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TO: Health Care Administration Board Members

THROUGH: Justin Rodriguez, Assistant Commissioner  
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FROM: Michael J. Kennedy, Esq., Executive Director  
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SUBJECT: Request for Authorization to Rulemake  
Notice of Adoption following a Petition for Rulemaking  
N.J.A.C. 8:39-43.10(n) Approval of a Nurse Aide in Long-Term Care  
Facilities Training Program: Eligibility Criteria for Evaluators in Training  
Programs for Long-Term Care Facility Nurse Aides

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At the next meeting of the Health Care Administration Board (Board), the Department of Health (Department) will request approval to file the attached notice of adoption of N.J.A.C. 8:39-43.10(n), Standards for Licensure of Long-Term Care Facilities, Certification of Nurse Aides in Long-Term Care Facilities, Nurse Aide Training Program Evaluators.

The petitioner has requested that the Department amend existing N.J.A.C. 8:39-43.10(n), which establishes the minimum requirements of persons who are eligible to serve as evaluators in training programs for persons seeking to become certified nurse aides (CNAs) to mirror the federal nurse aide evaluator requirements at 42 CFR 483.154(c)4ii.

I, or a member of my staff, will be available to answer any question that you may have regarding the attached proposal.

Thank you.