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August 22, 2013

Ms. Heather Hostetler Project Officer Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services 7500 Security Boulevard, Mail Stop S2-01-16 Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

Dear Ms. Hostetler:

The Agency for Health Care Administration (the Agency) is withdrawing the amendment to the 1115 MEDS AD Waiver (Project No. 11-W-00205/4) that was submitted April 6, 2012, to implement the six (6) month Medically Needy program as specified in section 409.9122 (20), Florida Statutes. This request is submitted in follow up to the call held on August 8, 2013, regarding the status of the pending amendment.

The Agency is withdrawing the amendment due to time constraints with implementing and phasing out the program, prior to implementation of the Managed Medical Assistance program beginning April 2014.

Should you have any questions, please contact Linda Macdonald of my staff by phone at (850) 412-4031 or by email at <u>Linda.Macdonald@ahca.myflorida.com</u>.

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