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Department of Health Care Services

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**NOTICE OF PROPOSED EMERGENCY REGULATORY ACTION**
**REGARDING THE READOPTION OF**
**Quality Assurance Fee (QAF) Program & the Medi-Cal Long Term Care (LTC) Reimbursement Act, DHCS-06-012E**

Pursuant to Government Code Section 11346.1(a)(2), notice is hereby given that the Department of Health Care Services (Department) proposes to readopt on an emergency basis regulations amending Title 22, California Code of Regulations, Division 3, Article 9, Sections 52000, 52100 through 52104, 52500 through 52516, and 52600.

Government Code Section 11346.1(a)(2) requires that, at least five (5) working days prior to submission of the proposed emergency action to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL), the adopting agency provide a notice of the proposed emergency action to every person who has filed a request for notice of regulatory action with the agency. After submission of the proposed emergency regulations to the OAL, the OAL shall allow interested persons five (5) calendar days to submit comments on the proposed emergency action as set forth in Government Code Section 11349.6.

In accordance with Title 1, California Code of Regulations Section 52, readoption of an emergency regulation pursuant to Government Code Section 11346.1(h) requires sending a notice of proposed regulatory action pursuant to Government Code Section 11346.1(a)(2).

This notice is a statement of intent to readopt the emergency regulations as amended. Amendments are designated with strikethrough for deletions and underline for additions. Supplemental information has been provided to explain the amendments which include those that incorporate recently enacted provisions of Senate Bill 853 (Statutes of 2010, Chapter 717). A copy of the text of the proposed emergency regulations, supplemental information and the finding of emergency are enclosed.

Inquiries regarding the text of the proposed emergency regulations, supplemental information and the finding of emergency may be directed to John McCraw of the Rate Development Branch, at (916) 552-9635.

In any inquiries, please identify the action by using the Department regulation control number, DHCS-06-012E. To monitor this rulemaking process, go to the Office of Regulations website at http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/formsandpubs/laws/Pages/ProposedRegulations.aspx

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES

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