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May 3, 2022

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: mhumphreys@pa.gov

Michael Humphreys Acting Insurance Commissioner Pennsylvania Insurance Department 1326 Strawberry Square Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Acting Commissioner Humphreys:

On July 24, 2020, the Department of Health & Human Services and the Department of the Treasury approved the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's State Innovation Waiver under Section 1332 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA). Pennsylvania'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 Pennsylvania Reinsurance Program for plan years 2021 through 2025.

It is the Department of the Treasury's final administrative determination that Pennsylvania's pass-through funding amount for calendar year 2022 is \$124,249,933, which must be used for purposes of implementing Pennsylvania's State Innovation Waiver.

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 Lina Rashid at Lina.Rashid@cms.hhs.gov or stateinnovationwaivers@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Ellen Montz, Ph.D.

Director, Center for Consumer Information & Insurance Oversight Deputy Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

Cc:

Lily Batchelder, Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy, U.S. Department of the Treasury Tom Wolf, Governor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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March 24, 2022

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This letter is to notify you that, in part due to the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, the pass-through funding associated with this waiver for calendar year 2022 is estimated to be \$124,249,933, which must be used for purposes of implementing Pennsylvania's State Innovation Waiver. This amount will be subject to a final administrative determination by the Department of the Treasury prior to payment.

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