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By Facsimile (916) 653-1693 and First Class Mail

Ms. Eva L. Lopez Deputy Director Adult Programs Division Department of Social Services 744 "P" Street Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: IHSS Provider Enrollment Deadline

Dear Ms. Lopez:

As you are aware, CDSS has instructed counties to implement new IHSS provider enrollment requirements effective November 1, 2009. This process includes a criminal background check, provider enrollment form and orientation. As we have not yet received sufficient instructions regarding these issues or a funding allocation, the November 1 implementation date is unrealistic for us.

We appreciate that you invited counties to notify you if we expected a delay in implementation of these requirements. At this point, Yolo County is unable to implement this process for the above-stated reasons. We look forward to the receipt of additional information, instructions and financial resources for this effort. Specifically, we would appreciate information regarding the full range of questions submitted to you by CWDA.

Thank you so much.

Sincerely,

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Pamela S. Miller, MSW Director

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