PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SITTING AS THE CHILD CARE FACILITIES BOARD

BOARD APPOINTMENT SUMMARY

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Department:	
Department.	Florida Department of Health, Palm Beach County
Submitted by:	Division of Environmental Public Health
Advisory Board Name:	Child Care Advisory Council

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: staff recommends motion to approve: the reappointment of one (1) member to the Child Care Advisory Council for a second term of three (3) years to fill the position that requires representation by a family child care provider and will expire September 30, 2022.

NOMINEE:	SEAT #:	REQUIREMENT:	NOMINATED BY:
Mary L. Morris	2	Represents and operates a family child	Staff
		care home as a private enterprise.	

Summary: The Child Care Advisory Council, nominated by staff and confirmed by the BCC, is comprised of seven members who serve at the pleasure of the Board of County Commissioners. The Palm Beach County Health Department shall serve as staff to the Council. The Board must consist of two members who represent and operate private child care facilities in Palm Beach County, one of whom operates a family day care home or large family child care home; one member who represents and operates a parochial child care facility in Palm Beach County; one consumer protection enforcement official; one member for fire protection, engineering or technology; one member who, at the time of appointment, was the parent of a child attending a child care facility in Palm Beach County; and one representative from the Florida Department of Children and Families. A memo requesting support was sent to all BCC members on October 31, 2019 and no additional nomination recommendations were received.

Mary L. Morris has been a licensed family child care operator in Palm Beach County for the past 16 years. With this approval, the Council will consist of seven members: two African-American (28.6%), and five Caucasian (71.4%). The gender ratio (female: male) is 6:1.<u>Countywide</u> (HH)

Background and Justification: Chapter 2010-249, Laws of Florida, provides for the organization of the Child Care Advisory Council. This local law and Palm Beach County Rules and Regulations Governing Family Child Care Homes and Large Family Child Care Homes, Article IV.B.2. set forth the required composition of the Child Care Advisory Council.

Attachments:

- 1. Board/Committee Application Mary L. Morris
- 2. Current membership list from directory
- 3. Copy of attendance record
- 4. Statute/ordinance/resolution

Recommended by:	Alin Monn	IIH FI
	Department Director	/ Date
Legal Sufficiency: _	Helene C. Huind	11-8-19
	Assistant County Attorney	Date

Attachment 1

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BOARDS/COMMITTEES APPLICATION

The information provided on this form will be used in considering your nomination. Please COMPLETE SECTION II IN FULL. Answer "none" or "not applicable" where appropriate. Please attach a biography or resume to this form.

Section I (Department): (Please Print)

Board Name:	ILD CARE ADVIS	DRY COUNC	Ш.		Adviso	ory [X]	Not 4	Advisory [1
[X] At Large	Appointment		or	[]District A	Appoin	tment /Di	istrict #: _		
Term of Appointment;	Three (3)	Years.	From:	October 1, 2019	To:	Septem	ber 30, 20	22	
Seat Requirement:	Member who ope	rates a family	child care	home as a private	Seat i	#: 2 ·			
[X]*Reappoint	ntment	or		[] New Appointment	:				
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or [] to complete the term of _____ Due to: [] resignation [] Completion of term to expire on:

*When a person is being considered for reappointment, the number of previous disclosed voting conflicts during the previous term shall be considered by the Board of County Commissioners: __0___

Section II (Applicant): (Please Print) APPLICANT, UNLESS EXEMPTED, MUST BE A COUNTY RESIDENT

Name:	MORRIS	MAI	RY			
	Last	First		N	Aiddle	
Occupation/Aff	iliation;	Family Child Care Operator				
		Owner [X]	Employee []		Officer []	
Business Name	2:	Mary Morris [Family Child Ca	e Home].	*****		*****
Business Addr	ess:	504 Clear Lake Avenue				
City & State		West Palm Beach, Florida		Zip Code:	33401	
Residence Add	iress:	504 Clear Lake Avenue	,	······································		
City & State		West Palm Beach, Florida		Zip Code:	33401	
Home Phone:	(5)	51) 832-04-72	Business Phone:	(561) 832-		
Cell Phone:	_(0	61-386-3567	Fax:	(561) (0	59-1854	
Email Address:	M	smlm57@msn.com			· L	

Mailing Address Preference: [X] Business [] Residence

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Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes No 1/ If Yes, state the court, nature of offense, disposition of case and date:

Minority Identification Code: [] Male [] Native-American [] Hispanic-American [X] Female [] Asian-American [X] African-American [] Cancasian

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Section II Continued:

