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Dear Mr. Boyle:

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This letter acknowledges receipt of your request for review. The request appears to contain the necessary information to begin our technical review. We have established a schedule for this review. The schedule allows for the staff to issue a possible request for additional information (RAI) in October 2007. If no RAI is needed, and based on the staff's evaluation, we may provide a revalidation recommendation at approximately that time.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 492-3326.

Sincerely,

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