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MEMORANDUM

Date:

January 29, 2019

To:

Betsy Hendricks, Child Care Administrator--CMS

Governor J.B. Pritzker Pia Yoswig, LRU Blaine Redemer, ISL

From:

Heidi Mueller

Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice

Subject:

Public Act 87-552 Reporting

Please find the attached Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice report in compliance with Public Act 87-552.

The department remains committed to family and assisting our employees with young children to reduce their need for child care.

Cc: President Cullerton

Leader Brady Leader Durkin Journal Rooms Secretary of State

Public Act 87-552 Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice

Section 1

The Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice, through the current practice of offering flexible work schedules, is committed to the philosophy of affording working parents every opportunity to minimize the need for daycare.

Section 2

Plan Implementation: Chief of Staff Erin A. Johnson

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Section 3

The Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice does offer flexible starting and ending times on an individual basis. The needs of the employee and the operational need in the work are reviewed.

Section 4

The Department of Juvenile Justice makes every effort to see that the personal obligations and needs of our employees are met; however, we are only able to offer flexible work schedules to employees outside the security area. A majority of the workforce is comprised of security staff; in addition, the agency currently operates three shifts, which decreases the ability to be more flexible.

Date Heidi Mueller, Director