

**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 2.6.7 FROM  
THE PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT**

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**Provide a summary of the reasons or rationale for the decision to distribute to BCNEPA prior to the time of the Merger the stock of AllOne Health Management Solutions, Inc. ("HMS") and AllOne Health Services, Inc. ("AHS"), together with a copy of all Expert Opinions obtained by any Highmark Entity or BCNEPA Entity in connection therewith. Describe the effect on BCNEPA or the BCNEPA Entities if such stock were not so transferred.**

**RESPONSE:**

Highmark interprets the portion of the request relating to the reasons or rationale for the decision to distribute to BCNEPA prior to the time of the Merger the stock of HMS and AHS and the effect on BCNEPA or the BCNEPA Entities if such stock were not so transferred as directed to BCNEPA and therefore will not be providing a substantive response.

With regard to the portion of the request relating to Expert Opinions obtained by any Highmark Entity in connection therewith, Highmark certifies to the best of its knowledge, information and belief that it did not obtain any such Expert Opinions.

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