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Charles J. Krogmeier
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Dear Mr. Krogmeier:

We have reviewed Iowa's State Plan amendment (SPA) 09-016. The SPA revises the Iowa Medicaid Supplemental Drug Rebate Agreement utilized by the State to enter into state rebate agreements with drug manufacturers. We are pleased to inform you that the amendment is approved effective January 1, 2010.

A copy of the CMS-179 form, as well as the pages approved for incorporation into the Iowa State plan, will be forwarded by the Kansas City Regional Office. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact David Moscovic at (410) 786-4693.

Sincerely,


Larry Reed
Director
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