

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

IN THE MATTER OF:

FORM A STATEMENT REGARDING THE ACQUISITION OF CONTROL OF TUFTS HEALTH
FREEDOM INSURANCE COMPANY BY UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INCORPORATED AND UNITED
HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC.

Docket No.: INS-20-076-AP

UHG-THIC ORDER ON MOTION TO REVISE ORDER

Whereas, a public hearing in the above captioned proceeding was held on November 13, 2020; and

Whereas, the Department Analysis Team submitted a Memorandum and a Proposed Order recommending approval of the transaction described in the Form A conditional on its review of certain background checks and submission of a report thereon after which the application would be ripe for decision; and

Whereas, on November 17, 2020 the Applicants submitted a Motion To Revise Proposed Order (Motion) which, for reasons stated therein including certain timing constraints for other approvals of the transaction, requested that the transaction be approved without waiting for completion of several uncompleted background checks, but conditional on a good faith effort of the Applicants to complete background checks within 30 days after an Order is entered; and

Whereas, on November 17, 2020 the Department Analysis Team submitted a Response to Motion To Revise Proposed Order in which it noted that the delay in completion of the background checks was due to the pandemic, that the Applicants represented that they will use best efforts to complete the background checks in 30 days, that in the event the background checks when submitted reveal any issues, the Department has the ability to address issues outside of 401-B:3 and that it did not object to the Motion;

NOW THEREFORE, on the basis of the representations in the Motion and the Department Analysis Team's Response it is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED, the Applicants proposed form of Order will be issued and thereafter the record in this proceeding shall be closed.

SO ORDERED

Dated: 11/18, 2020


Christopher R. Nicolopoulos, Commissioner