THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

In re Petition of Frisbie Memorial Hospital *et al.*

Docket No. _____

AFFIDAVIT OF MARGARET MCCARTHTY

I, Margaret McCarthy do under oath hereby swear or affirm:

1. I live at 30 Cocheco Ave, East Rochester N.H. 03868.

2. I am currently a patient of physicians associated with Frisbie Memorial Hospital.

3. My current health insurance policy is provided by Anthem and permits me to access my providers at Frisbie.

4. I have received notification that my current policy cannot be renewed in 2014 and that I may either (a) purchase a Marketplace available policy without access to my current medical providers through Frisbie; or (b) purchase a new Anthem policy that retains my current Frisbie providers, but at an increased premium and without the possibility of receiving subsidies available on the New Hampshire Health Insurance Marketplace.

5. My current annual income levels would qualify me for $2,897.00 subsidy on the Marketplace.

6. I do not yet know whether the President's recent relaxation of policies regarding policy cancellation will have any effect on whether I can continue my existing coverage. But even if I can my costs will far exceed those I would expect to pay on a Marketplace available given Marketplace available subsidies.

7. Therefore, due to Anthem's narrow network plans, I will suffer either (a) the loss of my current medical providers, with whom I have a longstanding relationship, together with burden of searching for and accessing new providers who are covered by the Anthem Marketplace-available narrow network; or (b) increased health insurance costs and no opportunity to access health insurance subsidies otherwise available to people like me.

8. I have no way of ascertaining if the providers that I might have access to under the Marketplace-available plans are accessible to me, either in terms of distance or time, whether those providers are taking new patients, and how long it may take to establish a new medical relationship and obtain appointments and care.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT

Margaret A. McCarthy

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COUNTY OF STRAFFORD.

Personally appeared on this 3 day of December, 2013, the above-named Margaret McCarthy, and made oath that the foregoing is true and complete to the best of her knowledge and belief.

Justice of Peace/Notary Public
My commission expires: 2/20/18

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