

Docket No: 04-0346
Bench Date: 5/26/04
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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: David Gilbert, Administrative Law Judge

DATE: May 11, 2004

SUBJECT: Baxter Healthcare Corporation Round Lake Technology Park
Petition for Approval of a Private Emergency Answering Point.

RECOMMENDATION: Enter Attached Order Granting Petition.

Baxter Healthcare Corporation Round Lake Technology Park ("Baxter") seeks authority to operate a Private Emergency Answering Point ("PEAP") pursuant to 83 Ill. Adm. Code Part 726 ("Requirements for Businesses with Private Business Switch Service to Comply with the Emergency Telephone System Act").

The attached Order concludes that Baxter has presented a prima facie case in support of its PEAP, which would handle internal emergency call, in lieu of the Fox Lake 9-1-1 system. The record establishes Baxter's full compliance with Part 726 and other applicable laws and regulations enforced by this Commission. Staff supports Baxter's petition. No party intervened in this proceeding and no evidentiary hearing was held.

Accordingly, I recommend that the attached Order, granting Baxter's petition, be entered.

DG:jt