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Dear Mr. Thomas,

Thank you for meeting with Chris Urso, Carlotta Dixon and myself on Friday, March 11, 2016. After further review of your helpful comments to our proposed amendments to rules in 10A NCAC 71P, Chris Urso and I asked to meet with Suzanne Merrill, Division of Aging and Adult Services Director, and Joyce Massey-Smith, Adult Services Supervisor. At our meeting today, it was determined that it will require additional time to properly address your extensive comments to the 10A NCAC 71P rules submitted by the Division of Aging and Adult Services to the Rules Review Commission. The 71P rules are on the Commission's agenda for this Thursday's meeting (March 17, 2016). Both Ms. Urso and I will be in attendance to respectfully ask for an extension of time to address the volume of issues and corrections that need be addressed in order to advance the rules to the appropriate standard necessary to be adopted by our agency.

I thank you for your consideration of this request.

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