November 21, 2024 Carmela Soprano 14 Aspen Drive Caldwell, New Jersey 07006

Dear Ms. Soprano Carmela:

Our office is writing to let you know that we are closing your case. I am closing your case. I helped you get your Our office assisted you with preserving your childcare assistance benefits. childcare assistance benefits back.

DHS-Ramsey County closed your childcare assistance case on August 1, 2024. The county closed your case because you did not complete fill out a renewal. You told us that you never received a notice to complete a renewal notice of renewal or that your case was closing.

You also You did not find out that your case closed until over a month later when your childcare provider told you they received a notice that the county closed your case in early September.

You called the county and they told you to reapply. You submitted a new application reapplied for benefits on September 1026, 2024. You called me after you but had not heard did not hear anything from the county for over a month. about your childcare for over a month.

The county messed up. Your case should not have closed. Our office on tacted Ramsey County on your behalf, and also submitted an appeal regarding your case closure on October 1, 2024. Ramsey County approved your new application for benefits effective starting October 26, 2024. They, and also agreed to provide providing retroactive back benefits from August 1, 20242024, through October 26, 2024. Your new co-payment amount is \$29. Since your childcare issue is resolved, our office withdrew your appeal.

The county also informed our office that you You still owe some co-payments from August and September. You must contact your Call your childcare provider and make an arrangement to pay these co-payments amounts by December 21, 2024. If you don't, or your case may close.

As we have exhausted the advice and assistance we can provide on this matter, we will be closing your case. Enclosed There is a survey with this letterplease find a client satisfaction card, which we send to all our clients to assist us in evaluating our services. FPlease complete the eardill out the survey and return it to our officeme. Postage has already been paid. There is already a stamp on the card. Drop the filled-out survey in a mailbox. I appreciate the time it takes to complete. Thank you.

I wish you the best of luck Good luck in the future. I am happy we got to work together and get your childcare benefits back! It was a pleasure working with you.

If you need help with another <u>legal issue</u> issue, in the future, please call our intake line us at 651-222-4731.

Sincerely,

/s/Attorney Name Attorney Name Attorney at Law

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