

**BEFORE THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
OF THE
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**Statement Regarding the Acquisition of Control of or Merger with
Domestic Insurers:**

**Hospital Service Association of Northeastern Pennsylvania
d/b/a Blue Cross of Northeastern Pennsylvania;
First Priority Life Insurance Company, Inc.;
HMO of Northeastern Pennsylvania, Inc.,
d/b/a First Priority Health**

By Highmark Inc.

**BCNEPA RESPONSE TO INFORMATION REQUEST 2.4.3 FROM
THE PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT**

REQUEST 2.4.3:

**Provide a full and complete copy of all Expert Opinions or Documents
assessing the risks or benefits of Highmark's Financial Relationships in or with FPH
and FPLIC.**

RESPONSE:

BCNEPA certifies to the best of its knowledge, information and belief that BCNEPA is not aware of any Expert Opinions or documents since Highmark acquired an interest in FPH and FPLIC assessing the risks or benefits of Highmark's Financial Relationships in or with FPH and FPLIC.

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