

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: Monday, December 29, 2008

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: Rm. 3110B, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

Pursuant to sections 5101.03, 5153.16 and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the amendment of the rule as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

OAC 5101:2-42-95 entitled Obtaining permanent custody: termination of parental rights sets forth the requirements of a public children service agency (PCSA) or private child placing agency (PCPA) for pursuing permanent custody and terminating parental rights. This rule is being amended to comply with the Supreme Court's decision that this rule states a temporal requirement that is not in ORC 2151.413(E). The phrase "At the time a motion is filed with the court to obtain permanent custody of the child" was deleted from paragraph (D).

A copy of the proposed rule(s) is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule(s) at the address listed below. The rule(s) is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. A public hearing on the proposed rule(s) will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony 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 rule(s) or comments on the rule(s) should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at rules@jfs.ohio.gov.