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RE: FY 2004 Mental Health Bock Grant Modifications - Oregon

Dear Ms. Rice:

As discussed on December 8, 2003 and based on earlier discussions, enclosed is a revised table for Maintenance of Effort, which replaces page 18 in the Federal Fiscal Year 2004 Oregon Application. It shows that due to Legislative Action to balance the 2001-03 biennial Oregon Budget, program-funding reductions were made. Oregon will work with your office as we prepare a request to waive the Maintenance of Effort requirement.

I appreciate your patience as our fiscal staff has worked to prepare this expanded table. Please call me at (503) 945-9718 if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Madeline M. Olson
Assistant Administrator

Enclosure

cc: Deborah Baldwin, CMHS
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