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Via Electronic Delivery

Troy Hildreth Health Plan President & CEO WellCare of North Carolina by Celtic Insurance Company 200 East Randolph Street, #3600 Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Mr. Hildreth:

This letter will acknowledge the submission from WellCare of North Carolina, Inc. regarding the withdrawal from the individual ACA market in North Carolina This will affect 25 members effective with the next plan year of 2026.

According to North Carolina General Statute 58-68-65 (c) (2) a, b, a carrier shall be prohibited from writing new business in the individual health benefit plan market in North Carolina for a five-year period from the date of discontinuance in these counties.

Please file future notifications regarding the above referenced North Carolina HMO through SERFF, the preferred filing method for the Life and Health Division. Should you have additional questions, my contact information is listed below.

Regards,

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