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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: <u>david.j.bettencourt@ins.nh.gov</u>

David J. Bettencourt Insurance Commissioner New Hampshire Insurance Department 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 14 Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Bettencourt:

On August 5, 2020, the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of the Treasury approved New Hampshire's State Innovation Waiver under Section 1332 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA). New Hampshire's approved application waives the ACA's requirement for the single risk pool to the extent necessary to implement a state reinsurance program called the New Hampshire Reinsurance Program for plan years 2021 through 2025.

This letter is to notify you that the pass-through funding associated with this waiver for calendar year 2024 is estimated to be \$28,035,719, which must be used for purposes of implementing New Hampshire's State Innovation Waiver. This amount will be subject to a final administrative determination by the Department of the Treasury prior to payment.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff. If you have any questions regarding program matters or official correspondence concerning the waiver, please contact <u>stateinnovationwaivers@cms.hhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Jeff Wu Acting Director, Center for Consumer Information & Insurance Oversight Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

 CC: Aviva Aron-Dine, Acting Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, U.S. Department of the Treasury
The Honorable Christopher T. Sununu, Governor, State of New Hampshire
J. Michael Degnan, Executive Director, New Hampshire Health Plan