SUPREME COURT, STATE OF COLORADO Court Address: 2 E. 14th Avenue, Denver, CO 80203 SEP 3 0 2008 Court below: Colorado Court of Appeals OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Case No. 05 CA 2432 SUSAN J. FESTAG, CLERK Opinion by Judge Marquez Trial Court: District Court, Arapahoe County Case No. 04 CV 1774 Division 402, Judge Leonard **PETITIONER: CATHOLIC HEALTH** INITIATIVES COLORADO d/b/a Villa Pueblo Towers RESPONDENTS: CITY OF PUEBLO, COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, and LARA BARRETT AS DIRECTOR ▲ COURT USE ONLY ATTORNEYS FOR RESPONDENTS: Thomas E. Jagger, Atty Reg. No. 1593 Robert P. Jagger, Atty. Reg. No. 24612 Address: 503 N. Main Street, Suite 127 07 SC 905 Pueblo, Colorado 81003 Case Number Telephone No.: (719) 545-4412 Fax No.: (719) 545-4301 E-mail: bjagger@jaggerlaw.com RESPONSE TO BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE THE CATHOLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

City of Pueblo, Colorado, et al., ("City") incorporates herein its Opening-Answer Brief in response to the Brief of Amicus Curiae The Catholic Health Association of the United States ("CHA").

The City would note that CHA requests this Court to re-examine its prior decision in Mauer v. Young Life, 779 P.2d 1317 (Colo. 1989) and Samaritan

<u>Institute v. Prince Walker</u>, 883 P.2d 3 (Colo. 1994). For the following reasons, City objects to such action:

- (1) This relief has not been raised by Petitioner Catholic Health
 Initiatives of Colorado ("Catholic Health"). At most, Catholic
 Health has attempted to distinguish <u>Samaritan</u> from the facts of
 this case. Opening Brief of Catholic Health at pp. 30-38. The
 Court does not consider issues raised only by amicus curiae.

 <u>Gorman v. Tucker By and Through Edwards</u>, 961 P.2d 1126,
 1131 (Colo. 1998).
- (2) Samaritan relates to exemption under the Colorado

 Employment Security Act and Mauer relates to exemption

 under the State of Colorado property tax law. Presumably, the

 Court would want to be advised by adverse parties who have a

 real and direct interest in such re-examination, which the City

 does not.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Response To Brief Of Amicus Curiae The Catholic Health Association of the United States, was served upon counsel for the Petitioner and Amici Parties, by mailing same, United States mail, postage prepaid this Aghi day of , 2008, addressed to:

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