

**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.

**HIGHMARK INC. (“Highmark”) RESPONSE TO INFORMATION
REQUEST 5.6.13 FROM
THE PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT**

REQUEST 5.6.13:

Provide a full and complete copy of any BCNEPA Board of Directors Documents regarding the consideration of other relationships with any of the Highmark Entities as alternative transactions to the merger under the Merger Agreement.

RESPONSE:

Highmark interprets this request as being directed to BCNEPA and therefore will not be providing a substantive response.

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