DATE: January 31, 2019

TO: Legislative Assembly

FROM: Leah Horner, Legislative Director
Department of Human Services

RE: HB 4106 – Report on Rulemaking

In compliance with ORS 183.403 (House Bill 4106, 2016) which requires state agencies to report annually on their rulemaking actions, both permanent and temporary, please find the Department of Human Services report attached.

In its counts, the Department of Human Services (DHS) includes the Home Care Commission (OAR 418), which is a separate agency under Article XV, Section 11, of the Oregon Constitution and uses DHS employees for its rule process under ORS 410.604.

In 2018, using the process set out in ORS 183.335(2) and (3), DHS adopted, amended, or repealed a total of 803 rules on a permanent basis.

In 2018, using the process set out in ORS 183.335(5), DHS adopted, amended, or suspended a total of 507 temporary rules (not counting the suspensions of temporary rules on the day they become permanent).

As requested, the full report sets the reasons for the temporary rule changes in OAR 407, 411, 413, and 461 as well as the reasons the temporary rule process was used for these changes. There were no temporary rule changes in OAR 417, 418, and 582 in 2018. A copy of this full report is available upon request.