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Leon R. McCowan, Regional Administrator
Adm. for Children and Families
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1301 Young Street, Room 914
Dallas, Texas 75202-5433

Dear Mr. McCowan:

The State of New Mexico is pleased to submit the TANF State Plan effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014. This document represents the State of New Mexico's expressed intent to renew its eligibility to continue to receive funding under TANF.

The New Mexico Human Services Department (HSD) offered a 45-day public comment period from October 17, 2011 to November 30, 2011 for the TANF State Plan. The proposed TANF State Plan was made available to the public on October 17, 2011 in electronic format via the Income Support Division's website and in paper format by request. On November 30, 2011, a public hearing was held Pollon Plaza in Santa Fe. HSD received only written comments. The public comments were taken under consideration and notification of the final plan will be issued to interested parties through a NM Human Services Register.

If you have any questions, or need further information, please contact Vida Tapia-Sanchez at (505) 827-7219 or by email at Vida.Tapia-Sanchez@state.nm.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sidonie Squier".

Sidonie Squier, Secretary
Human Services Department (HSD)

cc:

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