REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND REGULATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

April	16,	2010

Mr. Co-Chairmen:

The Subcommittee on Administrative Rules and Regulations met at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 13, 2010, in Room 171 of the State Capitol. The following committee members attended: Senator Percy Malone, Co-Chair; and Representative George Overbey, Jr., Vice Co-Chair and Senator John Paul Capps, Vice Co-Chair; Senators Steve Faris, Terry Smith, Randy Laverty, and Paul Bookout; Representatives Monty Davenport, Bill Sample, Ray Kidd, and Johnnie Roebuck. Other legislators attended as follows: Senators David Wyatt, Larry R. Teague, Jimmy Jeffress, and Johnny Key; Representatives Curren Everett, Billy Gaskill, Buddy Lovell, R. Gregg Reep, Clark Hall, Randy Stewart, John Burris, Tommy Baker, Rick Green, Robert Moore, Mike Patterson, June English, Eddie Cooper, and Ann Clemmer.

1. The Committee completed its review of the following rules filed pursuant to A.C.A. § 10-3-309:

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (Jeremy Lasiter)

- a. Emergency Rules Governing Arkansas Comprehensive Testing, Assessment and Accountability Program
- b. Emergency Rules Governing Appeals Involving Student Residency Appeals

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (Terry Paul)

- a. Outdoor Mass Gatherings
- b. Drip Dispersal Systems
- c. Onsite Wastewater

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES (Jeff Wood, Christin Harper)

a. Revisions to Rules and Forms

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, COUNTY OPERATIONS (Thomas Green)

a. Weatherization Assistance Program; 2010 State Plan

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION (Charlene Young-Hauser)

a. DHS Contract Manual

COMMISSION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION (Doug Eaton)

- a. Facility Distress Program
- b. Retirement and Termination of Bonded Debt Assistance, General Facilities Funding, and Supplemental Millage Incentive Funding
- c. Physical Examinations of School Bus Drivers
- d. Master Plan Program Rules
- e. School Bus Design
- f. Self Construction Projects by Public Education Entities
- 2. Upon the agency request, the following rules were deferred until a later date:

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, MEDICAL SERVICES (Jeff Wood)

- a. State Plan Amendment #2010-003; Developmental Day Treatment Clinic Services (DDTCS) Rate Increase
- b. Section I Update Transmittal
- 3. The State Plant Board's proposed rule titled "Arkansas Mold Investigator Law" will be deferred until the next meeting of the committee.

4. The DHS, Child Care/Early Childhood Education "Arkansas Child Care Approval System" will be deferred until the next meeting. Ms. Tonya Russell, director of the division, indicated that a public hearing will be held before the next meeting of the Administrative Rules Committee. The rule will be rescheduled on the May committee agenda.

Respectfully submitted,

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