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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES  
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AND HEALTH SERVICES**

C.G.,

PETITIONER,

v.

Horizon NJ HEALTH,

RESPONDENT.

**ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION**

**FINAL AGENCY DECISION**

**OAL DKT. NO. HMA 12890-16**

As Director of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this matter, consisting of the Initial Decision, the documents in evidence and the contents of the OAL case file. No exceptions to the Initial Decision were filed. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to render a Final Agency Decision is February 10, 2017 in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10, which requires an Agency Head to adopt, reject, or modify the Initial Decision within 45 days of the agency's receipt. The Initial Decision was received on December 27, 2016.


Based upon my review of the record, I hereby ADOPT the findings, conclusions and recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge in their

entirety and incorporate the same herein by reference. I agree with the Administrative Law Judge that the credible evidence in this record indicates that Petitioner does not satisfy the eligibility criteria necessary to qualify for Personal Care Assistant (PCA) services pursuant to N.J.A.C. 10:60-3.1 et seq. I note that Petitioner may reapply for PCA services if there is a change in his condition.

THEREFORE, it is on this <sup>31<sup>st</sup></sup> day of January 2017,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision affirming the denial of continued PCA services is hereby ADOPTED as the Final Decision in this matter.

  
Meghan Davey, Director  
Division of Medical Assistance  
and Health Services