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Dear Mr. Richard:

Thank you for your request to amend the North Carolina section 1115(a) demonstration application, previously submitted to The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on June 1, 2016. CMS received your amended application on November 20, 2017.

In accordance with section 42 CFR 431.416(a), CMS has completed a preliminary review of the application and have determined that the state's amended application has met the requirements for a complete application as specified under section 42 CFR 431.412. The state's application request will be posted on Medicaid.gov for a minimum 30-day public comment period, as required by 42 CFR 431.416(b). The state's application will be available at https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/section-1115-demo/demonstration-and-waiver-list/waivers_faceted.html.

We look forward to working with you and your staff on the state's application. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact your project officer, Ms. Sandra Phelps, Division of System Reform Demonstrations, at (410) 786-1968, or at Sandra.Phelps@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

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