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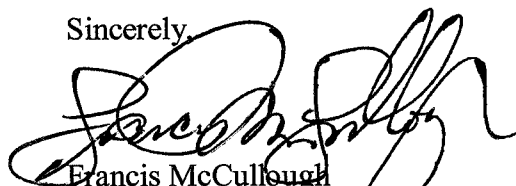
RE: CMS-372 Annual Reporting for West Virginia's Aged and Disabled Waiver (CMS Control #0134)

Dear Acting Commissioner Beane:

We have completed our review of the CMS-372 Report for the Aged and Disabled Waiver for the waiver year ending June 30, 2013. Based on our review, we find the cost neutrality data acceptable, subject to any future data validation review. A comparison of the submitted waiver cost data to the corresponding cost of institutional care indicates that the waiver continues to meet the required §1915(c) cost-neutrality formula.

The next Annual 372 Report for waiver year ending June 30, 2014 should be submitted via the web-based CMS 372 at www.hcbswaivers.net on or before December 31, 2015. As a reminder, Annual Reports must be submitted to CMS 18 months after the close of each waiver year. If you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further, please contact Margaret Kosherzenko at 215-861-4288.

Sincerely,



Francis McCullough
Associate Regional Administrator

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