<u>CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIPS</u>: Pursuant to Article XIII, Sec. 2-443 of the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics, advisory board members are prohibited from entering into any contract or other transaction for goods or services with Palm Beach County. Exceptions to this prohibition include awards made under sealed competitive bids, certain emergency and sole source purchases, and transactions that do not exceed \$500 per year in aggregate. These exemptions are described in the Code. This prohibition does not apply when the advisory board member's board provides no regulation, oversight, management, or policy-setting recommendations regarding the subject contract or transaction and the contract or transaction is disclosed at a public meeting of the Board of County Commissioners. To determine compliance with this provision, it is necessary that you, as a hoard member applicant, identify all contractual relationships between Palm Beach County government and you as an individual, directly or indirectly, or your employer or business. This information should be provided in the space below. If there are no contracts or transactions to report, please verify that none exist. Staff will review this information and determine if you are eligible to serve or if you may be eligible for an exception or waiver pursuant to the code.

Contract/Transaction No.	Department/Division	Description of Services	Term
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NONE	V	NOT APPLICABLE/	

<u>ETHICS TRAINING</u>: All board members are required to read and complete training on Article XIII, the Paim Beach County Code of Ethics, and read the State Guide to the Sunshine Amendment. Article XIII, and the training requirement can be found on the web at: <u>http://www.palmbeachcountyethics.com/training.htm</u>. Ethics training is on-going, and pursuant to PPM CW-P-79 is required before appointment, and upon reappointment.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by Article XIII, the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics, and I have received the required Ethics training (in the manner checked below):

By watching the training program on the Web, DVD or VHS on <u>10 [11 20 19</u> By attending a live presentation given on ______, 20____

AND

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree to abide by the Guide to the Sunshine Amendment & State of Florida Code of Ethics:

*Applicant's Signature: Way Shaws _ Printed Name: Mary Morris__ Date: 10/11/19

Any questions and/or concerns regarding Article XIII, the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics, please visit the Commission on Ethics website www.palmbeachcountyethics.com or contact us via email at ethics@palmbeachcountyethics.com or (561) 355-1915.

Return this FORM to: Courtney Shippey Florida Department of Health Palm Beach County 800 Clematis Street, West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Date:

_ ____

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Section III (Commissioner, if applicable):

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Appointment to be made at BCC Meeting on:

Commissioner's Signature;

Pursuant to Florida's Public Records Law, this document may be reviewed and photocopied by members of the public.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY CODE OF ETHICS TRAINING ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Legal Name: Mary L. Morris (Please print clearly)

Employee Identification Number: 043722583

Agency/Municipality: Palm Beach Health Dept Dept/Board: Advisory Board

By signing this acknowledgement, I am attesting that I have done the following:

[1] Read the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics Ordinance (Ctrl+Click to follow link)

AND

Have completed additional training by viewing one of the following:

- [] The Code of Ethics Training Program on the Intranet/Internet. (Ctri+Click to follow link)
- I The Code of Ethics Training Program on YouTube. (Ctrl+Click to follow link)
- [] The Code of Ethics Training Program on DVD.
- [] A live presentation given on _____, 20____

I understand that I am responsible for understanding and abiding by the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics as I conduct my assigned duties during my term of employment. I also understand that the information in this policy is subject to change. Policy changes will be comparated to me by my supervisor or through official notices.

10/11/2019 (Date)

Officials and Employees: Submit signed forms according to your agency's policy Advisory Board Members: Submit signed forms to Appropriate Advisory Board Representative

PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM TO APROPRIATE PARTY AS HIGHLIGHTED ABOVE PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT THIS FORM TO THE COMMISSION ON ETHICS

> 300 North Dixie Highway, Suite 450, West Palm Beach, FL 33401 PHONE: 561.355-1915 FAX: 561.355-1904 Hotline: 877.766.5920 E-mail: ethics@palmbeachcountyethics.com Website: www.palmbeachcountyethics.com

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Mary L Morris

504 Clear Lake Ave West Palm Beach, FL 33401 Phone: 561-832-0472 Fax: 561-659-1854 Email: <u>Msmlm57@msn.com</u>

Education

J. W. Holly High School 1964 Teller Academy 1978 Palm Beach State College 2008 (President's Honor Society) Associates of Science: Early Childhood Education

Work History

Solitron Device Inc. (Tester) 19 Years Childcare Provider 19 Years Palm Beach County Early Head Start Program

