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Richard Whitley, MS
Director

March 20, 2024

The Honorable Janet Yellen
Secretary of the Treasury
Department of the Treasury
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20220

The Honorable Xavier Becerra
Secretary of Health and Human Services
Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20201

Dear Secretary Yellen and Secretary Becerra:

The State of Nevada is writing to formally request that the U.S. Department of the Treasury and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services pause its consideration of our pending 1332 State Innovation Waiver application.

The State is currently developing an amendment to its application to reflect more accurate actuarial assumptions and evolving program design. Upon the submission of these changes, the State will request consideration of the application resume.

Our team looks forward to continuing our work on this important project once the required application materials are updated. Thank you for your consideration in this matter and continued support of Nevada's health care affordability and market stabilization goals.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Richard Whitley".

Richard Whitley, MS
Director
Nevada Department of Health and Human Services