DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

HABILITATION SERVICES

Date: April 29, 2005

To: All Interested Parties

From: Department of Developmental Services

Re: Government Code Section 11346.8(c) provides that changes in proposed regulations which are sufficiently related to the initially advertised text must be made available to the public for review and comment 15 days prior to the adoption of the regulations.

In response to comments and further analysis, staff have revised the originally proposed text. All revisions and additions to the originally proposed (45-Day Notice) text are identified by strikeout of the text to be deleted and underlining of the text to be added.

All revisions and additions to the proposed (First 15-Day Notice) text are identified by a combination of highlight and double strikeout of the text to be deleted and a combination of highlight and double underlining of the text to be added. Only comments addressing modifications in the text that appears in the combination of highlight and double strikeout or combination of highlight and double underlining format will be considered. The revised text is attached.

The public comment period for the second 15-Day Notice of modified proposed regulations runs from April 30, 2005 to May 16, 2005. Faxed, written, or email comments on the proposed modifications must be received by the Department of Developmental Services no later than 5:00 P.M. on May 16, 2005, at the address below:

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