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 4.2.1 FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

REQUEST 4.2.1:

For each governmental, regulatory, corporate and/or contractual notices, filings, consents and/or approvals that are or reasonably may be required for or in connection with the Transaction, provide:

The name, address of the entity that must give the consent and/or approval;

RESPONSE:

Highmark certifies to the best of its knowledge, information and belief as follows:

Set forth below are the name and address of each governmental or regulatory entity to which Highmark must give notice or make a filing with respect to, or from which Highmark must obtain consent and/or approval for or in connection with, the Transaction:

1. PA Insurance Department:

Pennsylvania Insurance Department 1326 Strawberry Square Harrisburg, PA 17120

2. Federal Trade Commission:

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580 3. U.S. Department of Justice:

U.S. Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530-0001

4. Pennsylvania Attorney General:

Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General 16th Floor, Strawberry Square Harrisburg, PA 17120

5. United States Patent and Trademark Office:

Director of the United Stated Patent and Trademark Office Assignment Division PO BOX 1450 Alexandrea, VA 22314

6. PA Department of State:

Department of State Bureau of Corporations and Charitable Organizations P.O. BOX 8722 Harrisburg, PA 17105-8722

7. Blue Cross Blue Shield Association:

Blue Cross Blue Shield Association 225 North Michigan Avenue Chicago, IL 60601

Set forth below is the name and address of the corporate entity to which Highmark must provide notice with respect to the Transaction:

The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A.:

The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. 525 William Penn Place, 38th Floor Pittsburgh, PA 15259

There are no corporate notices, filings, consents and/or approvals that are required to be given, made, or obtained by Highmark for or in connection with the Transaction, except for the approvals of its Board of Directors and the Board of Directors of Highmark Health, both of which have been obtained.

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