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Michael L. Parson
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As Director of the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (“Department”), pursuant to Executive Orders 20-02 and 20-04, I am vested with the authority to temporarily waive or suspend the operation of any statutory requirement or administrative rule, upon approval of the Office of the Governor. After consultation with and receiving approval from the Office of the Governor, I am hereby waiving the following laws in order to assist the state, and its citizens prepare and respond to COVID-19 until May 15, 2020, unless otherwise modified by the Department.

Loans of Medical Professionals

Section 335.233 and 19 CSR 10-6.010(3)(A)

Section 335.233 RSMo and 19 CSR 10-6.010(3)(A) shall be suspended to the extent that they require that the Department of Health and Senior Services charge, and to the extent that they require the accrual of, interest on financial assistance made under the Professional and Practical Nursing Student Loan Program.

Section 335.251

Section 335.251 RSMo shall be waived to the extent that it entitles the Department of Health and Senior Services to recover interest on student loan amounts that the Department is recovering under the Nursing Student Loan Repayment Program from borrowers who are in cash-repayment status.

Section 191.530 and 19 CSR 10-3.010(8)(A)

Section 191.530 RSMo and 19 CSR 10-3.010(8)(A) shall be suspended to the extent that they require the Department of Health and Senior Services to charge, and to the extent that they require the accrual of, interest on all loans made under the loan program for medical students.

19 CSR 10-4.010(2)(B).7

19 CSR 10-4.010(2)(B).7 shall be suspended to the extent that it requires the Department of Health and Senior Services to charge interest on Primary Care Resource Initiative for Missouri (PRIMO) loans.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Randall W. Williams".

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