State of California Department of Developmental Services

Second 15-Day Notice of Public Availability of Modified Text and Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons Added to the Participant-Directed Services Rulemaking File for a Second 15-Day Comment Period

Second 15-Day Public Availability Date: June 29, 2022 Deadline for Second 15-Day Public Comments: July 14, 2022

Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code Sections 11346.8(d), 11346.9(a)(1), and 11347.1, the Department of Developmental Services (Department) is providing notice that a document titled "Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons for Participant-Directed Services" ("Addendum"), has been added to the rulemaking file and is available for public inspection and comment.

Additionally, pursuant to the requirements of Government Code Section 11346.8(c), The Department is providing notice of changes made to the Participant-Directed Services proposed regulations in Title 17, California Code of Regulations, Sections 57310, 57332, 58886, and 58888, which is in the attached document titled "Second 15-Day Modified Text."

The "Addendum" and "Second 15-Day Modified Text" have been developed in response to comments received by the Office of Administrative Law regarding the rulemaking for proposed amendments to the Participant-Directed Services regulations. Furthermore, the "Addendum" includes a correction to page 2 of the First 15-Day Notice of Modified Text released on February 28, 2022.

These documents are available on the Department's website for rulemaking at Emergency and Proposed Regulations - CA Department of Developmental Services: https://www.dds.ca.gov/transparency/laws-regulations/emergency-and-proposed-regulations/

Public Comments

If you have any comments regarding the "Addendum" and/or the "Second 15-Day Modified Text", the Department will accept written comments between June 29, 2022 through July 14, 2022. Written comments will only be accepted on the "Second 15-Day Modified Text" and the "Addendum" identified in this Notice. For consideration, written comments shall be submitted by postal mail, personal delivery, or by electronic submittal no later than the due date as

follows:

Postal Mail or Hand Delivery: Department of Developmental Services

Legislation, Regulations & Public Affairs

RE: PDS 2nd 15-Day

1215 O Street (M.S. 9-10) Sacramento, CA 95814; or

Electronic Submittal:

https://www.dds.ca.gov/transparency/lawsregulations/emergency-and-proposed-regulations/

"Please note: Public comments should not include any personal or medical information, as your written and oral comments and attachments become part of the public record and can be released to the public upon request under the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 6250 et seq.). Please note that under the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code § 6250 et seq.), your written comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the public record and can be released to the public upon request."

All written comments received by July 14, 2022, which pertain to the "Addendum" and "Second 15-Day Modified Text," will be reviewed and responded to in the Final Statement of Reasons by the Department's staff as part of the compilation of the rulemaking file.

Attachments