Iowa Department of Human Services

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

DATE: December 9, 2011

RE: Request for Proposal No. MED-12-017
Independent Verification and Validation Services for Iowa's Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Implementation Project

The Iowa Department of Human Services (Department) Iowa Medicaid Enterprise, Des Moines, Iowa, is excited to announce its intent to award the contract for Independent Verification and Validation Services for Iowa's Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Implementation Project to **Public Consulting Group, Inc.**

As provided in the RFP, the Notice of Intent to Award is subject to execution of a written contract and, as a result, this Notice does NOT constitute the formation of a contract between the Department and the apparent successful vendor. The vendor shall not acquire any legal or equitable rights relative to the contract services until a contract containing terms and conditions acceptable to the Department is executed. If the apparent successful vendor fails to negotiate and execute a contract with the Department or the selection of the bidder is not approved by CMS, in its sole discretion, the Department may revoke the award and award the contract to the next highest ranked vendor or withdraw the RFP. The Department further reserves the right to cancel this Notice of Intent to Award at any time prior to the execution of a written contract.

This decision constitutes final action for purposes of Iowa Code chapter 17A. Bidders may request review of the award decision by appealing to Iowa District Court, as stated in the RFP.

Thank you for participating in the competitive selection process. For information about this notice, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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