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MEMORANDUM

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FROM:  Robin V. Wright
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DATE: August 17, 2020

SUBJECT: Employee Dislocation Notification
HMSHost North America
WARN # 202000255

HMSHost North America has filed an official WARN Notice with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, notifying the agency of a layoff that will become permanent if the employees are not recalled to work by October 15, 2020. The layoff will become effective on October 16, 2020. The total number of affected workers is 260. This company is headquartered at 6905 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20817. The affected locations are 1 Terminal Drive, Nashville, TN 37214, 2491 Winchester Road, Memphis, TN 38116, and 2055 Alcoa Highway, Alcoa, TN 37701. The company notified the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development's Dislocated Worker Unit on August 14, 2020.

The employees at the facility are not represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The Northern Middle, Greater Memphis, and East Local Workforce Development Area rapid response team, employed by Workforce Essentials, Workforce Mid-South, and Mid-Cumberland HRA have been notified to coordinate services with the employer and affected employees. The Northern Middle, Greater Memphis, and East Local Workforce Development Board will be responsible for the oversight of the continued follow up of Rapid Response and Dislocated Worker services associated with this event. If you need additional information or have questions, please contact the Dislocated Worker Unit at (615) 253-6355.

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