PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: October 31, 2007

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: Room 3110 B, Rhodes State Office Tower

30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215

Pursuant to section 5111.02 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 amendment of the rule as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:3-2-07.2 entitled <u>Classification of Hospitals</u>, is being proposed for amendment. This rule explains the classification of most hospitals into mutually exclusive peer groups. The rule has been filed in compliance with five year rule review requirements. The only changes are minor technical corrections.

Rule 5101:3-2-07.8 entitled <u>Redetermination of Prospective Payment Rates</u>, is being proposed for amendment. This rule explains the redetermination of prospective payment rates. The rule describes how prospective payment rates may change. The rule has been filed in compliance with five year rule review requirements. The only changes are minor technical corrections.

Copies of the proposed rule are available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule at the address listed below. The rule is also available on the internet at http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/. A public hearing on the proposed rule 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 or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to 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@odjfs.state.oh.us.

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