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Dear Mr. Rivera:

We have completed our review of Puerto Rico's State Plan amendment (SPA) submittal 10-002, "Cost Sharing", and find it acceptable for incorporation into Puerto Rico's Medicaid Plan, effective October 1, 2010. The revised pages submitted to CMS on March 10, 2011 (via e-mail) replace the pages originally submitted. Enclosed are copies of SPA 10-002 and the signed copy of the HCFA-179.

If you have any questions, please contact Doretha Howard at (212) 616-2425.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Enclosures