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MEMORANDUM OF RESPONSE BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PAID DIRECT-CARE POSITIONS

To: Michael Bender, Business Advocate

Cc: Joe Baker, Director, Common Sense Initiative

From: Tom Simmons, Policy Development Manager, ODA

Date: July 20, 2023

Thank you for reviewing ODA's proposal to amend the rules in Chapter 173-9 of the Administrative Code.

Because CSI did not make any recommendations regarding the rules, ODA will now file the rules with JCARR.

Thank you for your work.

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