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The Honorable Charles Grassley
Ranking Member, Committee on the Judiciary
135 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Orrin Hatch
Ranking Member, Committee on Finance
104 Hart Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senators Grassley and Hatch:

In reference to your October 24, 2013 letter to me in my role as President and CEO of CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield ("CareFirst"), I offer the following responses to your four questions regarding the D.C. Health Benefits Exchange (DC Health Link).

- 1. How many people, to date, have been enrolled in CareFirst plans through the exchange? When answering, please list all plan levels with total enrollee amounts.**

Two people have enrolled.

- 2. In the information received from the exchanges, were there any instances of individuals being enrolled in multiple plans or the same plan multiple times?**

No.

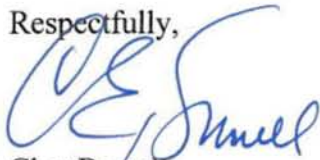
- 3. What complications, if any, has CareFirst experienced since October 1, 2013?**

Testing continues with the D.C. Exchange. Since no significant enrollment has yet occurred, no complications are yet reportable.

4. **Has Secretary Sebelius or any other government official asked CareFirst to not publicize how many individuals have signed up for health insurance? If yes, please provide the name of the government official and all related correspondence.**

No.

Respectfully,



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