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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
New York Regional Office  
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DIVISION OF MEDICAID AND CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

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Donna Frescatore  
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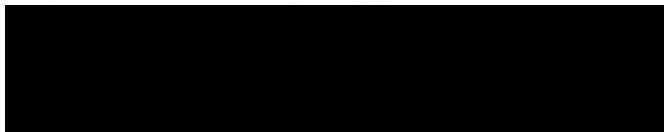
Dear Ms. Frescatore:

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' New York Regional Office received your request, dated November 7, 2018, to withdraw from consideration for approval proposed New York State Plan Amendment (SPA) #17-0018. This SPA relates to minimum wage adjustments to current Medicaid reimbursement methodologies for Article 28 hospitals, which your withdrawal request indicates are not necessary at this time.

The Regional Office accepts your withdrawal request and is no longer processing the approval of this SPA.

If you have any questions, please contact Stephen Abbott of this office at (518) 396-3810, ext. 113.

Sincerely,



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

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