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April 3, 2020

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: eric.a.cioppa@maine.gov

Eric Cioppa Superintendent of Insurance Maine Bureau of Insurance #34 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Superintendent Cioppa:

On July 30, 2018, the Department of Health & Human Services and the Department of the Treasury approved Maine's State Innovation Waiver under Section 1332 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA). Maine's application sought to waive PPACA's requirement for the single risk pool in order to implement a state reinsurance program called the Maine Guaranteed Access Reinsurance Association for plan years 2019 through 2023. It is the Department of the Treasury's final administrative determination that Maine's pass-through funding amount is \$26,291,971 for calendar year 2020. This amount reflects that Maine's expansion of Medicaid eligibility will be fully implemented for plan year 2020.

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

Sincerely,

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Cc: David Kautter, Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy, U.S. Department of the Treasury The Honorable Janet Mills, Governor, State of Maine Marti Hooper, Life and Health Actuary, Maine Bureau of Insurance Holly Doherty, Staff Attorney, Maine Bureau of Insurance

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January 10, 2020

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