

June 7, 2002

F.E. Thompson, Jr., M.D., M.P.H.
State Health Officer
Mississippi State Department of Health
P.O. Box 1700
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Dear Dr. Thompson:

In accordance with the Mississippi Code of 1972, Section 41-7-185 (g), I hereby approve the FY 2003 Mississippi State Health Plan to replace the Current Plan, effective July 1, 2002. I appreciate the work and dedication of the Mississippi State Board of Health and department employees to improve health care for all Mississippians

I look forward to our working together to improve the quality of life for all Mississippians.

Very truly yours,


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