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To: Caleb White, Business Advocate
Common Sense Initiative

From: Becky Phillips, Administrative Rules Coordinator

Subject: Memorandum of Response to Common Sense Initiative Review of Rules
Implementing Home and Community-Based Services Payment Rate Increases

Thank you for reviewing the package of rules implementing Home and Community-Based Services payment rate increases:

- 5123-9-05 (HCBS waivers - retention payments for direct support professionals)
- 5123-9-06 (HCBS waivers - administration of the individual options and level one waivers)
- 5123-9-13 (HCBS waivers - career planning under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-14 (HCBS waivers - vocational habilitation under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-15 (HCBS waivers - individual employment support under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-16 (HCBS waivers - group employment support under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-17 (HCBS waivers - adult day support under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-18 (HCBS waivers - non-medical transportation under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-19 (HCBS waivers - general requirements for adult day support, career planning, group employment support, individual employment support, non-medical transportation, and vocational habilitation)
- 5123-9-20 (HCBS waivers - money management under the individual options and level one waivers)
- 5123-9-21 (HCBS waivers - informal respite under the individual options waiver)
- 5123-9-22 (HCBS waivers - community respite under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)

- 5123-9-24 (HCBS waivers - transportation under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-26 (HCBS waivers - self-directed transportation under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-29 (HCBS waivers - home-delivered meals under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-35 (HCBS waivers - remote support under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-37 (HCBS waivers - waiver nursing delegation under the individual options, level one, and self-empowered life funding waivers)
- 5123-9-39 (HCBS waivers - waiver nursing services under the individual options waiver)
- 5123-9-40 (HCBS waivers - administration of the self-empowered life funding waiver)

The Department will proceed to file the rules with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review.