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TO: Jay Polatty

FROM: Sophie Lane

DATE: 10-16-09

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UNITED STATES SENATE

October 15, 2009

Ms. Emma Forkner
Director
SC Department of Health and Human Services
PO Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

Dear Emma:

The attached letter concerns an issue outside of my official jurisdiction. Therefore, as a courtesy to my constituent, I am sending this correspondence to you.

Thank you for your attention in this matter. I ask that you please respond directly to the individual.

Sincerely,

Lindsey O. Graham
United States Senator

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Enclosure

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Dear Mr. Lindsey Graham

Mr. Graham: you told me
if I needed your assistance on
anything to call or write you.

I need some assistance on
something. I mailed some paper-
work to Lexington County DHHS
on Oct 5, 2009. I'm trying to
get some kind of health
care coverage with them
and they denied me.

The reason for denial
is cause they say I don't
meet the policy rules of
age or disability. Benee
Bawn is the worker
that wrote the letter.

Mr Lindsey Graham every
were I go to try and
get help they deny me.
What am I to do?

Thank - You

Robert J. Collins Sr

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The worker name is
Renee Brown
Phone # (803) 785-5227
BG # 20865998
HI # 100236923

Address: Lexington County DHS
605 W. Main St.
Lexington, S.C.
29012

Beneficiary Name:
Robert Collins Sr.

Beneficiary ID:
4329142803

All I want is some kind
of Health Care Coverage.
Can you please help.



October 28, 2009

Mr. Robert Collins, Sr.
1620-A Whetstone Road
Swansea, South Carolina 29160

Dear Mr. Collins:

United States Senator Lindsey Graham contacted our agency on your behalf regarding Medicaid eligibility and your healthcare needs.

Your Medicaid Aged, Blind or Disabled (ABD) application was denied on October 8, 2009. Marilyn Roberts, Medicaid Supervisor in our Lexington County Office, told us you plan to come by her office on Friday, October 30, to receive assistance in completing your application. If you will not be able to keep this appointment, please contact Ms. Roberts at (803) 785-2930.

Once the application process is complete, you will be notified in writing when a new eligibility determination is made. In the interim, we forwarded your request for a fair hearing to our Office of Appeals and Hearings should it be needed in the future.

An alternate health insurance option through Augco Benefits offers a variety of health insurance plans from top-rated insurance carriers. You may wish to look over the enclosed brochure and contact them at 1-866-273-5613 to see if they can be of assistance. Also enclosed is information on other programs and organizations that can assist residents in South Carolina with their healthcare services, prescriptions, inpatient hospitalization and daily living needs.

If you have questions about the Medicaid program, please call Denise Epps in Constituent Services at (803) 898-2505. I hope this information is helpful.

Sincerely,



Alicia Jacobs
Deputy Director

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Enclosures