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Dear Mr. Wong:

Enclosed is the revised State Plan Amendment (SPA) #11-001 GME, which has been updated to create two separate SPAs- #11-001A and #11-001B. 11-001A includes funding for programs with Intergovernmental Agreements (IGAs) that are already in place. 11-001B includes funding for programs with IGAs that are still pending. 11-001A has been drafted to incorporate the amounts from 11-011B once the IGAs for those programs are finalized.

If you have any questions about the enclosed SPAs, please contact Theresa Gonzales at (602) 417-4732.

Sincerely,

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STATE OF ARIZONA

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES
INPATIENT HOSPITAL CARE

ADDITIONAL POOL AMOUNTS

1. The methodology described in Paragraph B(1) applies to the following:

For the service period July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, in addition to the payments in Paragraph B(1), the Administration shall distribute up to \$6,704,824 as described in this paragraph to the following hospitals: Banner Boswell, Banner Good Samaritan, Phoenix Baptist, Scottsdale Health Care Osborn, Scottsdale Health Care Shea, St. Joseph's Hospital and Tucson Medical Center.

2. The methodology described in Paragraph B(3) applies to the following:

For the service period of July 1, 2010, to June 30, 2011, in addition to the payments in Paragraph B(3), the Administration shall distribute up to \$3,700,718 under this paragraph to the following hospitals: Banner Boswell, Banner Good Samaritan, Scottsdale Health Care Osborn, Scottsdale Health Care Shea, St. Joseph's Hospital and Tucson Medical Center. If funds are insufficient to cover all calculated distributions within any priority group described in paragraphs B(3)(a) and (b), the Administration shall adjust the distributions proportionally within that priority group.

3. The methodology described in Paragraph B(4) applies to the following:

For the service period of July 1, 2010, to June 30, 2011, in addition to the payments in Paragraph B(4), the Administration shall distribute up to \$1,246,664 under this paragraph to the following hospitals: Banner Boswell, Banner Del Webb, Banner Good Samaritan, Scottsdale Health Care Osborn, Scottsdale Health Care Shea, St. Joseph's Hospital and Tucson Medical Center. If funds are insufficient to cover all calculated distributions, the Administration shall adjust the distributions proportionally.

4. The methodology described in Paragraph F applies to the following:

For the service period of July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011, in addition to the payments in Paragraph F, the Administration shall distribute up to \$52,049,185 in total funds under this paragraph to the following hospitals: Banner Good Samaritan, Phoenix Baptist, Scottsdale Health Care Osborn, Scottsdale Health Care Shea, St. Joseph's Hospital and Tucson Medical Center. Any unallocated authority remaining from paragraphs B(3), B(4) or D after any necessary redistribution under paragraph E may be distributed under this paragraph.