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Bobby Jindal, Governor
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January 6, 2015

The Honorable John Alario
President of the Senate
Louisiana State Senate
P. O. Box 94183, Capitol Station
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

Dear Senator Alario:

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In accordance with Act 622 of the 2014 Regular Legislative Session, the proposed rule will adopt provisions necessary to establish a pilot initiative in Tangipahoa parish for the purpose of enhancing workforce readiness and improving employment opportunities for SNAP recipients who are unemployed or underemployed able-bodied adults without dependents (ABAWDs).

DCFS held a public hearing on December 29, 2014 and no comments were received on the proposal. At this time the department intends to submit the Final Rule to the Office of State Register for publication in the February issue of the *Louisiana Register*. This Rule is effective March 1, 2015.

Please contact me at (225) 342-9538 if the department may be of any assistance to you concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

Sammy Guillory
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The Honorable David Heitmeier, Chairman
Louisiana Senate Committee on Health and Welfare
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