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Re: Hospital Dr. Pedro J. Zamora, PRRB Decision No. 2003-D59 (09/24/03) (FYE 04/30/97)

Pursuant to 42 C.F.R. § 405.1875(d)(2),I recommend that the Administrator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, decline to review the decision entered by the Provider Reimbursement Review Board in this case.

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APPROVED:

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