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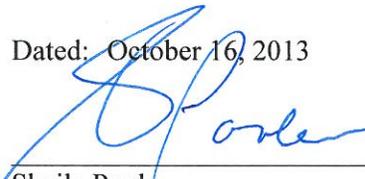
CERTIFICATION FOR A FINAL ADOPTED RULE  
OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

I, Sheila Poole, Executive Deputy Commissioner of the Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS), hereby certify that the attached amendments to Parts 180 and 182-1 of Title 9 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York (NYCRR), and Parts 421, 423 and 441 of Title 18 of the NYCRR, are duly adopted by me and are effective upon publication in the State Register.

These amendments are adopted pursuant to the provisions of § 20(3)(d), § 372-b(3), § 378(5), § 409, § 409-a and § 462(1) of the New York State Social Services Law; Executive Law § 503 and § 532-e; and Chapter 436 of the Laws of 1997, which transferred certain functions, powers, duties and obligations of the former Department of Social Services to OCFS under which the Commissioner of OCFS may promulgate regulations necessary to carry out the purposes of the agency.

The Notice of Proposed Rule Making for these regulations was published in the State Register on August 7, 2013 under ID# CFS -32-13-00007-P. No other publication or prior notice was required by law.

Dated: October 16, 2013

  
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Sheila Poole  
Executive Deputy Commissioner



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