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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE REASSIGNMENT

Please be advised that the Legislative Rule 77 CSR 05 has been reassigned a new Title number, Series number, or both, which can now be found at 71 CSR 05.

Circumstances requiring this Administrative Rule reassignment are due to the restructuring of the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources as provided in HB 2006 (2023), and as amended in SB 300 (2024). The relevant statutory amendments requiring this reassignment are as follows:

> The Office of the Inspector General is a separate and autonomous agency within the Department of Health as provided in §16B-2-1. The following agencies and boards, including all of the allied, advisory, affiliated, or related entities and funds associated with any agency or board, are transferred to, incorporated in and administered as a part of the Office of the Inspector General. The Office of the Inspector General, shall include:
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> (A) Office of Health Facility Licensure and Certification;
> (B) Board of Review;
> (C) Foster Care Ombudsman;
> (D) Olmstead Office;
> (E) Investigations and Fraud Management;
> (F) Quality Control;
> (G) Mental Health Ombudsman;
> (H) WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening; and
> (I) Human Rights Commission.

W. Va. Code § 5F-2-1a(c)(2).

Accordingly, please direct any inquiries concerning the Administrative Rule reassignment or its provisions directly to the filing agency.

Maureen Lewis, Director
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