

NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

Arkansas Department of Human Services

Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report for State Fiscal Year July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014

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 is revising the Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report for State Fiscal Year July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014.

The revisions will include a division name change from Office of Chief Counsel to Office of Policy and Legal Services and substantive changes related to the following sections: Fiscal Operations of the Arkansas SSBG Program; Services and Activities of the Arkansas SSBG Program-Service Summary of Division/Office Participation and Service Summary Sheets for Division of Aging and Adult Services, Division of County Operations and Division of Youth Services; Federal Reporting Form OMB No. 0970-0234-Estimated Recipients and Appendices-Certifications. This will update the Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report to be in compliance with the latest federal regulations.

The rule will be effective July 1, 2013.

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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