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DATE: March 26, 2023
TO: Jacob Ritzenthaler, Regulatory Policy Advocate
CC: Joseph Baker, Director of the Common Sense Initiative office

FROM: Denielle Ell-Rittinger, Bureau Chief
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RE: CSI Review: OFC: Foster Care Licensing FYR

OAC rule 5101:2-5-27 entitled “Agency procedure for the termination of a foster home certificate”
OAC rule 5101:2-5-29 entitled “Agency requirements for foster home records”
OAC rule 5101:2-5-36 entitled “Additional requirements for that acts as a representative of ODJFS in recommending treatment foster homes for certification”
OAC rule 5101:2-5-37 entitled “Additional requirements for that acts as a representative of ODJFS in recommending medically fragile foster homes for certification”
OAC rule 5101:2-33-80 entitled “Retained applicant fingerprint database information exchange (“Rapback”)”

Thank you for your recent review of the referenced OAC rules. Based upon your recommendation for no changes to the rule, the Office of Families and Children will proceed with the formal filing of this rule package with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR).