## **LEGAL NOTICE**

The State Board of Education hereby announces its intent to hold a public hearing regarding its intent to amend Ohio Administrative Code Rules 3301-40-03, 3301-40-04, 3301-40-05 regarding rules for Nonpublic Schools Administrative Cost Reimbursement.

The State Board further announces that a public hearing will be held regarding its intent to adopt the following rules: Ohio Administrative Code Rules 3301-103-01 which sets forth the Definitions regarding the proposed Pilot Project Special Education Scholarship Program (Autism Scholarship Program) rules; 3301-103-02 regarding the Establishment of the Autism Scholarship Program which sets forth procedures to implement the autism scholarship program; 3301-103-03 regarding the Application for Program Participation; 3301-103-04 regarding the Requirements to Provide a Free Appropriate Public Education; 3301-103-05 regarding the Transfer/Withdrawal/Ineligibility for Scholarship; 3301-103-06 regarding Payment under the Autism Scholarship Program; 3301-103-08 regarding the Tracking of Children in the Autism Scholarship Program.

The hearing regarding the proposed amendments of Rules 3301-40-03, 3301-40-04, and 3301-40-05 and the proposed intent to adopt Rules 3301-103-01 through 3301-103-08 will be held on November 18, 2003, at 1:00 p.m. at the Conference Center at the Ohio School for the Deaf, 500 Morse Road, Columbus, Ohio. The hearing will proceed until all testimony is given. To obtain a copy of these rules or to learn more information about the hearing, contact the Legal Office of the Ohio Department of Education at (614) 466-4705.

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