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IDR RESULTS

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Dear Administrator:

Thank you for participating in the Informal Dispute Resolution (IDR) process on October 5, 2023. During the IDR, a citation from the Statement of Deficiencies (SOD) report dated August 21, 2023 was addressed. As we discussed during the IDR, the following information was considered:

- All written materials presented by the assisted living facility.
- All oral statements and explanations offered by the assisted living facility.
- Records gathered by the RCS regional staff.

In addition, I questioned RCS regional to clarify facts and issues that were raised.

After careful review and consideration, I have decided to make the following change to the SOD report dated August 21, 2023:

WAC 388-78A-3090 – Edited, Removed the following sentence from the findings, “R1 stated the last time her room received housekeeping service was in May 2023 and she had paid for her room to be cleaned weekly”.

Resident #2 was removed from the findings. As a result of this change the Deficient Practice Statement was updated to remove Resident #2.

Next Steps:

- Review the attached amended cover letter and SOD reflecting the change noted above.
- Follow instructions according to the cover letter to the SOD.

If you have any questions, please contact me at staci.dilg@dshs.wa.gov .

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Staci Dilg". The script is cursive and fluid.

Staci Dilg
IDR Program Manager
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Enclosure

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