${Date}

Dear ${Recipient}:

RE: ${TicketNumber}

The case referenced above has been reviewed by our Expert Review Panel. The results of our review process are now being returned to you for your files.

**In the case that was submitted, our review finds there are additional findings and/or a variance in the interpretation. This case has been determined to be a Category 5 as defined by the Cornerstone Quality Assurance Program (CQAP).**

Cornerstone QA is committed to providing the highest level of quality and service to its clients. We appreciate and welcome your comments and suggestions.

Should you have any questions regarding the Cornerstone QA Program or the results of this case, please contact us at 877-817-5706 or by e-mail at qa@capstoneradiology.com.

Sincerely,

Timothy Myers, M.D

**Chief Quality Officer**

**Cornerstone QA Variance Category Descriptions:**

**1. No variance –** expert reviewer agrees with primary interpretation.

**2. Interpretation variance –** variance is unlikely to affect patient care and/or outcome.

**3. Interpretation variance –** variance may affect patient care and/or outcome or require further assessment.

**4. Interpretation variance –** variance is, or would be expected to directly affect patient care and/or outcome.

**5. Sentinel event –** event that may cause a serious unexpected or unanticipated outcome, death or serious physical or psychological injury, or the risk thereof.

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