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Executive Directors, State Planning Councils  
Directors, State Administering Agencies

SUBJECT: Two Year Transitional State Plan for the Basic  
State Grant Program - Fiscal Year 1990-1991

LEGAL AND  
RELATED

REFERENCES: Public Law 100-146 Developmental Disabilities  
Assistance and Bill of Rights Act Amendments of  
1987 (The Act)  
45 CFR Parts 1385, 1386, 1387 and 1388  
Developmental Disabilities Final Rules.

CONTENT: Information memorandum on the justification and  
scope of a one-time Two Year State Plan  
requirement.

DISCUSSION: The purpose of this memorandum is to provide  
advance notice of a one-time modification in the  
Basic State Grant State Plan Requirement. This  
administrative change reflects the significance of  
the substantial and extraordinary review and  
analysis activity required by the provisions of  
Section 122(f) of the Act; and provides sufficient  
opportunity to States to utilize the findings and  
conclusions of the special one-time State Planning  
Council Final Report to be prepared and submitted  
to the Governor and the legislature of the State  
by January 1, 1990 as required by Section  
122(f)(4) of the Act.

Therefore, the Administration on Developmental  
Disabilities (ADD) shall issue a one-time only set  
of Two Year Transitional State Plan Guidelines to  
assist States in the preparation of the Two Year  
Transitional State Plan for the Fiscal Years  
1990-1991). These optional Guidelines will be  
narrow in scope, and will reflect the minimum  
amount of information needed to comply with the  
requirements of Section 122(b)(2).

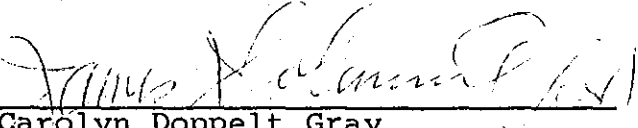
The Two Year Transitional State Plan Guidelines will be made available to States by October 15, 1988. The Two Year State Plan, for Fiscal Years 1990-1991 shall be due in the Regional Offices by August 15, 1989.

Following the anticipated reauthorization of the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act in early Fiscal Year 1991, ADD will issue new Three Year State Plan Guidelines for the Fiscal Years 1992-1994 that will incorporate whatever changes may result from the anticipated reauthorization of the statute.

What we hope to emerge from this transition period is an opportunity for States to thoughtfully assess and prepare a plan to modify the existing State service delivery system relative to services provided to persons with developmental disabilities and to reflect in a new Three Year State Plan those actions and activities proposed to strengthen and make more responsive the provision of services to all persons with developmental disabilities within the State.

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