NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

Arkansas Department of Human Services

Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report Amendment #1 for January 1, 2011

Pursuant to U.S. Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981, Ark. Code Ann. Sec. 25-10-101 et seq., Act 218 of 1983, and Act 348 of 1985, the Chief Fiscal and Administrative Officer, Department of Human Services (DHS) is amending the Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report for Fiscal Year July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011.

The amendment includes revisions to reflect a decrease of Federal SSBG funding for State Fiscal Year 2011. This reduction was absorbed by Office of Finance and Administration. The funding for the program divisions and agencies remain the same. The distribution of funding among the services for Division of Aging and Adult Services and Contract Support Section were revised and the percentage of federal funds used for Administration was reduced.

The rule will be effective February 28, 2011.

Copies of the rule may be obtained by writing to the Office of Finance and Administration, P.O. Box 1437, Slot WG3, Little Rock, AR 72203-1437, Attention: Policy and Administrative Program Management. All comments about the proposed revision must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the date appearing below or 30 days following the date of the newspaper notice, whichever is the longer period.

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