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Gentlemen,

This is notice that the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) will implement the Federal Services Impasses Panel (FSIP) order 18 FSIP 077 effective no earlier than 31 days after the April 1, 2019 order, pending internal review and processing. As the FSIP order 16 FSIP 113, (re: ground rules) provides no implementation instructions, nor does 18 FSIP 077, a reasonable person would expect the order was immediate.

We have contacted the Federal Mediation and Conciliatory Service for dates to meet to discuss the outstanding six articles remanded by the FSIP. We would like to propose that we meet on May 20, 2019, May 21, 2019, May 22, 2019 and May 23, 2019 or earlier if possible. Please notify us of your availability.