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Dear Ms. Zimmerman:

Thank you for your extension application for Minnesota's section 1115 demonstration, titled "Reform 2020," project no. 11-W-00286/5. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received your application request on July 21, 2017 and has completed its preliminary review to find the state's application complete in accordance with section 42 CFR 431.412(c).

Minnesota's application will be posted on Medicaid.gov and the comment period will last 30 days as required by 42 CFR 431.416(b). The state's extension request will be available at <u>https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/waivers_faceted.html</u>.

We look forward to working with you and your staff on your demonstration extension request. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your CMS project officer, Robin Magwood at (410) 786-0130 or at Robin.Magwood@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,	Δ.
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