

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Ohio Department of Aging will conduct a hearing in accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code to obtain public comment concerning the Department's proposed amendment of rule 173-40-05 of the Administrative Code which authorizes the Ohio Department of Aging to seek to have a PASSPORT Administrative Agency placed into receivership whenever the agency commits a substantial violation of the terms and conditions of its agreements with the Ohio Department of Aging and/or the Ohio Department of Human Services. Pursuant to the five-year rule review requirements under section 119.032 of the Revised Code, the rule has been reviewed by the Department of Aging and is being proposed for amendment in order to reflect that the name of the Ohio Department of Human Services has been changed to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services.

The hearing to which this notice applies will be conducted on November 18, 2002 in Conference Room A of the Department's offices at 50 W. Broad St., 9th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The hearing will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. and will continue until all parties in attendance at that time have had an opportunity to provide comment. Written comments on the proposed rules may be mailed or faxed (FAX: 614-466-5741) to the Department at the address above, on or before the date of the hearing. All written comments, as well as any requests for copies of the proposed rule, should be directed to the attention of Mike Laubert (614-752-9677 or Mlaubert@age.state.oh.us).