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Dear Mr. Tsai:

Please consider this letter as Vermont's written acceptance of the Reasonable Opportunity Period (ROP) Extension COVID-19 Public Health Emergency (PHE) section 1115 demonstration amendment approval letter from your office dated March 7, 2023. This was approved as an amendment under the Vermont Global Commitment to Health (GCH) section 1115(a) demonstration (Project Number 11-W-00194/1).

We greatly appreciate your time, effort, and partnership with Vermont staff in completing this amendment. We look forward to continuing our work together through the unwinding period and beyond.

Sincerely,

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