NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

Arkansas Department of Human Services

Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report State Fiscal Year July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015

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 Director of Policy and Legal Services, Department of Human Services, is revising Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report State Fiscal Year July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015.

The Department of Human Services is revising "Social Services Block Grant Pre-Expenditure Report State Fiscal Year July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015." The revisions will include updated contact information for the following titles: "Budget Analyst," "Chief Fiscal Officer" and, "Assistant Director for the Office of Finance and Administration" as well as substantive changes to the following sections: "Fiscal Operations of the Arkansas SSBG Program;" "Services and Activities of the Arkansas SSBG Program-Service Summary Sheets;" "Federal Reporting Form OMB No. 0970-0234-Estimated Recipients;" and "Appendices-Certifications." These changes will update the policy to be in compliance with federal regulations for federal funds distribution.

The rule will be effective June 30, 2014.

Copies of the rule may be obtained by writing to the Office of Policy and Legal Services, P.O. Box 1437, Slot S280, Little Rock, AR 72203-1437. All comments about the rule must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the date appearing above or 30 days following the date of the newspaper notice, whichever is the longer period.

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