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The Honorable Ruth Massinga
Secretary of the Department of
Human Resources
1100 North Eutaw Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Dear Secretary Massinga:

In accordance with Article 41, Section 15CB of the Annotated Code, I hereby approve the reorganization of the Social Services Administration proposed in the letter from the Department of Human Resources dated December 27, 1982. This approval extends only to the structural aspects of the proposal. Specific personnel or budgetary items remain, of course, subject to the normal administrative processes.

I share your view that this new reorganization will increase the managerial effectiveness and efficiency of the Social Services Administration in the Department of Human Resources.

Sincerely,
Harry Hughes
Governor

December 27, 1982

The Honorable Harry Hughes
Governor
State of Maryland
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Governor Hughes:

Executive Order 01.01.1980.03, which was approved by the General Assembly in 1980, established an Income Maintenance Administration (IMA) separate from the Social Services Administration (SSA) in the Department of Human Resources. The purpose of this separation was to improve the management and oversight of both the public assistance and social services programs. In February 1982 a detailed reorganization plan was approved for SSA. That plan created five offices within SSA reporting to the Executive Director. These offices were the Office of Child Welfare, the Office of Adult and Family Services, the Office of Day Care, the Office of Administrative Services and the Office of Program Support.

Since the implementation of the reorganization in February