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ODJFS compensation of recommending agencies

- Requires the Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) to adopt rules for the compensation of a recommending agency for a foster caregiver's foster home certification and recertification training that the agency requires, if it is in addition to the minimum training required under the rules adopted by ODJFS under the bill.

ODJFS inspection and recertification frequency

- Requires ODJFS, at a frequency it must establish in its rules governing adequate and competent management and certification of institutions or associations, rather than every two years as in current law, to pass upon the fitness of institutions and associations for receiving and caring for children, or placing them in private homes.
- Requires ODJFS to issue to such a compliant institution or association a certificate to that effect that is valid for a length of time determined in rules adopted by ODJFS under the bill, rather than every two years as in current law.
- Requires each institution or association desiring certification or recertification to submit to ODJFS a report providing certain information, including information on its condition, management, and competency, required under continuing law on a frequency specified in rules adopted by ODJFS under the bill, rather than every two years as in current law.