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We are pleased to report that after over 8 hours of bargaining extending from Thursday to Friday, SEIU and Hospital representation made significant progress toward what we hope will be a tentative labor agreement subject to ratification by the SEIU Negotiating Committee and its members and the ARHS Board of Trustees.

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