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Thoughts? This is the additional proviso we discussed for DSS.

Josh

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From: Bray, William [mailto:William.BrayJr@dss.sc.gov]

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Josh

The attached is a new proviso that DSS needs to have introduced in W&M on Monday.

The proviso is needed to comply with a Federal law from 1982, that requires States to specify foster care goals in statute. On October 4, 2012, the Department received notification from the U.S. Administration for Children and Families (ACF), that they were approving the State's Title IV-E plan with the exception of requirements F. 1 and 2. These are the requirements for specific foster care goals to be incorporated into State law. Without passage of specific foster care goals, South Carolina Title IV-E funding could be placed in jeopardy.

Please let me know if you have any issues with DSS submitting this proviso for W&M consideration.

Thanks, William