

August 4, 2016

Eric Cioppa, Superintendent
Attn: Elena Crowley
Docket No. INS-16-1000
Bureau of Insurance
Maine Department of Professional and Financial Regulation
34 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333-0034

Re: Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield 2017 Individual Rate Filing

Dear Superintendent Cioppa:

Enclosed for filing please find the following:

SUBMITTED BY: Christopher T. Roach
DATE: August 4, 2016
DOCUMENT TITLE: Anthem Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Closing
DOCUMENT TYPE: Motion
CONFIDENTIAL: **NO**

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Christopher T. Roach

cc: Attached service list

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STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL AND FINANCIAL REGULATION
BUREAU OF INSURANCE

IN RE:)
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) ANTHEM'S MOTION FOR LEAVE
ANTHEM BLUE CROSS AND BLUE) TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL CLOSING
SHIELD 2017 INDIVIDUAL RATE FILING) STATEMENT
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Docket No. INS-16-1000)
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Anthem Health Plans of Maine, Inc. d/b/a Anthem BCBS (“Anthem”) hereby moves for leave to file its Supplemental Closing Statement (filed today) and for its inclusion as part of the record upon which the Superintendent will render a decision on Anthem’s proposed rates for 2017. Anthem’s rate development, prefiled testimony, hearing responses and initial Closing Statement were premised on four carriers participating on the exchange in 2017 and with rate relativities among the carriers that would lead to balanced enrollment among the four carriers and with no carrier absorbing an inordinate volume of CHO’s likely transitioning enrollment.

Following Anthem having made those filings and the closing of the record in this proceeding, Aetna announced on August 2 that it will not expand its participation on exchange in 2017. Anthem has since learned that Aetna’s position extends to Maine and that Aetna will not participate on the exchange in Maine in 2017. As set forth in the Supplemental Closing Statement, this is a significant change that materially affects Anthem’s rate filing and should be considered in the review of Anthem’s rate filing.

For the reasons set forth above and in Anthem’s Supplemental Closing Statement, Anthem respectfully requests that the Superintendent grant leave for Anthem to file the Supplemental Closing Statement and include it as part of the record upon which the Superintendent will render a decision on Anthem’s 2017 rate filing.

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ANTHEM BLUE CROSS AND BLUE)
SHIELD 2017 INDIVIDUAL RATE)
FILING) CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
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Docket No. INS-16-1000)
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The undersigned counsel hereby certifies that on this date I caused to be mailed by electronic mail, copies of Anthem’s Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Closing on the persons and at the addresses indicated below.

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