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Ms. Margaret Johnston Mitchell, Williams 425 West Capitol Ave., Suite 1800 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

RE: Docket No. GMCB-002-16con, Expansion of Medicare Advantage/Medicare Part D business by United Healthcare of New England to Bennington and Rutland Counties in Vermont

Dear Ms. Johnston:

Thank you for the letter requesting a jurisdictional determination dated March 14, 2016 regarding United Healthcare of New England's intention to expand offering Medicare Advantage/Medicare Part D Prescription Drug plans to residents of Bennington and Rutland counties.

Based on your letter dated March 14, 2016, the project as represented is not subject to Certificate of Need review. However, if there are changes in the future in the type or scope or planned expansions, please notify the Green Mountain Care Board so that we may determine whether further review is required.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (802) 828-2918.

Sincerely,

<u>s/ Donna Jerry</u>Donna JerrySenior Health Policy Analyst

