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Governor

**New York State**  
**Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance**  
40 North Pearl Street  
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Robert Doar  
Commissioner

October 5, 2006

Dear WMS/CNS Coordinator:

The purpose of this letter is to provide local districts with an explanation of the WMS/CNS enhancements that are scheduled to become operational on the Production System on October 23, 2006.

For questions regarding the attached changes, please contact the following individuals at 1-800-343-8859, unless the entire phone number is listed, in which case you must dial that number:

<b>Attachment I</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Attachment II</b>	<b>Section</b>
Tully Lenihan @ ext. 4-8749	I, II	Bob Markham @ 4-2166	I, II
Patty Hanson @ ext. 4-8753	I, II		
Todd Britton @ ext. 3-9042	I, II		
<b>Attachment III</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Attachment IV</b>	<b>Section</b>
Bambi Murphy @ 518-402-6682	I, II	Cindy Krueger-Farley @ 518-402-6663	I - VII
John Wood @ 518-474-6798	III	Grant Bagnardi @ 518-402-6847	I - VII
Karen Thompson @ 518-408-0001	IV		
Ken Merkelbach @ 518-474-5693	V		

Sincerely,

*Tully Lenihan*

Tully Lenihan  
Division of Employment and Transitional  
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*Dennis DiMuria*

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Upstate Eligibility Systems  
Office of Medicaid Management

Attachments

cc: Commissioner  
TA & FS Director  
MA Director

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