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CCIIO DIRECTOR RANDY PATE TO PARTICIPATE IN 2018 NCOIL SPRING MEETING HEALTH GENERAL SESSION

Health Insurance Exchanges in the Trump Administration – Are Waivers the Solution?

Manasquan, NJ – Commissioner Tom Considine announced that Randy Pate, Director of the Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight (CCIIO) and Deputy Administrator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and will participate in the Health General Session for the 2018 Spring Meeting in Atlanta, GA titled "Health Insurance Exchanges in the Trump Administration - Are Waivers the Solution?"

"We are proud Director Pate will be lending his expertise at the 2018 NCOIL Spring Meeting Health General Session," said Considine. "NCOIL continues to examine complex state-based challenges to improve insurance public policy. We strive to hear from experts that have attempted, and in some cases, achieved, innovative solutions" Considine concluded.

Additional panelists will include Angela Lowther, Executive Director of the Arkansas Health Insurance Marketplace; Cecil Bykerk, Executive Director of the Alaska Comprehensive Health Insurance Association and Iowa Comprehensive Health Association; and Laura Colbert, Executive Director of Georgians for a Healthy Future.

The General Session is scheduled for Friday, March 2nd from 2:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. Registration for the meeting is open and can be located here – www.ncoil.org/register-now.

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