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Walter R. Dobek-Barreiro, Acting Executive Director  
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P.O. Box 70184  
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00935-8184

Dear Mr. Dobek-Barreiro:

We have completed our review of Puerto Rico State Plan Amendment submittal 12-002, "Requirements for Third Parties Liability to provide coverage, eligibility and claims data to the Medicaid Program" (Supplement to Attachment 4.22) and find it acceptable for incorporation into Puerto Rico's Medicaid Plan, effective June 21, 2012). Enclosed please find copies of State Plan Amendment 12-002 and Form CMS-179.

Please note that as discussed, we have replaced the original pages submitted with the pages submitted to our office via e-mail on July 24, 2012.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss this further, please contact Patricia Ryan of my staff at 212-616-2436.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael Melendez  
Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health

Enclosures