DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Type of Information Collection Request: Revision of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Information Collection Requirements Contained in the Medicaid Termination of Enrollment Regulation 42 CFR 434.27; *Form No.:* HCFA–R–141, OMB–0938–0572; *Use:* The termination of enrollment contract requirements, as referenced in 42 CFR 434.27 allow States, through contracts with Medicaid Managed Care Organizations (MCOs), to restrict disenrollment from an MCO up to a one year period. However, Medicaid beneficiaries are allowed to disenroll during the period for good cause. *Frequency:* On occasion; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit; *Number of Respondents:* 8,406,945; *Total Annual Responses:* 8,406,945; *Total Annual Hours:* 1.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786–1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Information Services, Information Technology Investment Management Group, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards, Attention: John Rudolph, Room C2–26–17, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244–1850.

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Agency information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

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Type of Information Collection Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.; *Title of Information Collection:* Application for Hospital Insurance and Supporting Regulation 42CFR 406.7; *Form No.:* HCFA–18F5, OMB # 0938–0251; *Use:* The HCFA 18F5 is used to establish entitlement to hospital insurance and supplementary medical insurance for beneficiaries entitled under title XVII of the Social Security Act only. *Frequency:* One time submission; *Affected Public:* Individuals or Households, Business or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions, Farms, Federal Government, and State, Local or Tribal Government; *Number of Respondents:* 50,000; *Total Annual Responses:* 50,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 12,500.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786–1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Information Services, Information Technology Investment Management Group, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards Attention: John Rudolph Room C2–26–17 7500 Security Boulevard Baltimore, Maryland 21244–1850

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration.

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Type of Information Collection Request: Extension of a currently