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Mr. Eric Ratchford, Regional Director
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
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Mercer Corporate Park
300 Corporate Drive
Robbinsville, New Jersey 08691-1598

Dear Mr. Ratchford,

Enclosed is a waiver request regarding West Virginia's Able-Bodied Adults Without Dependents (ABAWD) policy. West Virginia is seeking to renew this waiver for 15 of West Virginia's 55 counties. The waiver would be effective January 1, 2021 and run through December 31, 2021.

Thank you for your consideration of our request. If you have any questions, please call Monica Hamilton at (304) 356-4620.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Linda Watts".

Linda Watts
Commissioner