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DATE: November 27, 2001

TO: Dave Matzen

Committee on Children and Families

FROM: John Scocos, Assembly Chief Clerk

RE: Clearinghouse Rules Referral

The following Clearinghouse Rule has been referred to your committee.

CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 00-020

AN ORDER to repeal chapter HSS 56; and to create chapter HFS 56, relating to foster home care for children.

Submitted by **Department of Health and Family Services.**

Report received from Agency on **November 20, 2001.**

To committee on **Children and Families.**

Referred on **Tuesday, November 27, 2001.**

Last day for action - **Thursday, December 27, 2001.**

Under section 227.19 (4) of the Wisconsin Statutes, your committee has 30 days to take action or get an extension. The day **after** the official referral date is day one of your review period. Therefore, the 30th day should fall four weeks and two days after the referral date. For example, for Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Monday, a Wednesday would be your 30th day. For Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Tuesday, a Thursday would be your 30th day. For Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Wednesday, a Friday would be your 30th day. For Clearinghouse Rules referred on a Thursday or Friday, your 30th day would fall on a weekend. Therefore, your time would expire on the next working day (Monday) as provided for in s. 990.001 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Also, if the 30th day falls on a legal holiday, time would expire on the next working day.

Section 227.19 **requires** you to notify each member of your committee that you have received this Clearinghouse Rule. Although some committee chairs do so, you are not required to send a copy of the text of the rule to each member at this time. Your notice could state that members should contact you if they wish to receive a hard copy of the rule. **(Please note that the text of Clearinghouse Rules beginning with the prefix "01" is now available online in the Clearinghouse Rules infobase in FOLIO.)** Please put a copy of your official notification memo in the rule jacket.

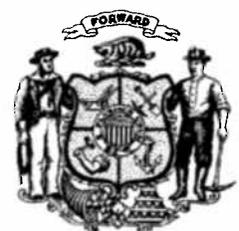
Three copies of the Clearinghouse Rule and its accompanying documents are contained in the jacket. If you wish to have your Legislative Council attorney review the Clearinghouse Rule, send him/her a copy. I only need one copy remaining in the jacket when you report it out of committee at the end of the review period.

The identical process is happening simultaneously in the Senate. Keep track of their action on the rule.

For assistance with the Clearinghouse Rule process, please consult Ken Stigler (6-2406) or your Legislative Council attorney. If you wish to learn more on this subject, read section 227.19 of the Wisconsin Statutes or part 2 of the *Administrative Rules Procedures Manual* written by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Wisconsin Legislative Council staff.



WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE





STATE REPRESENTATIVE
STEVE KESTELL

27TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

TO: Members of the Children and Families Committee
FROM: Representative Steve Kestell, Chair
DATE: November 27, 2001
RE: **Clearinghouse Rule 00-020**

On November 27, 2001 the following clearinghouse rule was referred to the Assembly Children and Families Committee:

Clearinghouse Rule 00-020, relating to chapter HFS 56, foster home care for children.

This order updates the Department of Health and Family Services' rules for licensing foster homes for children. A foster home provides care and maintenance for up to 4 children places in the home either by a court or by arrangement between their parents and the foster parents. The Department's rules have not been updated since 1990.

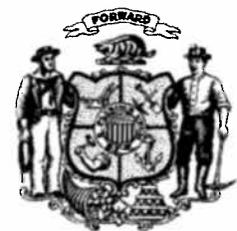
The deadline for committee action on this rule is **December 27, 2001**. If you are interested in obtaining a hard copy of the rule or requesting a hearing, please do so prior to the deadline date.

SK:drm

*NO ACTION TAKEN
12-28-01*



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November 20, 2001

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Re: Clearinghouse Rule 00-020
HFS 56, relating to foster home care for children.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of s. 227.19 (2), Stats., you are hereby notified that the above-mentioned rules are in final draft form. This notice and the report required by s. 227.19 (3), Stats., are submitted herewith in triplicate.

The rules were submitted to the Legislative Council for review under s. 227.15, Stats. A copy of the Council's report is also enclosed.

If you have any questions about the rules, please contact Mark Mitchell at 266-2860.

Sincerely,



Larry Hartzke
Administrative Rules Manager

cc Gary Poulson, Deputy Revisor of Statutes
Senator Judy Robson, JCRAR
Representative Glenn Grothman, JCRAR
Mark Mitchell, Division of Children and Family Services
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