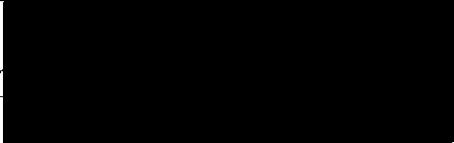


Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives
 Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony"
 Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)

1. Your Name: <i>Gary D. Alexander</i>		
2. Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local government entity?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
3. Are you testifying on behalf of an entity that is not a government entity?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
4. Other than yourself, please list which entity or entities you are representing: <i>Commonwealth of Pennsylvania</i>		
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that you or the entity you represent have received on or after October 1, 2009: <i>DPW receives and acts upon numerous federal grants throughout the course of the year</i>		
6. If your answer to the question in item 3 in this form is "yes," please describe your position or representational capacity with the entity or entities you are representing:		
7. If your answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," do any of the entities disclosed in item 4 have parent organizations, subsidiaries, or partnerships that you are not representing in your testimony?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
8. If the answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that were received by the entities listed under the question in item 4 on or after October 1, 2009, that exceed 10 percent of the revenue of the entities in the year received, including the source and amount of each grant or contract to be listed:		
9. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		

Signature: _____



Date: *12/11/12*

Gary Alexander

Secretary of Public Welfare for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
December 12, 2012

Biography:

Secretary of Public Welfare Gary D. Alexander oversees a department that provides services and supports to more than 2.1 million low-income, elderly and disabled Pennsylvanians. He is widely recognized as a health care and program innovator, welfare reformer and management specialist.

Prior to being confirmed as DPW secretary, Alexander served as the Rhode Island Secretary of Health and Human Services. In that role, he transformed health and human services into a value-oriented and performance-driven system focused on the needs of the consumer. He is the architect of the landmark Rhode Island Global Consumer Choice Compact Medicaid Waiver. The Rhode Island waiver redesigned the entire system of healthcare to focus on quality, choice and independence for consumers, while saving millions of dollars for the taxpayers.

He also reformed the state's cash assistance program to focus on "work first" and engage clients in employment. These efforts resulted in a 30 percent reduction in Rhode Island's welfare population over the past two years.

Other positions he has held include serving as policy director for Rhode Island's lieutenant governor and as a healthcare budget analyst for the Massachusetts Senate Committee on Ways and Means.

A Boston native, Alexander received his bachelor's degree in political science from Northeastern University and his J.D. from Suffolk University School of Law, both in Boston. He is an ordained deacon in the Armenian Orthodox Church.

Alexander and his wife have two children.