SUMMARY OF CHANGES TO THE 2014 MEDICAL STAFF BYLAWS AND RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Change the application and re-application fee schedule such that any re-applicants applying to categories of the medical staff that include: Honorary; Courtesy; Telemedicine; Temporary; Administrative or Allied Health Professionals, will be charged 50% of the fee structure(s) of those currently in place for active staff. Resident and Volunteer physicians will remain exempt from application fees. (section Rules: L.)

Reconcile for consistency the information regarding PAC in the Medical Staff Bylaws section on the PAC committee with the description of the PAC committee in the Governing Authority Bylaws. (sec 9.3.20)

Clarify the qualifications for membership and application procedures in various ways. Update timeline limits for applications to maintain consistency throughout Bylaws document and consistent with guidelines from The Joint Commission. See scattered multiple changes throughout sections 2, 4, 5 & 6 in attached Bylaws Document with track changes. Including the following changes:

Update and clarify the composition of the medical staff committee, Interdisciplinary Practice Committee, to better govern interdisciplinary practice between Medical Staff, Nursing and other Allied Health Professionals: (section 9.3.11 Inter-Disciplinary Practice Committee)

Add Hospitalist Medical Director, Medical Director of Patient Safety and Performance Improvement, Chief Operations Officer, Chief Financial Officer and the Chief Medical Information Officer as Official Reporting, Non-Voting members to the composition of MEC (section 9.2.1)

Create a Hospitalist Department and eliminate the inpatient divisions of the Internal Medicine and Family Medicine Departments (various sections).