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## STATEMENT OF BASIS AND PURPOSE

The State Personnel Director's Administrative Procedures ("Procedures") are found at 4 CCR 801-1.

The purpose for this rulemaking is to modify rule 4 CCR 801-1, Chapter 11 - State Benefits Plans. The general basis of the State Personnel Director in exercising their rulemaking authority is to modify administrative procedures and align with contemporary practices as well as federal notification timelines for those employees who are eligible to qualify for Medicare and Medicaid.

Notice of this proposed rulemaking was published in the April 10, 2022 edition of the Colorado Register.

The general basis of the State Personnel Director in exercising his rulemaking authority as granted is found under Article XII of the Colorado Constitution.

The State Personnel Director found, as required by §24-4-103(4)(b), C.R.S., that the need for the rulemaking exists; the proper constitutional and/or statutory authority exists for the rules; to the extent practicable, the rules are clearly and simply stated so that their meaning will be understood by any required to comply with the rules; the rules do not conflict with other provisions of the law; and any duplication or overlapping of the rules, if any, has been explained.

These rules, if adopted on or before May 11, 2022, will be effective on July 1, 2022.

Dated this 30th Day of March 2022.

JAM.

Tony Gherardini, State Personnel Director Department of Personnel & Administration