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Dear Mr. Volavka:

The seven day readmission analysis for me contains two readmissions that were inadvertently included by the hospital. Quarterly review of the individual physician data revealed one case belonging to another physician, a second admission was a patient that did not have coronary artery bypass surgery. These erroneous cases were identified by me, however, were inadvertently forwarded to the state. Therefore, my seven day admission rate is less than stated.

Sincerely,



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