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Commissioner

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Michael W. Grochowski Regional Commissioner Atlanta Region Social Security Administration 61 Forsyth Street, SW - Suite 22T64 Atlanta, GA 30303-8907

Dear Mr. Grochowski:

This is in response to your letter of September 21, 2011 regarding compliance with the requirements of Section 1618 of the Social Security Act. Alabama will comply with these requirements for the calendar year 2012 by passing along the full amount of the January 2012 COLA increase to all cases. Therefore, supplementary payment levels will remain unchanged.

If additional information is needed, please advise.

Sincerely,

Nancy T. Buckner Commissioner

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