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**TITLE 470 DIVISION OF FAMILY RESOURCES****Notice of Rule Adoption**

LSA Document #10-243

This notice is published in accordance with [IC 12-8-3-4.4](#). Under [IC 4-22-2-29](#), LSA Document #10-243, posted at [20101103-IR-470100243PRA](#), was adopted by the Director of the Division of Family Resources on March 21, 2011. The rule amends [470 IAC 6-2-1](#) to allow simplified reporting for elderly/disabled households; amends [470 IAC 6-2-13](#) to remove requirements of specific certification periods based on type of household; amends [470 IAC 6-3-1](#) to implement a 30 day food stamp application processing time, to provide clarification of the denial process for food stamp applications in accordance with federal regulations, and to allow for the food stamp interview to be delayed in expedited cases; amends [470 IAC 6-4.1-1](#) to allow implementation of a mandatory standard utility allowance in addition to removing reference that those households who share utility expenses cannot use the standard allowance; amends [470 IAC 6-4.1-4](#) to remove reference to specific certification periods affecting reporting requirements; amends [470 IAC 6-4.2-1](#) to implement broad based categorical eligibility; amends [470 IAC 6-5-3](#) to allow the implementation of a voluntary employment and training program; and repeals [470 IAC 6-4.1-6](#). The rule that was adopted is the same version as the proposed rule that was posted on the -IR- Database Website on November 3, 2010.

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