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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada Serrell Smokey, ITCN President Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe 919 Highway 395 South 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 the Medicaid Services Manual Chapter 1200 – Prescribed Drugs.

DHCFP is proposing updates to MSM Chapter 1200, Section 1203.1B.2 due to Senate Bill (SB) 156 passed during the 82nd (2023) Session that revises provisions relating to substance use disorders.

There is no known financial impact to Tribal Governments.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Nahayvee Flores-Rosiles at (775) 350-0786 or nflores-rosiles@dhcfpn.nv.gov 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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Casey Angres Division Compliance Chief, DHCFP

cc: Cynthia Leech, Compliance Agency Manager, DHCFP Dr. Keiko Duncan, Medicaid Pharmacy Director, DHCFP Renee Sweeney, Social Services Program Specialist (SSPS) III, DHCFP Ellen Flowers, SSSP II, DHCFP Nahayvee Flores-Rosiles, Tribal & Community Liaison, DHCFP