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Verlon Johnson, Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health  
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services  
233 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 600  
Chicago, Illinois 60601-5519

Dear Ms. Johnson:

Having received information from the Centers of Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH), Medical Services Administration (MSA) has determined not to pursue our State Plan Amendment (SPA) TN 08-01. Michigan's SPA #08-01 proposed changing the frequency of the Medicaid Access to Care Initiative (MACI) payments.

In light of this, please accept this letter as our formal request to withdraw Michigan State Plan Amendment request 08-01.

Although we are not pursuing approval of this SPA, please pass along our gratitude to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Service's staff who assisted us in this endeavor.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Nancy Bishop, of my staff, at 517/335-5303.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Reinhart".

Paul Reinhart, Director  
Medical Services Administration

Enclosures

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