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Dear Co-Chairs of the ALC-Administrative Rules Subcommittee:

This letter is to notify you that the Executive Subcommittee met on June 18, 2026, pursuant to ALC Rule 21(f)(1), to review and approve the following emergency rules:

- ***Arkansas Department of Education (ADE), Division of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE)*** - *DESE Rules Governing Consolidation and Annexation of School District; and*

- ***Department of Human Services (DHS), Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health*** - *Hospital Based Residential Treatment for Substance Use Disorder*

A copy of the emergency rules are attached for your information. The emergency rules are reviewed and approved, and the review and approval shall be effective upon adjournment of Arkansas Legislative Council, Friday, June 19, 2026.

Respectfully,

Senator Ben Gilmore
Senate Co-Chair
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Representative Les D. Eaves
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cc: Ms. Rebecca Miller-Rice, Administrator, BLR
(via electronic mail)