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September 30, 2013

The Honorable Samuel I. Rosenberg  
Presiding Chairman  
AELR Committee  
90 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

RE: Regulatory Review and Evaluation Act:  
Work Plan for COMAR 10.09

Dear Delegate Rosenberg:

In accordance with State Government Article, §§10-130—10-139, Annotated Code of Maryland, and the implementing COMAR 01.01.2003.20, the work plans for the evaluation of chapters under COMAR 10.09 are due October 1, 2013 and the evaluation reports are due October 1, 2014.

At this time I am certifying that a review of Subtitle 09 Medical Care Programs would not be efficient or cost-effective and therefore are exempt from the review process based on the fact that they were adopted to implement a federally mandated program. This subtitle is under constant review and is revised frequently in order to keep the regulations consistent with federal standards.

Should there be any questions, please contact Michele A. Phinney, Director, Office of Regulations and Policy Coordination, at (410) 767-5623.

Sincerely,

Joshua M. Sharfstein, M.D.  
Secretary

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