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10	UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON		
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12	In re:	Chapter 11 Lead Case No. 19-01189-11	
13		Jointly Administered	
14	ASTRIA HEALTH, et al., <sup>1</sup>		
15	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	DECLARATION OF	
16	Debtors and Debtors In Possession.	JOSEPH HAMELL IN SUPPORT OF LIMITED	
17 18		OBJECTION OF PREMIER, INC. AND ITS	
10		SUBSIDIARIES TO CONFIRMATION OF	
20		DEBTORS' SECOND AMENDED JOINT	
21		CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF REORGANIZATION	
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23	<sup>1</sup> The Debtors along with their case numbers are	as follows: Astria Health (19-01189-11)	
24	<sup>1</sup> The Debtors, along with their case numbers, are as follows: Astria Health (19-01189-11), Glacier Canyon, LLC (19-01193-11), Kitchen and Bath Furnishings, LLC (19-01194-11), Oxbow Summit, LLC (19-01195-11), SHS Holdco, LLC (19-01196-11), SHC Medical Center - Toppenish (19-01190-11), SHC Medical Center - Yakima (19-01192-11), Sunnyside Community Hospital Association (19-01191-11), Sunnyside Community Hospital Home Medical Supply, LLC (91-01197-11), Sunnyside Home Health d/b/a Astria Home Health (19- 01198-11), Sunnyside Professional Services, LLC (19-01199-11), Yakima Home Care		
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	Holdings, LLC (19-01201-11) and Yakima HMA Home Health, LLC (19-01200-11).		
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1	DECLARATION OF JOSEPH HAMELL		
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2	I, Joseph Hamell, declare as follows:		
3	1. I am over the age of 18 and an attorney for Premier, Inc and its		
4	subsidiaries in this matter.		
5	2. Attached as <u>Exhibit A</u> is a true and correct copy of correspondence,		
6	I received from Astria Health dated November 24, 2020.		
7	I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington		
8	and the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.		
9	Executed on December 4, 2020 at Auburn, Washington.		
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11	/s/Joseph A. Hamell		
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## **EXHIBIT A**

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November 24, 2020

Angela Lanning, Chief Operating Officer Premier Healthcare Solutions, Inc. 13034 Ballantyne Corporate Place Charlotte, NC 28277	Via Certified Mail
Premier Healthcare Solutions, Inc. Attention: Legal Department 13034 Ballantyne Corporate Place Charlotte, NC 28277	Via Certified Mail
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Via Certified Mail and Email jnewman@jmbm.com

Dear Ms. Lanning, Mr. Hamell, Ms. Mortimer, and Ms. Newman:

As you know, Astria Health and Premier Healthcare Solutions, Inc. entered into Agreements dated as follows:

- The Performance Suite Solutions Subscription Agreement (the "Astria PSSA"), dated August 1, 2018, by and between PHSI and Debtor Astria Health;
- The Business Associate Addendum (the "Astria BAA", with and incorporated into the Astria PSSA, the "Astria Health Agreement"), dated August 1, 2018, by and between PHSI, Premier Healthcare Alliance, L.P. ("Premier LP"), any other Premier, Inc. subsidiaries that may become a party thereto and Debtor Astria Health;
- The Performance Suite Solutions Subscription Agreement (the "Sunnyside PSSA"), dated August 1, 2016, by and between PHSI and Sunnyside Community Hospital ("Sunnyside");
- The Business Associate Addendum (the "Sunnyside BAA", with and incorporated into the Sunnyside PSSA, the "Sunnyside Community Hospital Agreement"), dated August 1, 2016, by and between PHSI, Premier LP, any other Premier, Inc. subsidiaries that may become a party thereto and Sunnyside; and
- The Project Services and License Agreement (the "Healthcare Insights Agreement"), dated as of June 1, 2008, by and between Healthcare Insights, a wholly-owned subsidiary of PHSI, and Sunnyside.

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Astria Health no longer requires Premier Healthcare Solutions, Inc.'s services under the Agreements. This letter is intended to end the Agreements between Premier Healthcare Solutions, Inc. and Astria Health.

Astria and twelve related companies are currently debtors-in-possession in pending chapter 11 bankruptcy cases (collectively, the "<u>Bankruptcy Case</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Washington (the "<u>Bankruptcy Court</u>"), in Yakima, Washington; these cases are jointly administered under Case No. 19-01189. The Astria Health system has certain rights under the United States Bankruptcy Code, including the right to "reject" executory contracts and unexpired leases that no longer provide value to the Debtors' estates. Therefore, Astria intends to reject the Agreements through its plan of reorganization (the "<u>Plan</u>") in the Bankruptcy Court, pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532). The effective date of rejection shall be August 27, 2020 to the extent not otherwise previously terminated by agreement among the Parties. Additional information concerning the Bankruptcy Case may be obtained by accessing a docket of the Bankruptcy Case free of charge at <u>http://www.kccllc.net/ASTRIAHEALTH</u>, from which you may download documents related to the Plan currently on file and obtain other relevant information pertaining to the Bankruptcy Case.

Sincerely,

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Michael Lane Chief Restructuring Officer