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June 26, 2014

Ralph Gigliotti, Network Director
4100 E. Mississippi Avenue, Suite #510
Glendale, CO 80246

Subject: VISN 19 – Chief Business Office Purchased Care (CBOPC) and VISN 19 for
State Home Per Diem (SHPD) Program Pilot

Dear Mr. Gigliotti:

In accordance with Article 47 Section 2 C., of the Master Agreement the National VA Council #53 is formally demanding to bargain on CBOPC and VISN 19 SHPD program pilot as cited above within the Department. Ms. Alma L. Lee, President of the National VA Council#53, will be naming the Union's Chief Negotiator and team members. Please provide the named bargaining team with all information and/or data related to the cited subject. The negotiation of this matter should normally begin no later than twenty (20) workdays after the Management's Chief Negotiator receives our demand to bargain.

Please cease and desist any implementation until the bargaining obligation has been met. The above named bargaining team my request a briefing over the cited subject above, before sending any proposals. If you have any questions please contact me at (217) 554-4866.

Sincerely,

Oscar L. Williams, Jr.
Chairperson, Mid-Term Bargaining Committee
2nd Executive Vice President
National VA Council #53

cc: Alma L. Lee, President National VA Council #53
Jeffrey C. Sladek, 13th District Representative NVAC

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