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Dear Dr. Matos:

We have completed our review of Puerto Rico's State Plan Amendment submittal 07-011, "Resource Levels – Medically Needy", and find it acceptable for incorporation into Puerto Rico's Medicaid Plan, effective October 1, 2007. The revised page submitted to CMS on February 20, 2008 (via e-mail) replaces the page originally submitted. Additionally, Puerto Rico has agreed to a pen and ink changes to the regulatory citation found on the HCFA 179, box 6 to read "1902(r)(2) of the Act" and box 8 to read "Supplement 8b to Attachment 2.6 A, Page 1". Enclosed please find copies of Plan Amendment 07-011 and form HCFA-179.

If you have any questions, please contact Patricia Ryan at 212-616-2436.

Sincerely,

Associate Regional Administrator

Division of Medicaid and Children's Health

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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State Agency:

COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO

LESS RESTRICTIVE METHODS OF TREATING RESOURCES UNDER SECTION 1902 (r)(2) OF THE ACT

Citation (s)	Provision (s)
1902(r)(2) of the Act	For medically needy aged, blind and disabled individuals Puerto Rico will disregard the difference between \$10,000 and the medically needy resource standard.

TN No. ___NEW___ Supersedes TN No. __07-011__

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