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**VIA FACSIMILE & U.S. MAIL (202) 690-8320**Ross Cirrincione  
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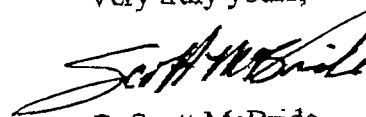
Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Cirrincione:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") (5 U.S.C. § 552) and implementing regulations of the United States Department of Health and Human Services ("DHHS"), I hereby request all monthly listings and cumulative listings of persons excluded from participation in the Medicare or Medicaid programs that were created, maintained, or published during the period July 1, 1989 through June 30, 1993. We will pay all reasonable charges prescribed by DHHS for researching and copying the requested documents upon receipt of an invoice specifying the applicable charges.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



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