

**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 5.2.11.8 FROM
THE PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT**

REQUEST 5.2.11.8:

Provide any Documents relating to: For each identified hospital market involved in the Transaction, the share of BCNEPA Entities in that market before and after the Transaction and include any such studies, evaluations, analysis, reports, discussions or other communications relating to future projections of market share for a period of 5 years.

RESPONSE:

BCNEPA certifies to the best of its information, knowledge and belief that it interprets this request as being directed to Highmark and therefore BCNEPA will not be providing a substantive response.

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