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ACCEPTANCE OF THE MEDI-CAL 2020 DEMONSTRATION (WAIVER NO. 11-W-00193/9) SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE GLOBAL PAYMENT PROGRAM (GPP) AND PROGRAM FOR ALL-INCLUSIVE CARE FOR THE ELDERLY (PACE) AMENDMENTS

Dear Ms Cash, Ms. Nawara, and Ms. Ross:

On August 3, 2020, the State of California's Department of Health Care Services received approval from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) of the state's request to amend the Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) for the Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration Project (No. 11-W-00193/9) authorized under Section 1115 of the Social Security Act.

This letter serves as California's official acceptance of the STCs as set forth in CMS' approval letter regarding the GPP and PACE amendments as part of the California

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Medi-Cal 2020 waiver. The state will implement and adhere to CMS guidelines regarding GPP and PACE in these STCs.

If you or your staff have any questions, or need additional information regarding this letter, please contact Aaron Toyama, Senior Advisor, Health Care Programs, by phone at (916) 345-8715, or by email at [Aaron.Toyama@dhcs.ca.gov](mailto:Aaron.Toyama@dhcs.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

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