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Anthony Restaino, Commissioner
Niagara County DSS
P.O. Box 506, 20 East Avenue
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Dear Commissioner Restaino:

This letter is to inform you that the child care section found in the administrative component of your 2010 Annual Plan Update was approved on December 16, 2009. The child care section became effective on January 1, 2010.

This approval is being issued separate from the approval of other sections of your plan in order to accommodate your county's need to implement the child care services provisions. A letter approving the remaining sections of your plan will be sent upon their approval.

If you have any questions about this approval or the child care section found in your Annual Plan Update 2008-2009 please contact Ms. Rhonda Duffney, (518) 474-3775 or by e-mail at Rhonda.Duffney@ocfs.state.ny.us.

Best wishes for the New Year.

Sincerely,

Janice M. Molnar
Deputy Commissioner
Division of Child Care Services

Cc: Mary Ellen Stierer

