NOTICE OF RULEMAKING

Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-15-201 et seq., notice is hereby given that the Arkansas Health Services Permit Agency is considering proposed additions and changes to its Rules and Regulations. A public hearing will be held on Thursday, September 8, 2005 at 10:00 am at the Arkansas State Police Headquarters, Little Rock, AR Written comments from the public will be accepted in advance of the meeting if received by July 22, 2005 at 4:30 p.m. Written comments should be mailed to the Agency at 5800 W. 10th St., Suite 805, Little Rock, AR 72204. The proposed additions and changes to the Rules and Regulations consist of changes to the Residential Care Facility Bed Need Methodology, the Permit of Approval Rulebook and Hospice Services Methodology. Copies of the proposed additions may be obtained at the Agency and at www.arhspa.org and are available for public inspection.