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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Executive Board President
Vinton Hawley, Chairman
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P.O. Box 256
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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:

State Plan Attachment 4.19-A, Page 15:

Item A-1, the CMS cost report form number is being changed from CMS-2552-96 to reflect the updated form number CMS-2552-10.

Item B-2, to address excessive overpayments and/or underpayments upon cost report settlement the following language will be added: "The annual rate is not to exceed 150% or decrease 25% from the facilities' prior year rate."

State Plan Attachment 4.19-A, page 15a:

Item B-3, "as filed" will be deleted.

No change in annual aggregate expenditures is anticipated.

If you would like a consultation regarding this new policy, please contact Tanya Benitez 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lynne Foster".

Lynne Foster
Chief of Division Compliance

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