HELLMUTH, OBATA + KASSABAUM, INC.



EXHIBIT A

Planning Group

January 8, 2006

City Hall 200 E. Wells Street Milwaukee, WI 53202

Attn: City of Milwaukee Common Council

Re:

Columbia St. Mary's - Main Hospitals

Detailed Plan Development - Request for Minor Modification

Dear City of Milwaukee Common Council:

On behalf of Columbia St. Mary's, HOK is pleased to resubmit project documentation related to the above-referenced project which has resulted from issues encountered during construction (either from cost, program changes or construction logistics). The minor changes have been:

- 1. The pre-cast concrete panel system above the third floor level on the East end of the building is changed to an aluminum panel system.
- 2. The pre-cast concrete panel system at the fifth floor level and above on the South end of the building is changed to an aluminum panel system.
- 3. The railings at the roof levels have been removed.
- 4. The curtain wall at the central portion of the penthouse has been changed to an aluminum panel system with columns revealed at the east end.
- 5. The curtain wall system at the west end of the upper level mirrors the east end of the building.
- The building area above the main entrance driveway at the third floor level has been deleted. This occurs under the mass of the building.
- 7. The screen wall surrounding the mechanical system at roof on level 5 along Prospect Avenue has been removed. The equipment will be painted to match the aluminum panel system.

Attached for your review is the a 11x17 color presentation (and CD with the copy of the images) for your use that compares the original DPD Submittal images with the modifications outlined above.

Should there be any questions about these design changes feel free to call at any time at either 314.421.2000 or William.Wahle@hok.com.

Sincerely,

Helimuth, Obata + Kassabaum

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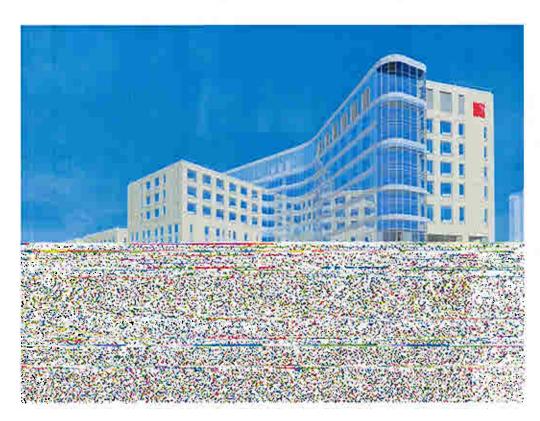
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Columbia St. Mary's A Passion for Patient Care Main Hospital Exterior Modifications

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DPD Submittal



Modification

Comparison

from the Park

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Precast and Glass Building with Metal Trim

Metal and Glass Building with Precast Concrete Base





Metal at South Elevation

Metal at Penthouse

Metal on East Bed Tower

from Prospect

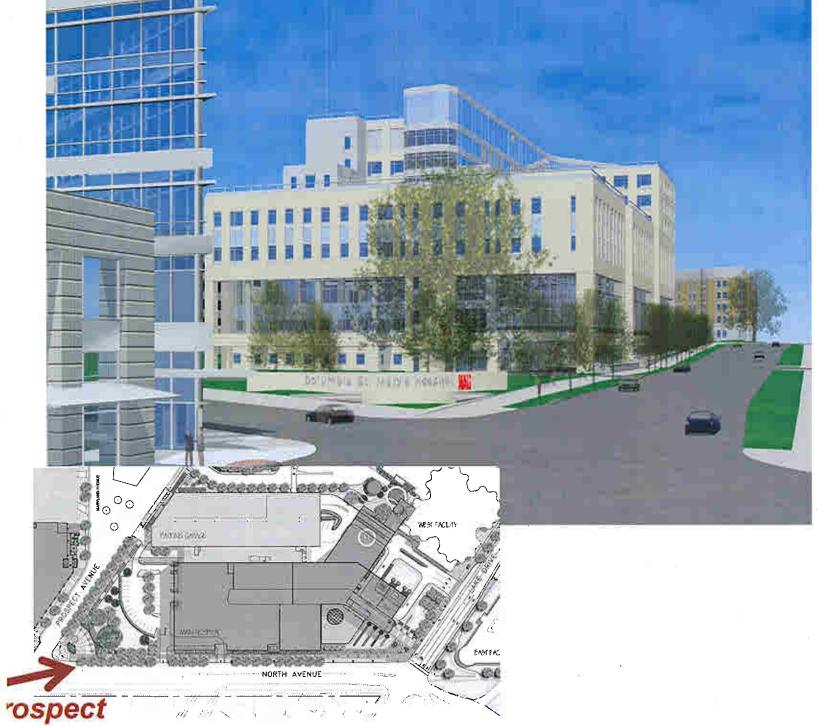
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Metal at Penthouse

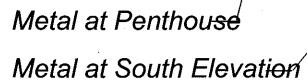
Metal on South Elevation



from North Ave

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North

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Metal at East Bed Tower

Metal at North Bed Tower

PreCast Concrete Base



