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NOTICE OF HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISAPPROVAL BY THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE OF A MERGED MARKET RATE FILING BY ALLWAYS HEALTH PARTNERS, INC.

Docket No. R2021-01

On January 4, 2021, AllWays Health Partners, Inc. ("AllWays") filed with the Division of Insurance ("Division") proposed rates for its small group health plans to be implemented on April 1, 2021 (the "Filing"). By letter dated January 21, 2021, Kevin P. Beagan, the Division's Deputy Commissioner, Health Care Access Bureau, disapproved the Filing. On January 22, 2021, AllWays requested a hearing on the disapproval.

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Commissioner of Insurance ("Commissioner") under G.L. c.176J, §6 and 211 CMR 66.08(5), a public hearing on this matter will take place on February 4, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. The hearing will be held virtually using TEAMS, a digital meeting program. Copies of the Filing and the Disapproval Letter will be filed electronically and available for inspection upon request to the Division at <u>doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov</u>. This proceeding has been designated as Docket No. R2021-01.

Any person, not initially a party, who may be substantially and specifically affected by the hearing and wishes to intervene or participate in the hearing shall file a written petition for leave to intervene or participate at <u>doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov</u> no later than February 1, 2021, and concurrently serve copies on the parties. The petition shall state the petitioner's name and address, describe the manner in which the petitioner may be affected by the hearing, state why intervention or participation should be allowed, state any relief sought, and cite any law supporting intervention or participation.

Any person requesting to comment orally at the virtual hearing must submit to <u>doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov</u> a Notice of Intent to Comment no later than February 2, 2021. Any person requesting solely to attend the hearing must submit a request to <u>doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov</u> no later than 12:00 p.m. on February 3, 2021. All notices or requests must include the person's name, telephone number and email address. An email with instructions for joining the hearing will be sent on the afternoon of February 3. Any person who wishes to comment in writing may send a statement by electronic mail to

<u>doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov</u> no later than February 9, 2021. All notices and written statements must refer to DOI Docket No. R2021-01.

January 26, 2021

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