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## Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

February 23, 2010

Refer to: DMCH: ST IA SPA 09-023

Charles Krogmeier, Director Department of Human Services Hoover State Office Building 1305 East Walnut, 5th Floor Des Moines, Iowa 50319 – 0119

Dear Mr. Krogmeier:

On December 23, 2009, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received lowa's state plan amendment (SPA), transmittal #09-023, which responds to our request to submit a technical amendment to correct a previous error.

Based on the material submitted, we are pleased to inform you that SPA 09-023 is approved effective July 1, 2008, in accordance with 42 CFR 430.20(b)(3). Enclosed is a copy of the CMS 179 form as well as the approved page for incorporation into the Iowa State plan. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please call Sharon Taggart at (816) 426-5925.

Sincerely,

/s/

James G. Scott Associate Regional Administrator for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

cc: Jennifer Vermeer Alisa Horn