MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
State of District of Columbia

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S CERTIFICATION

I certify that

The **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE FINANCE** is the single State agency responsible for:

X administering the plan.

The legal authority under which the agency administers the plan on a Statewide basis is:

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE FINANCE ESTABLISHMENT ACT OF 2007**
*Effective February 27, 2008*

(D.C. Law 17-109; D.C. Official Code § 7-771.05(6))

-supervising the administration of the plan by local political subdivisions.

The legal authority under which the agency supervises the administration of the plan on a Statewide basis is contained in:

Title XIX of the Social Security Act, § 1902(a),
42 U.S.C.A. §1396a (Lexis 2008)

D.C. Official Code §§ 7-771.07(1); 42 CFR § 431.10

The agency's legal authority to make rules and regulations that are binding on the political subdivisions administering the plan is:

An Act to enable the District of Columbia to receive federal financial assistance under Title XIX of the Social Security Act for a medical assistance program, and for other purposes, approved December 27, 1967 (81 Stat. 774; D.C. Official Code. § 1-307.02), and Section 6(6) of the Department of Health Care Finance Establishment Act of 2007, effective February 27, 2008 (D.C. Law 17-109; D.C. Official Code § 7-771.05(6)).

Signature: ___________________________ Date: __/03/08__

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