

STATE OF MAINE

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) FOR DECISION

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TO: Board of Directors
DIRIGO HEALTH AGENCY
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PARTY: Payer Intervenors

DOCUMENT: Consolidated Statement of the Issues to be Presented to the Board
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CONFIDENTIALITY: None

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Intervenors Maine State Chamber of Commerce (the “Chamber”), Maine Association of Health Plans (“MEAHP”), Anthem Health Plans of Maine, Inc. d/b/a Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield (“Anthem BCBS”), and the Maine Automobile Dealers Association Insurance Trust (the “Trust”) hereby submit this consolidated statement of the issues to be presented to the Dirigo Health Agency’s (“DHA”) Board for decision, as follows:

1. Hospital Savings Initiatives: Has the DHA in its filing and testimony proven that its proposed cost per Case Mix Adjusted Discharge (CMAD) methodology establishes recoverable aggregate measurable cost savings (AMCS) for the fourth assessment year under the Dirigo Act, and if so, is the DHA’s calculation accurate?

2. Uninsured and Underinsured Initiatives: Has the DHA in its filing and testimony proven that its proposed Bad Debt / Charity Care (BD/CC) methodology establishes recoverable aggregate measurable cost savings (AMCS) for the fourth assessment year under the Dirigo Act, and if so, is the DHA's calculation accurate?

3. Medical Loss Ratio Initiative: Is a refund payable to current in-force policyholders because of the Medical Loss Ratio provisions of 24-A M.R.S.A. §2808-B. 2-C includable in AMCS as a matter of law, and, if so, has the DHA in its filing and testimony proven that its proposed Medical Loss Ratio methodology establishes recoverable aggregate measurable cost savings (AMCS) for the fourth assessment year under the Dirigo Act, and if so, is the DHA’s calculation accurate?

4. Overlap: Has the DHA in its filing and testimony proven that there is no overlap between the three savings initiatives for the fourth assessment year under the Dirigo Act?

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 10, 2008

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on July 10, 2008, pursuant to the paragraph 3(a) of the May 20th Order, I caused to be filed electronically the foregoing document by emailing a true copy to:

Board of Directors, Dirigo Health Agency at Ruth.A.Burke@maine.gov

I further certify that on July 10, 2008, pursuant to paragraph 3(b) of the May 20th Order, I caused to be served by sending an identical electronic copy of the foregoing document to:

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