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Ms. Wakina Scott
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RE: Withdrawal of Waiver Amendment for Childless Adults Coverage with Enhanced Funds

Dear Ms. Scott:

On November 9, 2012, AHCCCS submitted a Section 1115 Waiver amendment requesting continued authority to cover Childless Adults with enhanced federal matching funds. Since that time, Governor Brewer's Medicaid Restoration Plan was signed into law, which will cover adults up to 133% of the Federal Poverty Level beginning January 1, 2014. Accordingly, AHCCCS withdraws this Waiver amendment request.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Do not hesitate to contact Theresa Gonzales at 602-417-4732 should you require additional information.

Sincerely,

Monica Coury
Assistant Director

cc: Gloria Nagle, Associate Regional Administrator, CMS