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PAGE CHANGE(S): See page 2.

SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S): This change is made at the direction of the Office of General Counsel (OGC) to remove the Timely Filing Waiver Exception criteria (Chapter 8, Section 3, paragraph 2.4, "Provider Change From Non-Participating to Participating") in its entirety, as there is no legal authority for the exception.

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