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## DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES,

Petitioner,

v.

CASE NO. 19-1113 RENDITION NO. DCF-21-076-FO

J AND A JOYFUL HEARTS ACADEMY,

Respondent.

### FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE is before me for entry of a final order concerning the Department's January 22, 2019, Administrative Complaint imposing a fine in the total amount of \$5,110.00 and revocation of Respondent's license for committing a total of ten Class I violations and three Class II violations. The Recommended Order concluded the Department established five of the Class I violations and two of the Class II violations by clear and convincing evidence. It further recommended a total fine of \$1,350.00 and revocation of Respondent's license to operate a child care facility. Neither party filed exceptions to the Recommended Order

Accordingly, the Recommended Order is approved and adopted and the January 22, 2019, Administrative Complaint is **UPHELD**.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida, this <u>6th</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2021.

Shevaun L. Harris, Secretary

#### NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

THIS ORDER CONSTITUTES FINAL AGENCY ACTION AND MAY BE APPEALED BY A PARTY PUSUANT TO SECTION 120.68, FLORIDA STATUTES, AND RULES 9.110 AND 9.190, FLORIDA RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE. SUCH APPEAL IS INSTITUTED BY FILING ONE COPY OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE AGENCY CLERK OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES AT 1317 WINEWOOD BOULEVARD, BUILDING 2, ROOM 204, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-0700, AND A SECOND COPY ALONG WITH THE FILING FEE AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW, IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL WHERE THE PARTY RESIDES OR IN THE FIRST DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED (RECEIVED) WITHIN 30 DAYS OF RENDITION OF THIS ORDER.<sup>1</sup>

Copies furnished to the following via U.S. Mail on date of Rendition of this Order.<sup>1</sup>

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