SECRETARY OF STATE (Amended at ARRS Committee)

30 KAR 10:100. Attaining age of majority.

RELATES TO: KRS 14.302 Kry Acts ch. 172

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 14.318 Ky Acts ch. 172

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: <u>KRS 14.318</u> [Ky Acts ch. 172] authorizes the Secretary of State to promulgate administrative regulations implementing <u>the</u> <u>Safe at Home Program</u>[Ky Acts ch. 172]. This administrative regulation <u>establishes the</u> <u>procedures for a minor child participant who has reached the age of majority</u>[implements Ky Acts ch. 172].

Section 1. When the Secretary of State becomes aware that a minor child participant has reached the age of eighteen (18), the Secretary of State *shall{will}* inform the minor child participant of options related to continued participation in the Safe at Home Program. These options *shall* include leaving the program and reapplying on their own behalf.

(1) In anticipation of <u>a</u>*fthef* minor child participant's 18th birthday, the Secretary of State <u>shall</u>*fwilff* send an application packet via first class mail to the participant's address. The packet <u>shall</u>*fwilff* include <u>an application form and</u> instructions on actions to be taken by age eighteen (18). The packet <u>shall</u>*fwilff* include notice that if the participant does not respond within thirty (30) days <u>he or she shall</u>*ftheyffwilff* be removed from the program, and mail forwarding <u>shall</u>*fwilff* stop. If thirty (30) days pass without contact from the participant, the Secretary of State <u>shall</u>*fwilff* mail a final notice that the participant's certification for Certification within ten (10) days.

(2) [The packet will include the application form.]

f(3) The Secretary of State shall renew the certification of a participant upon receipt of a properly completed application form.

(3) [(4)] A participant who reaches age eighteen (18) and changes residence may reapply or withdraw.

(4) [(5)] Program participants whofthat] have reached age eighteen (18) and whof have withdrawn or allowed certification to expire, may reapply on their own behalf.

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