

## RULEMAKING AGENDA – January 15, 2017

**Agency Name and Address:**

Department of Children, Youth and Families  
 101 Friendship Street  
 Providence, RI 02903

**PART I - Rules Promulgated *June 16, 2016 through January 15, 2017:***

None

**PART II - Expected Rule-making Activity *January 16, 2017 through June 15, 2017:***

| Type Filing | Title/Subject Area                                      | Objective   | Legal Basis | Anticipated Schedule | Agency Contact<br>(Name <u>and</u><br>Telephone<br>number) | Interested Parties                               |
|-------------|---|---|-------------|----------------------|--|--|
| Amended     | Foster Care & Adoption Regulations for Licensure        | To comply with RIGL 42-35 and provisions of PL 113-183.   | RIGL 42-72  | February, 2017       | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793                          | Community Stakeholders                           |
| Amended     | Childcare Regulations for Licensure                     | To comply with RIGL 42-35 and update for best practices and stakeholder engagement & feedback.                                      | RIGL 42-72  | February, 2017       | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793                          | Community Stakeholders                           |
| Repeal      | Child Fatality  | To comply with RIGL 42-35, promulgated policy contains staff procedure. Repealed policy will become Department Operating Procedure. | RIGL 42-72  | February, 2017       | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793                          | Community Stakeholders                           |
| Amended     | School Age Child Care Program Regulations for Licensure | Revised for clarity, best practices & to reflect stakeholder feedback   | RIGL 42-72  | February, 2017       | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793                          | Community Stakeholders; child care center owners |
| Amended     | Child Care Program Regulations for Licensure            | Revised for clarity, best practices & to reflect stakeholder feedback   | RIGL 42-72  | February, 2017       | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793                          | Community Stakeholders; child care center owners |

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| Amended  | Comprehensive Assessment & Service Planning                                 | To comply with provisions of PL 113-183   | RIGL 42-72<br>PL 113-183 | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Amended  | Obtaining Custody of Child through the Dependent/ Neglected/Abused Petition | To comply with provisions of PL 113-183   | RIGL 42-72<br>PL 113-183 | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Adoption | Protecting and Identifying Victims of Sex Trafficking                       | To comply with provisions of PL 113-183   | RIGL 42-72<br>PL 113-183 | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Amended  | Youth Transition Planning and Support                                       | To comply with provisions of PL 113-183   | RIGL 42-72<br>PL 113-183 | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Repeal   | Runaway Calls   | Language incorporated into amended Children Absent from Care policy   | RIGL 42-72               | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Repeal   | Runaways with Special Medical Conditions                                    | Language incorporated into amended Children Absent from Care policy   | RIGL 42-72               | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Amended  | Family Child Care Home Regulations for Licensure                            | Revised for clarity, best practices & to reflect stakeholder feedback   | RIGL 42-72               | May, 2017   | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders;<br>family child care home owners |
| Amended  | Group Family Child Care Home Regulations for Licensure                      | Revised for clarity, best practices & to reflect stakeholder feedback   | RIGL 42-72               | May, 2017   | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders;<br>family child care home owners |
| Amended  | Residential Regulations for Licensure                                       | To comply with provisions of PL 113-183 & best practices  | RIGL 42-72<br>PL 113-183 | May, 2017   | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |
| Repeal   | Early Intervention  | To comply with RIGL 42-35, promulgated policy contains staff procedure. Repealed policy will become Department Operating Procedure. | RIGL 42-72<br>RIGL 42-35 | March, 2017 | Sarah St. Jacques<br>401-528-3793 | Community Stakeholders                                   |