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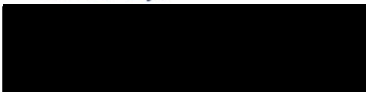
Ms. Alicia Bazell and Dr. Mehmet Oz
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Dear Ms. Bazell and Dr. Oz:

On behalf of the Arkansas Department of Human Services, I acknowledge the Demonstration Approval by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) of Arkansas's Section 1115 Demonstration Project entitled "Arkansas Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act (TEFRA)-like Demonstration (Project Number 11-W-00163/6) in accordance with Section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act, approved by Acting Director Caprice Knapp in her July 23, 2025 letter.

I accept on behalf of the Arkansas Department of Human Services the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) for TEFRA attached to the approval letter. Thank you and the other members of the CMS team for your commitment to working with the state on this important Demonstration. We look forward to continuing this collaborative effort as we work to provide high quality health coverage that will improve health outcomes for the Arkansans we serve.

Sincerely,


Janet Mann, Secretary
Arkansas Department of Human Services