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ELIZABETH DUDEK
SECRETARY

Date: April 16, 2012
To: Medicaid Skilled Nursing Facilities
From:  Williams, Assistant Deputy Secretary for Medicaid Finance
Re: Notice of Lease Bond Exemption for FYE 2012-2013

Dear Medicaid Nursing Home Provider:

In compliance with paragraph 400.179 (2)(d), Florida Statutes, the lease bond requirement has been suspended for State Fiscal Year 2012-2013 as a result of a determination that the Lease Bond Trust Fund contains over the \$25 million level as of March 31, 2012. The next review will be completed by March 31, 2013. At that time, if the funds in the Lease Bond Trust Fund do not exceed the \$25 million, the lease bond requirement will be reinstated for applications received after June 30, 2013.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Stephen Russell in the Nursing Homes Cost Reimbursement section by phone at (850) 412-4104 or via email at stephen.russell@ahca.myflorida.com.

Thank you

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