

December 29, 2023

Mr. Scott Logan
Social Security Administration
Office of Income Security Programs, Keys Section
2518 Robert M. Ball Building
6401 Security Boulevard
Baltimore, MD 21235

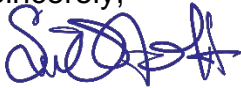
Dear Mr. Logan:

As Interim Commissioner of the Department of Health and Human Services and in accordance with the requirements of Section 1616(e) of the Social Security Act (Keys Amendments), I hereby certify as follows:

1. The State of North Dakota establishes and enforces standards for residential facilities where significant numbers of Supplemental Security Income recipients reside;
2. The State of North Dakota makes a summary of these standards available for public review by including a summary of standards on the Department of Health and Human Services' website;
3. The State of North Dakota makes copies of the standards (and state enforcement procedures including any waivers and violations of the standards) available upon request; and
4. The State of North Dakota's standards outlined in law and administrative code are electronically available to any interested individual.

The Department of Health and Human Services did not create or amend any standards and enforcement procedures during 2023 for residential facilities where significant number of Supplemental Security Income recipients reside.

Sincerely,



Sara Stolt
Interim Commissioner

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