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A.C.,	:	
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PETITIONER,	:	ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION
	:	
v.	:	FINAL AGENCY DECISION
	:	
UNITED HEALTHCARE,	:	OAL DKT. NO. HMA 04890-20
	:	
RESPONDENT.	:	

As Assistant Commissioner for 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 entire 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 November 15, 2021 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 in this case was received on September 30, 2021.

Based upon my review of the record and the unique facts and circumstances of this case, I hereby ADOPT the findings, conclusions and recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge in their entirety and incorporate the same herein by reference. This matter arises from the denial of Petitioner's request for a power wheelchair. I agree with the Administrative Law Judge that Petitioner has established that the requested power

wheelchair is medically necessary.

THEREFORE, it is on this 9TH day of NOVEMBER 2021,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.



Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Medical Assistance
And Health Services