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Re: Sarah M. DeLand, MD  
DATES OF COVERAGE: 7/1/2024 – 7/1/2025

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to confirm that the above referenced individual is/was provided medical malpractice liability coverage pursuant to Act 817 qualification and enrollment in the Louisiana Patient's Compensation Fund under La. Rev. Stat. 40:1231.1, et seq. (formerly La. Rev. Stat. 40:1299.41, et seq.), with limits of liability specified thereunder as described. The coverage referred to is subject to the applicable provisions of the statute and, accordingly, this letter neither affirmatively nor negatively amends, extends or alters the coverages described therein. You may also contact Normeca Smith, Surcharge Manager, Louisiana Patient's Compensation Fund, at (225) 342-5432 or toll free at (866) 469-9555 to assist with this request.

In addition to the insurance provided under the statute by enrollment in the Louisiana Patient's Compensation Fund, The Administrators of the Tulane Educational Fund also has coverage provided under a commercial healthcare professional liability policy as reflected by the attached certificate of insurance.

*Special Conditions:* In the event this letter has been issued in advance of the effective date entered and, therefore, for credentialing purposes only, the coverage is in effect for the period(s) reflected above with the following condition: Should the named individual not complete the employment process or separate from employment with The Administrators of the Tulane Educational Fund at any time during the policy period stated above, his/her coverage is automatically cancelled effective as of the date of resignation, termination, or separation. As a further condition of this letter confirming coverage, the coverages apply only in the event the named individual is authorized to perform services under a valid and effective contract through Tulane University and/or Tulane University Medical Group (TUMG), and/or only where TUMG bills for the services.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patricia A. Bethancourt".

Patricia A. Bethancourt  
Associate General Counsel