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October 29, 2007

Attn: Otis J. Outing
South Carolina Public Health Association
PO Box 11061
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Dear Mr. Outing,

The American Public Health Association is pleased to inform you that it has approved an APHA Affiliate Capacity-Building Initiative grant for your organization, to build the capacity of your state or regional public health association(s), the American Public Health Association/Affiliate grassroots policy network and improve our nation's ability to respond to new and emerging public health threats. The grant award is subject to your review and acceptance of the terms of the Grant Commitment, for the sum of \$85,724.00. The terms and conditions of the Grant Commitment are based solely on requirements of W.K. Kellogg Foundation.

The Grant Commitment and APHA Reporting Guidelines will be emailed to your project manager after November 12, 2007. Upon APHA's receipt of your signed Grant Acceptance, your initial payment will be mailed to you as soon as possible. Please note that funding will be retroactive to October 1, 2007.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Kimberly Moore at Kimberly.Moore@apha.org or 202-777-2424.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Georges Benjamin". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Georges Benjamin, MD, FACP, FACEP
Executive Director