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DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Ms. Laura Sones, Administrator  
Maria Joseph Manor, Inc.  
875 Montour Boulevard  
Danville, Pennsylvania 17821

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RE: Nazareth Memory Center at Maria Joseph  
610 Schoolhouse Road  
Danville, Pennsylvania 17821  
License #: 211150

Dear Ms. Sones:

Thank you for your request for a waiver of 55 Pa.Code Ch. 2600 (relating to personal care homes). You have requested a waiver of 55 Pa.Code § 2600.54(a) (relating to qualifications for direct care staff persons) for [REDACTED]

A waiver of 55 Pa.Code § 2600.54(a) (relating to qualifications for direct care staff persons) is not needed. Documentation submitted with the waiver request confirms that [REDACTED] was awarded a diploma for Accounting from the University of Asmara in Eritrea in August 1991. [REDACTED] education exceeds the criteria for a high school diploma. Nazareth Memory Center at Maria Joseph must keep a copy of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] educational documentation as well as this documentation.

If you have any questions regarding the waiver process, you may contact the Operator Support Hotline at telephone number (866) 503-3926.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tara Pride".

Tara Pride  
Director of Regulatory Implementation