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Schneck Medical Center MOB
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Project Type New Addition Y Alteration Existing Change of Occupancy
Project Status U F=Filed U or Null=Unfiled
IDHS Issued Correction order? No Has Violation been Issued? No
Violation Issued by: NA
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Variance De	etails
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Other Code (Not in the list provided) Code Name:

2014 InBC Section 706

Conditions:

A 2 hour fire barrier will be used in lieu of a 3 hour fire wall to separate a Type IIB building from a Type IA building. A Business Occupancy and open parking garage addition to the Type IA hospital will be connected to an adjacent Type IIB building. Code requires that a 3 hour fire wall be provided in order to separate the differing construction types.

DEMONSTRATION THAT PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE ARE PROTECTED:

1=Non-compliance with the rule will not be adverse to the public health, safety or w

1 2= Applicant will undertake alternative actions in lieu of compliance with the rule to ensure that granting of the variance will not be adverse to public health, safety, or welfare. Explain why alternative actions would be adequate (be specific).

Facts:

- 1. The Type IIB building and the Type IA Business Occupancy are both fully sprinklered.
- 2. The use of a 2 hour fire barrier to separated the Type IIB building from the hospital is
- permitted by the 2012 Life Safety Code NFPA 101.

 3. Similar variances to allow fire barriers in lieu of fire walls to separate construction types have been granted on numerous healthcare facilities in the past. (17-04-13, 16-06-41, 15-08-12, 17-03-10)

DEMONSTRATION OF UNDUE HARDSHIP OR HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURE:

Imposition of the rule would result in an undue hardship (unusual difficulty) because of major operational problems in the use of the building or structure. Y Imposition of the rule would result in an undue hardship (unusual difficulty) because of excessive costs of additional or altered construction elements. Imposition of the rule would prevent the preservation of an architecturally or a historically significant part of the building or structure Facts: The hardship is the construction logistics and cost of providing a 3 hour fire wall with required exterior wall extensions and all associated 3 hour opening protective (door	
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