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NOTICE OF MEETING and AGENDA Communication and Public Education Committee

Subcommittee on Medicare Drug Benefit Plans

Contact Person: Virginia Herold

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Time: 9:30- 12 noon

Date: November 30, 2006

Place: Department of Consumer Affairs

First Floor Hearing Room 1625 N. Market Boulevard Sacramento, CA 95834

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MEETING AGENDA:

A. Call to Order 9:30 a.m.

- B. Update of Medicare Part D Implementation How Is It Going? Comments from Patient Advocates
- C. Perspectives of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services For 2007 and Future Program Activities -- Lucy Saldana
- D. Policy and Implementation Issues Specific to California Teri Miller, California Department of Health Services
- E. Issues Involving Specialized Settings (e.g., Long-Term Care, Infusion Pharmacies)
- F. Open Discussion on General Items of Interest for Pharmacies
- G. Public Information Activities in Place or Needed
- H. Adjournment 12 noon