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Dear Ms. Buck,

The NBCRNA has determined to implement a one-time adjustment to the CPC Program timeline and deadlines to provide some relief from the many timing constraints everyone is currently facing related to COVID-19. The NBCRNA is extending the July 31, 2020 certification renewal deadline by four months to November 30, 2020, allowing additional time to fulfill the CPC requirements.

This one-time adjustment applies to CRNAs who are due to renew their certification by July 31, 2020 through November 30, 2020 (all will be due to renew and have their applications approved no later than 11/30/2020 or experience a lapse in credential). Although the change in the deadline will not affect future CPC cycle deadlines for these individuals, it will allow them additional time to earn any remaining Class A and Class B credits necessary to meet the requirement of this current 4-year CPC cycle.

Sincerely,

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