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Dear Work First Family:

Re: 60 Month Lifetime Limit

In August 22, 1996 the President of the United States signed a law that limits a family to 60 months of cash assistance. That law was effective January 1, 1997 in North Carolina. The months of cash assistance you receive in other states after they implement the law also counts toward this 60 month limit.

You have received Work First Family Assistance for 24 months. This means you have 36 months left on your 60 month lifetime limit to receive Family Assistance.

Once you reach your 60<sup>TH</sup> month, you will be unable to receive Family Assistance again. If you qualify, you may still be able to receive Food and Nutrition Services, Medicaid and Child Care after the 60 months.

If you are actively participating in Work First's Employment Services program, you continue to be subject to the 24 month time limit. After you have reached your 24 month time limit, your family will be unable to receive family assistance again for three years. Please see your 24 month time limit notice or contact your caseworker for more information.

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