TITLE 410 INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Administrative Rules Oversight Committee Notice One Year Requirement (IC 4-22-2-25)

LSA Document #07-489

March 13, 2008

Honorable Representative Scott Pelath, Chairperson Administrative Rules Oversight Committee Indiana Legislative Services Agency 200 West Washington Street, Suite 301 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2789 ATTN: Allen Morford

RE: LSA Document #07-489 - Out-of-state mobile health care entities rule

Dear Representative Pelath,

On behalf of the Indiana State Department of Health (Department), I am submitting this notice to the Administrative Rules Oversight Committee in compliance with <u>IC 4-22-2-25</u>, because the Department has determined that the promulgation of the captioned rule may not be completed within one year after publication of the notice of intent to adopt a rule.

The Department published its notice of intent to adopt a rule for the captioned document on August 15, 2007 (DIN: 20070815-IR-410070489NIA). On October 23, 2007, the agency sent the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a copy of the proposed rule and fiscal analysis as required under IC 4-22-2-28. Under IC 4-22-2-28, the agency may not send the proposed rule for publication in the Indiana Register until the agency receives OMB approval. The agency has not yet received approval from OMB to go forward with this rulemaking. Once approval is received, the proposed rule must be published and a public hearing held 21 days after publication of the notice.

Following the public hearing, the agency must consider and respond to public comments and present the rule to the ISDH Executive Board for final adoption. Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-32, the Attorney General has forty-five days to complete review of the rule. Whether a quorum is present at the ISDH Executive Board meeting, and the Attorney General's timeframe for rule review, are outside of the agency's control. Thus promulgation of this rule will likely not be completed by August 15, 2008. The agency expects that the rule can be approved by the Governor by August 15, 2009.

This notice setting forth the expected date of approval of LSA #07-489 as August 15, 2009, is being submitted in a timely manner. April 21, 2008, is the two hundred and fiftieth day after publication of the notice of intent to adopt a rule.

Sincerely,

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cc: Stephen Barnes, Managing Editor, Legislative Services Agency

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