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Re: Letter of Support 42 CFR part 136
c/o Betty Gould, Regulations Officers Indian Health Services
Department of Health and Human Services
801 Thompson Ave, TMP STE 450,
Rockville, Maryland 20852

Betty Gould, Regulations Officer, Indian Health Services:

Greenville Rancheria is a Federally Recognized Tribe serving all Native Americans. Our priority is to deliver high quality health services to and improve the health status of California Indians in a respectful, culturally competent manner with regard to spiritual and personal values. We are pleased to support the Indian Health Services/health and Human Services proposed rule to amend Indian Health Service (IHS) Purchased and Referred Care (PRC). Formally known as the Contract Health Services (CHS), regulations to apply Medicare payment methodologies to all physician and other health care professional services and non-hospital-based services that are either authorized under such regulations or purchased by urban Indian organizations.

Greenville Rancheria believes that the proposed rule will decrease PRC costs and increase funds to implement a comprehensive approach to improve health status and outcomes among the populations we serve.

Sincerely,

Kyle Self, Tribal Chairman

And/or

/Chrystal Rios, Vice Tribal Chairwoman/

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