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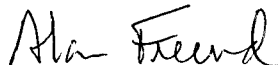
Dear Mr. Osberg:

Enclosed for your records is an approved copy of the following State Plan Amendment:

Transmittal #10-010 - Hospice Services
--Effective Date: March 23, 2010

If you have any additional questions, please have a member of your staff contact Charles Friedrich at (608) 442-9125 or by e-mail at Charles.Friedrich@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,



Verlon Johnson
Acting Associate Regional Administrator
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Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

cc: Lisa Knazan, MDHS

Enclosure