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AGENCY MEMORANDUM OF RESPONSE

TO: Mark Hamlin
Director of Regulatory Policy
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FROM: Lance Himes, J.D. 
General Counsel
Ohio Department of Health

RE: O.A.C. Chapter 3701-61 – Resident Transfer and Discharge

DATE: January 20, 2017

Thank you for permission to go forward with original filing the O.A.C. Chapter 3701-61 rules that pertain to Resident Transfer and Discharge. As your report indicates, the chapter, consisting of eight rules, was posted for thirty days and received one response acknowledging viewing the amended rules. Additionally, on January 20, 2017, the Ohio Public Health Advisory Board voted to recommend Director's approval to original file the Resident Transfer and Discharge rules with JCARR.

c: Chris Smyke, Executive Assistant