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Attachments: Letter CAPTA PIP PL 111-320 Submission (GM)(TD) 3-29-16.pdf
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Austin – I wanted to get this on your radar as well. Duff Wilson at Reuters has been digging in on opioid dependent infants across the country, and he is now focusing on South Carolina as I believe we were the only state that was asked to produce a Program Improvement Plan for CAPTA.

Duff has asked Karen to provide him with the PIP once it has been submitted to the feds, and I wanted to make sure we saw this before it was released to the reporter. Attached is the PIP as it was submitted to the Administration for Children and Families.

From: Wingo, Karen [mailto:Karen.Wingo@dss.sc.gov]
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Brian,
Per our call, attached are the documents submitted to the feds in response to the March 4th letter about the PIP. I just received confirmation from Tony Catone that there is no legal justification or grounds to withhold. Therefore, the plan is to produce to Duff at the end of the day pursuant to his request. Please call or text with any questions.

Thanks,
Karen

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