



Office of Children and Family Services

KATHY HOCHUL
Governor

SUZANNE MILES-GUSTAVE, ESQ.
Acting Commissioner

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

I, Suzanne Miles-Gustave, Acting Commissioner of the New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS), hereby certify that the attached amendments to Parts 421, 426, 427, and 435 of Title 18 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York were duly adopted by me and will be effective August 9, 2023.

These regulations are adopted pursuant to the provisions of sections 20(3)(d), 34(3)(f), 398-a(2), 409-a(5), 451(2), 453(2), and 458-b(6) of the New York State Social Services Law, under which the Commissioner of OCFS may promulgate regulations necessary to carry out the purposes of the agency.

A Notice of Proposed Rule Making was filed with the Department of State and appeared in the New York State Register on April 5, 2023, under I.D. No. CFS-14-23-00010-P

Dated: July 24, 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Suzanne Miles-Gustave", written over a horizontal line.

Suzanne Miles-Gustave
Acting Commissioner