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Steven T. James, House Clerk
Office of the Clerk of the House
State House, Room 145
Boston, MA 02133

RE: Notice pursuant to M.G.L. c. 7, § 3B
New fees for Mobile Integrated Health Program

Dear Mr. James:

I am sending this notice in accordance with instructions from the Executive Office of Administration and Finance ("ANF"). The Bureau of Healthcare Safety and Quality ("HCQ") within the Department of Public Health ("Department") requests that ANF amend 801 CMR 4.02: Fees for Licenses, Permits and Services to be Charged by State Agencies.

In particular, HCQ seeks to add reduce the fee for licensure for a Mobile Integrated Health Program from a program fee of \$30,000 to a \$5,000 program fee. The application fee of \$1,000 will remain the same. There will be an additional fee for programs adding the Mobile Integrated Health Emergency Department Avoidance component. That fee will be lowered from \$40,000 to \$5,000 as well. The application fee of \$2,000 will remain the same for Mobile Integrated Health Emergency Department Avoidance.

A public hearing on the reduction of the fees will be held on September 12, 2022. There should be no significant costs for cities or towns as a result of these fees. If you have questions, please contact Ryan McGeown-Conron, Acting Government Affairs Director for the Department.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Kelley".

Elizabeth Kelley, Director
Bureau of Healthcare Safety and Quality