## STATE OF VERMONT GREEN MOUNTAIN CARE BOARD

In re:	Blue Cross Blue Shield Vermont 2025 Vermont ACA Market — Individual Rate Filing	) ) )	GMCB-004-24rr SERFF No. BCVT-134091560
In re:	Blue Cross Blue Shield Vermont 2025 Vermont ACA Market — Small Group Rate Filing	) ) )	GMCB-003-24rr SERFF No. BCVT-134096633

## HCA NON-EXPERT WITNESS DISCLOSURE

The Office of the Health Care Advocate (HCA) provides notice that it will call the

following non-expert witness to testify at the hearing in the above captioned matters:

Michael Fisher, Chief Health Care Advocate and Co-Director of the Vermont Office of

the Health Care Advocate (HCA), will be testifying on behalf of the HCA pursuant to 8 V.S.A. §

4062(e)(1)(B) and GMCB Rule § 2.307(d)(2). Mr. Fisher will testify on issues Vermonters face

related to the cost of commercial health insurance, particularly as they relate to affordability and

access to care.

Dated in Montpelier, Vermont, this 16th day of July 2024.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Charles Becker hereby certify that I have served the above **HCA Non-Expert Witness Disclosure** on Michael Barber and Laura Beliveau, Green Mountain Care Board; and Bridget Asay and Michael Donofrio, Stris & Maher LLP, representatives of Blue Cross Blue Shield of Vermont in the above-captioned matters, by electronic mail, delivery receipt requested, this 16th day of July, 2024.

> <u>/s/ Charles Becker</u> Charles Becker Staff Attorney Office of the Health Care Advocate Vermont Legal Aid 1085 U.S. Route 4, Suite 1A Rutland, VT 05701