TRANSMITTAL TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

PROPOSED RULES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

Subject: Medical Assistance certification of personal care agencies and providers

Federal statutes or regulations which require adoption of or are relevant to the substance of proposed rules:

Section 440.167 of 42 CFR contains the requirements for providing personal care services to Medicaid recipients. Section 440.167 does not provide detail on the types of agencies which are allowed to provide personal care services or to directly bill the Medicaid program for reimbursement.

Court decisions directly relevant to the proposed rule: None known.

Public hearings: The Department will be holding public hearings as follows:

Date: February 3, 2010

Time: 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Location: Department of Health Services

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