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Toby Douglas, Director
California Department of Health Care Services
P.O. Box 997413, MS 0000
Sacramento, CA 95899-7413

Dear Mr. Douglas:

Enclosed is an approved copy of California State Plan Amendment (SPA) 09-015. This SPA was submitted to my office on July 30, 2009 requesting to amend the State Plan to exclude coverage of optional benefits to Federally Qualified Health Centers (FHHCs) and Rural Health Centers (RHCs).

This effective date of this SPA is July 1, 2009. Enclosed are the following approved SPA pages that should be incorporated into your approved State Plan:

- Attachment 4.19-B, pages 6B, 6B.1, and 6C

If you have any questions, please contact Kristin Curran by phone at (415) 744-3579 or by email at Kristin.Curran@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gloria Nagle", is positioned above the typed name.

Gloria Nagle, Ph.D., MPA

Associate Regional Administrator

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Enclosure

cc: Janice Spitzer, California Department of Health Care Services