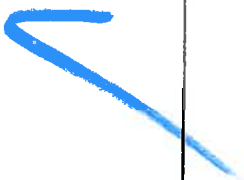


DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
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ACTION REFERRAL

TO <i>Bassling/</i>	DATE <i>8-21-06</i>
1. LOG NUMBER <i>000160</i>	
2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR <i>CE: Singleton</i> <i>Wells</i> 	
<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature DATE DUE _____	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action	

APPROVALS (Only when prepared for director's signature)	APPROVE	* DISAPPROVE (Note reason for disapproval and return to preparer.)	COMMENT
1. <i>Cleared 9/19/06, letter attached.</i>			
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A Coalition of Chesterfield County Churches

August 17, 2006

*Doc. Brundin*  
*Wells*  
*"Approved. Sign."*  
*cc: Sampleton*  
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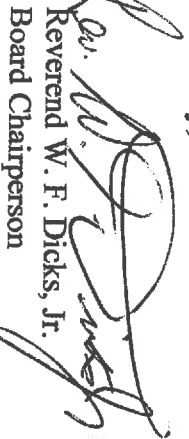
Melanie BZ Giese, Bureau Director, Health Services  
S. C. Department of Health and Human Services  
P. O. Box 8206  
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

Dear Ms. Giese:

Yesterday, the MLKOG Board deliberated at length on the concerns raised by your staff since July 1 and outlined in the spreadsheet emailed to Margaret Plettinger Mitchell on August 10. We decided to accept your offer of a mutual agreement to discontinue Project FAITH. As difficult as this decision was, it seems to be the best method of acknowledging that both parties have responsibility in the difficulties experienced and have learned a lot from the process.

Please draft the necessary agreement to document this change in contract status that will be signed by both organizations. It is my understanding that this will be the documentation used to report to the Governor and Legislature on the outcomes of the Project FAITH portion of the Prevention Proviso.

Sincerely,

  
Reverend W. F. Dicks, Jr.  
Board Chairperson

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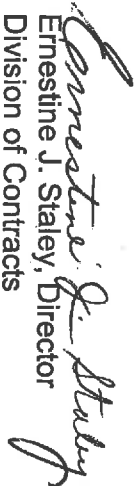
Re: Grant Agreement Between South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and  
Ministering Life in the Kingdom of God, Incorporated (Grant Agreement No. B 6 1520 G)

Dear Reverend Dicks:

Thank you for your letter regarding the Ministering Life in the Kingdom of God Board's decision to discontinue Project Faith in Chesterfield County. Per your letter dated, August 17, 2006, accept this letter as Notice of Termination of the Agreement between the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and Ministering Life in the Kingdom of God, Incorporated. Termination is effective immediately. The second half of the grant funds in the amount of \$54,703 will not be released.

We regret that the operational goals and objectives outlined in the original grant proposal could not be achieved. We appreciate your efforts to serve our Medicaid beneficiaries. If you have any questions or if we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

  
Ernestine J. Staley, Director  
Division of Contracts

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