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Modification From Agency

The Honorable Dan Kapanke, State Senator
Chairperson, Senate Committee on Agriculture & Insurance
State Capitol Room 104 South
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Re: Section Ins 9.01, 9.07, 9.20, 9.25, 9.32, 9.33, 9.41 and 9.42, Wis. Adm. Code, relating to defined network plans, preferred provider plans, limited service health organizations and limited scope plans and affecting small businesses.

Clearinghouse Rule No. 06-083

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3. Modify Sections 7, 10, 13, 14, 15 to remove reference to suspension by JCRAR.

I understand that this submission of a germane modification will extend the Committee's jurisdiction 10 working days from receipt of this letter. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact Eileen Mallow at 266-7843.

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