UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION

Case No.: 5:11-cv-354

K.C. et al., individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,)
Plaintiffs, and)) MOTION FOR TEMPORARY) RESTRAINING ORDER
M.S., individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,)
Intervenor Plaintiff,))
V.))
LANIER CANSLER, in his official capacity as Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services, et al.,	,)))
Defendants.	<i>,</i>)

Plaintiffs K.C. and D.C. and Intervenor Plaintiff M.S. move the Court for a Temporary Restraining Order pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65 to enjoin Defendants from further reducing their Medicaid services effective January 1, 2012 without first providing notice and the opportunity for a hearing. The reasons for this motion are that:

- Defendants already reduced each of these Plaintiffs' services effective July 1, 2011 without notice or hearing rights. Defendants now intend to further reduce these Plaintiffs' services by significant amounts effective January 1, 2012, again without notice or hearing rights.
- 2. These three named plaintiffs seek a Temporary Restraining Order to prevent Defendants from further reducing their services until they are first provided with due process or until this Court rules on their already pending request for a preliminary injunction.
- 3. Plaintiffs K.C., D.C. and M.S. are already suffering irreparable harm and are imminently threatened with immediate and severe additional irreparable harm unless the further significant reductions in their services scheduled for January 1, 2012 are

temporarily enjoined.

4. The actions of the Defendants, as demonstrated by the attached declarations and

memorandum of law and those filed with Plaintiffs' previous Motions for Preliminary

Injunction, Class Certification, and Intervention of M.S., plainly violate the Medicaid

Act and the Due Process Clause of the United States Constitution.

5. The immediate irreparable injury with which these three plaintiffs are threatened will

occur before this Court can rule on Plaintiffs' pending motion for preliminary

injunction, as the briefing on that motion has been stayed.

6. Plaintiffs have verified that Defendants will not consent to this motion and that

Defendants wish to be heard prior to entry of a Temporary Restraining Order.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs move the Court to:

A. Schedule a telephonic hearing for the week of December 26, 2011 on this

motion.

B. Temporarily restrain Defendants and their successors, agents, officers,

servants, employees, attorneys and representatives and all persons acting in

concert or participating with them, from further reducing or terminating

Medicaid services to named plaintiffs K.C., and D.C. and Intervenor Plaintiff

M.S. under the PBH Innovations Waiver based on budget limits under the

Support Needs Matrix until Defendants first provide advance notice and the

opportunity for a fair hearing.

C. Waive any requirement for security on the part of the plaintiffs.

Dated: December 20, 2011 ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFFS

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