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FY99-01 BIENNIAL BUDGET
STATUTORY LANGUAGE PROPOSAL FORMAT

Division: Economic Support
Appropriation: 20.445(3)(dz)
Issue: Children First
Contact: Susan Pfeiffer, Director
Bureau of Child Support

PROBLEM

Agencies operating the Children First program receive a \$200 per participant reimbursement for providing services to noncustodial parents. Agencies have indicated that this is not a sufficient amount of money to provide appropriate services.

PROPOSED CHANGE

Amend s.49.36(7), Stats., to increase the per participant amount from \$200 to \$400.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Department's intent is provide additional per participant funding to encourage more agencies to participate in the Children First program.

FISCAL IMPACT

Will increase costs; linking these participants to TANF eligible families will allow the Department to fund at least a portion of the currently GPR funded program with TANF dollars.

DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE

Upon enactment.



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