DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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April 21, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: Andrew.Stolfi@oregon.gov

Andrew Stolfi Director and Insurance Commissioner Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services 350 Winter Street NE Salem, OR 97309

Dear Director Stolfi:

On October 18, 2017, the Department of Health & Human Services and the Department of the Treasury approved Oregon's State Innovation Waiver under Section 1332 of the Affordable Care Act (ACA). Oregon's approved application waives the ACA's requirement for the single risk pool in order to implement a state reinsurance program called the Oregon Reinsurance Program for plan years 2018 through 2022. It is the Department of the Treasury's final administrative determination that Oregon's pass-through funding amount for calendar year 2021 is \$54,775,261. This determination reflects federal law as of March 10, 2021. For information on how the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 may impact pass-through funding, please see here. ¹

If you have any questions regarding program matters or official correspondence concerning the waiver, please contact Lina Rashid at <u>Lina.Rashid@cms.hhs.gov</u> or <u>stateinnovationwaivers@cms.hhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Grant

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Acting Director, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight (CCIIO) Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

Cc:

Mark Mazur, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy, U.S. Department of the Treasury

The Honorable Kate Brown, Governor, State of Oregon

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February 25, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: Louis.D.Savage@oregon.gov

Lou Savage Interim Director Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services 350 Winter Street NE Salem, OR 97309

Dear Director Savage:

On October 18, 2017, the Department of Health & Human Services and the Department of the Treasury approved Oregon's State Innovation Waiver under Section 1332 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA). Oregon's application sought to waive PPACA's requirement for the single risk pool in order to implement a state reinsurance program called the Oregon Reinsurance Program for plan years 2018 through 2022. The pass-through funding associated with this waiver for calendar year 2021 is estimated to be \$54,775,261. This amount will be subject to a final administrative determination by the Department of the Treasury prior to payment.

If you have any questions regarding program matters or official correspondence concerning the waiver, please contact Lina Rashid at <u>Lina.Rashid@cms.hhs.gov</u>, or stateinnovationwaivers@cms.hhs.gov.

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The Honorable Kate Brown, Governor, State of Oregon Andrew Stolfi, Insurance Commissioner, Oregon Division of Financial Regulation