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To Whom It May Concern:

The Office of the Healthcare Advocate is the grantee for three distinct federal grants to assist in our outreach and consumer assistance functions under the Affordable Care Act. In light of the current shutdown of the federal government, our office contacted the Grants Management staff at CMS and received confirmation that the federal shutdown would not impact our grant funding. The attached letter affirms this decision.

The Office of the Healthcare Advocate will continue to advocate for Connecticut residents without issue or interruption due to the issues at the federal level.

Best regards,

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