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Robert D. Hofmann, Secretary Agency of Human Services 103 South Main Street Waterbury, Vermont 05671-0204

Dear Mr. Hofmann:

We are pleased to enclose a copy of approved State plan amendment (SPA) No. 10-005. This SPA is effective July 1, 2010 as requested.

SPA 10-005 transmitted a proposed amendment to your Agency's approved Title XIX State plan to update the organizational structure of the single State agency. Specifically, you proposed to (1) rename the Medicaid unit the Department of Vermont Health Access; and (2) elevate mental health to a department within the single State agency.

If there are questions, please contact Chong Tieng. He can be reached at (617) 565-9157.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard R. McGreal Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosure

cc: Susan Besio