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MEMORANDUM

TO: Office of State Budget & Management

FROM: Nadine Pfeiffer, DHSR Rule-making Coordinator

DATE: January 17, 2020

RE: Federal Certification for Hospice Licensing Rules

Rule-making Coordinator's Certificate

As Required by GS 150B-19.1(g)
For Proposed Permanent and Temporary Rules Adopted to
Implement a Federal Law or which upon Receipt of Federal Funds is Conditioned

The attached rule-making package applies to rules 10A NCAC 13K .0102, .0401, .0604, .0701, and .1104. These rules apply to the licensure of hospices. These rules are being proposed for readoption to definitions, patient's rights and responsibilities, patient/family care plan and dietary services.

The readoption and amendment of these rules are necessary to come in compliance with federal regulations 42 CFR 418.3 that governs definitions, 42 CFR 418.60 that governs personnel, 42 CFR 418.52 that governs patient rights, 42 CFR 418.56 that governs patient/family care plan, and 42 CFR 418.110 that governs dietary services.

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