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CERTIFICATION

The Attorney General hereby certifies that the agency, Georgia Department of Community Health, has been established as the single State agency with authority to administer the State of Georgia Plan for Medical Assistance under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. It is further certified that the Georgia Department of Community Health administers the Plan on a statewide basis and has authority to make rules and regulations governing the administration of the Plan. The legal source of this authority to administer the Plan and to make such rules and regulations is Act 268 of the General Assembly of Georgia known as the Department of Community Health, Board of Community Health, and Commissioner of Community Health, approved on July 1, 1999 (Ga. Laws 1999 Vol. 1 Pgs. 296-317). The Georgia Department of Community Health succeeds the Georgia Department of Medical Assistance as the single State agency authorized to administer the Plan.

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