STATE OF VERMONT GREEN MOUNTAIN CARE BOARD

In re: MVP 2016 Vermont Health Connect)	
Rate Filing)	
)	GMCB-07-15-rr
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SERFF No. MVPH-130053210)	

CLARIFYING QUESTIONS FOR MVP HEALTH PLAN, INC.

The Office of the Health Care Advocate respectfully submits to the Green Mountain Care Board the following additional suggested question for MVP Health Plan, Inc. in regard to the rate filing request in the above-captioned matter.

1) Objection Letter #3, question 4 asked if you expect to make any adjustments to the filing that will affect rates as a result of the 2015 legislative session. You responded that you do not expect to make any changes. At the July 18, 2015 Green Mountain Care Board meeting, Craig Jones, Director of the Vermont Blueprint for Health, presented on recent payment changes to the Blueprint program. As a part of this presentation, he demonstrated that MVP will save \$741,460.26 next year due to recent Community Health Team (CHT) payment market share adjustments. Do you agree with this figure? If not, what is the correct total savings? What is the per member per month savings for your Exchange products? Is this savings incorporated into your Exchange product filing? If not, why not? If you do not plan to incorporate this cost savings because you believe it is offset by other cost increases that were not incorporated into your filing, please specify the source and amount of the cost increase.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont this 2nd day of July, 2015.

/s/ Kaili Kuiper____

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kaili Kuiper, hereby certify that I have served the above Expert Witness Qualifications and Compensation Disclosure on Michael N. Donofrio, General Counsel to the Green Mountain Care Board; Judith Henkin, Health Policy Director of the Green Mountain Care Board; and Susan Gretkowski and Gary Karnedy, representatives of MVP Health Plan, by electronic mail, return receipt requested, this 2nd day of July, 2015.

/s/ Kaili Kuiper
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Office of the Health Care Advocate