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Via E-mail

Mr. David Seltz Executive Director Massachusetts Health Policy Commission 50 Milk Street Boston, MA 02109

Re: Examination of Health Care Cost Trends and Cost Drivers

Report from the Massachusetts Attorney General for the Annual Public Hearing

Pursuant to G.L. c. 6D, § 8

Dear Director Seltz:

Please find enclosed a Report from the Office of the Attorney General examining health care cost trends and cost drivers in Massachusetts being filed with the Health Policy Commission ("HPC") for the annual public hearing the HPC is holding today pursuant to G.L. c. 6D, § 8(a). Please file this report in the docket for the 2021 public hearing.

Respectfully Submitted,

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