## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: May 12, 2004 TIME: 2:00 P.M.

**LOCATION:** Rhodes Office Tower

30 East Broad St. Lobby Hearing Room Columbus, Ohio

Pursuant to Section 5153.163 and Chapter 119 of the Ohio Revised Code, the director of the Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the adoption and rescission of rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:2-44-03 entitled <u>Public children services agency (PCSA) administration of the state adoption subsidy program</u> is being proposed for rescission and it will be replaced by a new rule of the same number.

Rule 5101:2-44-03 entitled <u>Public children services agency (PCSA) administration of the state adoption subsidy program</u> is being proposed to set forth the administrative requirements for public children services agencies to administer the state adoption subsidy program.

Rule 5101:2-44-05.1 entitled <u>Covered families and children (CFC) medicaid eligibility:</u> <u>special needs children</u> is being proposed to clarify and implement federal regulations regarding medicaid eligibility for children receiving state adoption subsidies. It is replacing a rule of the same number.

Rule 5101:2-44-05.2 entitled <u>Covered families and children medicaid eligibility for state adoption subsidy recipient moving from or to Ohio</u> is being proposed to update language for clarity.

Rule 5101:2-44-06 entitled <u>Eligibility of adoptive family and child for the state adoption subsidy program</u> is proposed for rescission and it will be replaced by a new rule of the same number.

Rule 5101:2-44-06 entitled <u>Eligibility of adoptive family and adoptive child for the state adoption maintenance subsidy program</u> is being proposed for adoption to replace a rule of the same number and implement the provisions of HB 95 of the 125th General Assembly.

Rule 5101:2-44-07 entitled <u>Public children services agency (PCSA) eligibility</u> <u>determinations for state adoption subsidy</u> is proposed for rescission as the requirements are being moved to the new rule 5101:2-44-03.

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Rule 5101:2-44-08 entitled <u>Redetermination and amendment of a state adoption subsidy</u> is being proposed for amendment to implement the provisions of HB 95 of the 125th General Assembly.

Rule 5101:2-44-09 entitled <u>Eligibility of adoptive family and adoptive child for the state adoption special services subsidy program</u> is being proposed for adoption to implement the provisions of HB 95 of the 125th General Assembly as it relates to the state adoption special services subsidy.

Rule 5101:2-44-10 entitled <u>Suspension of a state adoption subsidy</u> is being proposed for amendment to clarify and update program requirements.

Rule 5101:2-44-11 entitled <u>Termination of a state adoption subsidy</u> is being proposed for amendment to clarify and update program requirements.

Rule 5101:2-44-12 entitled <u>State adoption subsidy records</u> is proposed for amendment to clarify and update program requirements.

A copy of the proposed rules is available, without charge, to any person affected by them at the address listed below. The rules are also available on the internet at http://jfs.ohio.gov/ols/pubHearings/index.stm. A public hearing on the proposed rules will be held at the date, time and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or verbal testimony on will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rules and comments should be submitted by mail to Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at legal@odjfs.state.oh.us