ms. Sacco:

The Executive Office of Elder Affairs (EOEA) has completed the biennial compliance review of The Branches of Marlboro in response to your submission of an application for re-certification as an Assisted Living Residence as set forth in 651 CMR 12.03(4) et seq. Based on this review, EOEA has determined that all findings identified during the compliance review on September 14, 2023 have been sufficiently addressed through the submitted plan of correction and that the Residence meets all the requirements established in 651 CMR 12.00 et seq. to operate and maintain an Assisted Living Residence.

The enclosed certificate is valid for two years from the date of certification to operate and maintain a 58-Unit Assisted Living Residence, inclusive of one 14-Unit Special Care Residences, as described on the enclosed certificate. The certificate is valid until November 18, 2025. Please note the requirements established in 651 CMR 12.03(9) regarding posting of the certificate in the Residence and non-transferability of Certification.

If during the certification period EOEA determines documents submitted in compliance with the regulations require modification or supplementation, it will so notify the Residence and will include a deadline for provision of the information needed to retain certification. Also, if there are any material changes to the operating plan, you are required to notify Elder Affairs at least 30 days prior to the effective date of changes. In addition, the financial disclosure form developed by EOEA must also be completed and submitted annually within 90 days following the end of the Assisted Living Residence's fiscal year.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Thomas Thompson at 617-573-1792 or by e-mail at thomas.j.thompson@mass.gov.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth C. Chen

Enclosure



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Is hereby certified to operate a 58-Unit Assisted Living Residence, inclusive of one 14-Unit Special Care Residence.

November 18, 2023 to November 18, 2025

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Date