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The Honorable Charles E. Grassley Ranking Member Senate Judiciary Committee U.S. Senate Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Orrin G. Hatch Ranking Member Committee on Finance U.S. Senate Washington, DC 20515

Dear Senator Grassley and Senator Hatch:

I am responding to your October 24, 2013 letter to Stephen J. Hemsley requesting certain information relating to UnitedHealth Group's participation in the public health insurance exchanges. UnitedHealth Group is participating in the public insurance exchanges in 2014 through its UnitedHealthcare business, which offers health benefits programs for individuals, employers and Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries. In 2014, UnitedHealthcare is participating in only about a dozen exchanges nationally, with the majority of that participation being in the SHOP exchanges (including the Washington, DC SHOP exchange). As such, UnitedHealthcare will have a very limited presence in the individual exchange marketplace in 2014.

Regarding the questions set forth in your letter, UnitedHealthcare does not yet have any enrollment information from the DC SHOP exchange (nor has it yet processed enrollment for any individuals through any other exchange in which UnitedHealthcare is participating). Consequently, we do not have any information responsive to your first two requests. Likewise, we are not in a position to assess whether any material complications have arisen since open enrollment began on October 1, nor, after a reasonable and appropriate inquiry, are we aware of any request to UnitedHealthcare by Secretary Sebelius or other government official to not publicize exchange enrollment data.

Please let us know if we can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

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