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DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES
CHILD WELFARE SERVICES

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SECRETARY

WAYNE E. BLACK
DIRECTOR

October 13, 2017

Dear County Director of Social Services:

Re: Important Update on P-4 Child Welfare Services Deployment Schedule

The deployment of NC FAST for child welfare services is being adjusted to allow us to best respond to the five pilot counties recommended changes and enhancements. Group 1 will go live in January with Release 1 instead of later this month. The releases for Groups 2-5 will be delayed for two months. This change has been approved by the Executive Advisory Committee.

We are working closely with the five pilot counties to determine the priority list of changes and enhancements. We will share the final list, including when the changes are to take place, once it is complete.

In the meantime, this means a little extra time for training and preparations! Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for continuing to partner with us on a successful P-4 deployment.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Lisa T. Cauley in black ink.

Lisa T. Cauley, Deputy Director
Child Welfare Services

Handwritten signature of Angela Taylor in black ink.

Angela Taylor, Director
Office of NC Families Accessing Services
through Technology (NC FAST)

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