DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Division of Health Care Financing and Policy

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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada Serrell Smokey, ITCN President Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe 919 Highway 395 S Gardnerville, Nevada 89410

Dear Tribal Members:

In accordance with established consultation guidelines, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is notifying Nevada tribes of the following proposed change in policy:

On October 7, 2020, the DHCFP provided notification proposing revisions to the State Plan Amendment 4.19-B, Page 3 and Page 3 (Continued) for Prescribed Drugs. Additionally, the DHCFP provided notification on October 19, 2020 indicating that the DHCFP is proposing revisions to the MSM Chapter 1200 – Prescribed Drugs, Section 1203.1B. These revisions are being made in order to implement a Specialty Pharmacy Drug Program in accordance with Nevada Special Legislative Session, Assembly bill 3.

Please be advised that the new effective date of these proposed changes has been revised from January 1, 2021 to January 12, 2021.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the Tribal Government.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Crystal Biselli at (775) 684-3722 who will schedule a meeting. We would appreciate a reply within 30 days from the date of this letter. If we do not hear from you within this time, we will consider this an indication that no consultation is requested.

Sincerely,



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