



**Office of Children
and Family Services**

ANDREW M. CUOMO
Governor

SHEILA J. POOLE
Commissioner

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

I, Sheila J. Poole, Commissioner of the New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS), hereby certify that the attached amendments to Parts 421, 442, 443, and 448 of Title 18 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York were duly adopted by me and are effective upon publication in the State Register.

These regulations are adopted pursuant to the provisions of sections 20(3)(d) and 34(3)(f) 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.

The Notice of Emergency Adoption and Proposed Rulemaking for these regulations was published in the State Register on June 17, 2020 under I.D. No. CFS - 24 - 20 - 00001 - EP.

Dated: August 31, 2020

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Poole", written over a horizontal line.

Sheila J. Poole
Commissioner