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STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

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HEARINGS

NEDRA STREET,

Petitioner,

CASE NO. 01-0111
RENDITION NO. DCF-02-DL5-FO
(Revocation of foster home licensure)

EJD-C105

v.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN
AND FAMILY SERVICES,
(DISTRICT 3)

Respondent.

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FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE is before me as the result of the attached Recommended Order that was issued by an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) who had been assigned to hear the case by the Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH). The order recommends that the Department revoke Petitioner's foster home license. No exceptions were filed to the Recommended Order.

The Department sought to revoke Petitioner's foster care license based on allegations of abuse to foster children placed in her home.

After hearing the evidence, the ALJ found that Petitioner had administered unauthorized corporal punishment to children in her care and issued a Recommended

Order recommending that the license be revoked. I hereby ADOPT the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law of the Recommended Order.

Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that Petitioner's foster care license is **revoked** in Case No. 01-0111.

DONE AND ORDERED on this 7th day of January, 2002.

Kathleen A. Kearney
KATHLEEN A. KEARNEY, SECRETARY
Department of Children and Family Services

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A party who is adversely affected by this final order is entitled to judicial review. To initiate judicial review, the party seeking it must file one copy of a "Notice of Appeal" with the Agency Clerk. The party seeking judicial review must also file another copy of the "Notice of Appeal," accompanied by the filing fee required by law, with the First District Court of Appeal in Tallahassee, Florida, or with the District Court of Appeal in the district where the party resides. The Notices must be filed within thirty (30) days of the rendition of this final order.¹

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Final Order was served by U.S. Mail or by hand delivery to the above named persons on this 9th day of January, 2002.



Peggy Sanford, Agency Clerk
Department of Children and Family Services
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2. The date of the "rendition" of this Final Order is the date that is stamped on its first page. The Notices of Appeal must be received on or before the thirtieth day after that date.