BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In the matter of the adoption of NEW) RULE I pertaining to rural emergency) hospitals)

) NOTICE OF ADOPTION

TO: All Concerned Persons

1. On February 23, 2024, the Department of Public Health and Human Services published MAR Notice No. 37-1047 pertaining to the public hearing on the proposed adoption of the above-stated rule at page 321 of the 2024 Montana Administrative Register, Issue Number 4.

2. The department has adopted the above-stated rule as proposed: New Rule I (37.106.901).

3. No comments or testimony were received.

4. The rule adoptions are to be effective retroactively to October 1, 2023.

<u>/s/ Greg Henderson</u> Greg Henderson Rule Reviewer <u>/s/ Charles T. Brereton</u> Charles T. Brereton, Director Department of Public Health and Human Services

Certified to the Secretary of State April 30, 2024.