Affiliations

Palm Beach County Family Childcare Association (President) Palm Beach County Child Care Advisory Council Palm Beach State college council (President) Accredited Mentor Chapter Representor for FFCCHA National Accreditation For Family Childcare (NAFFCC) National CDA Child Development Quality Counts 5 Star Associations Phi Theta Kappa Society City Wide Mission of the Palm Beaches (Finance Secretary) Hilltop Missionary Society (Vice President) Early Head Start Child Care Educator

<u>Licenses</u>

Gold Seal Accreditation Family Child Care Home

References

Nathanial Boatwright-561-842-3671 Edna Pertilla- 561-687-4705 Ruth Walker 561-410-5786 Trinnette Morris 407-312-7145 Zipporah Scott 561-201-57 46

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PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CHILD CARE ADVISORY COUNCIL

LAUTHORITY :

Chapter 59-1698, Special Acts Laws of Florida, as amended by Chapters 77-620 and 2010-249, Special Act Laws of Florida; as amended by ORD. 2016-1421, adopted September 27, 2016.

II. APPOINTING BODY :

Board of County Commissioners

III. COMPOSITION, QUALIFICATIONS, TERMS & REMOVAL :

This Council shall be comprised of seven members consisting of: two members who represent and operate as a private enterprise a facility regulated under the Act, one of whom operates a family child care home or a large family child care home; one member who represents and operates a parochial facility regulated under the Act; one member who represents and operates a parochial facility regulated under the Act; one member who represents and operates a parochial facility regulated under the Act; one member who represents and operates a parochial facility regulated under the Act; one member who represents a consumer protection enforcement official; one member for fire protection, engineering, or technology; one member, who at the time of appointment is a parent of a child in a facility regulated under the Act; and one member who represents the Department of Children & Families. Council members appointed by the Board of County Commissioners serve three-year terms, with a limit of three consecutive terms with the exception of the Department of Children & Families' representative. Members' terms shall begin October 1 and end on September 30. Any vacancy occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term and shall not count toward the member's term limits. Council members must reside in the County at the time of appointment and while serving on the Council.

EXTENDED COMPOSITION :

IV. MEETINGS :

Currently meets at 9:00 a.m. the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 800 Clematis Street, West Palm Beach, FL.

V. FUNCTIONS :

The Council shall advise the BCC and make recommendations as to the issuance and revocation of license and as to rules and regulations necessary to protect the health and safety of persons in child care facilities, child care homes and a family day care facilities.

VI. LIAISON INFORMATION :

LIAISON DEPARTMENT

CONTACT PERSON

Florida Dept. of Health - Palm Beach Count Courtney Shippey MPA REHP

ADDRESS 800 Clematis St FI 4 Palm Beach County Health West Palm Beach FL 33401 Phone # 561-837-5971

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CONTRACT		CHILD CARE	ADVISORY COUNCIL			
	RACE CODE GENDE	BUSINESS / R HOME PHONE	SEAT REQUIREMENT	APPOINT DATE	REAPPOINT DATE	EXPIRE DATE
Appointed By : At-Large/Palm Beach County Board of County	nty Commission)rs				
1 Ruta Varnavicius Member C brightchildacademy@hotmail.com	XA F	561-685-9847	Private Child Care Facility Representative	05/15/2018		09/30/2021
301 Palmetto St West Palm Beach FL 33405						
NOMINATED BY :						
2 * Mary L Morris Member A msmim57@msn.com	A F	561-832-0472	Private Child Care Facility Representative	11/20/2012	03/14/2017	09/30/2019
504 Clear Lake Ave West Palm Beach FL 33401						
NOMINATED BY :						
3 Sandra Wilensky Member C/ psdirector@templebethtorah.com Temple Beth Torah of Palm Beach County, Inc. 900 Big Blue Tr Wellington FL 33414	AF.	561-793-2649	Represents/Operates Parochial Facility	04/16/2019		09/30/2020
NOMINATED BY :						
4 Terry D. Newton Member A4 tnewton@pbcgov.org Palm Beach County/Consumer Affairs Division 50 S Millitary Tr West Palm Beach FL 33415	A M	561-712-6600	Consumer Protection Enforcement Official	11/22/2016		09/30/2020
NOMINATED BY ;						
* Indicates a member having an action pending SpecificsBoardComp_Members.rpt	<u> </u>		e 2 of 3			10/24/2019

5	ewbrown@pbcgov.org Palm Beach County/Fire Rescue 405 Pike Rd West Palm Beach FL 33411	Member	CA	F	-	Fire Protection, Engineer or Technology Rep	02/01/2014	09/30/202 [,]
	NOMINATED BY :							
6	Kendra Barnes kend77@aol.com	Member	CA	F	561-691-1 891	Parent of a Child in Day Care	12/27/2006	09/30/2021
	4409 Applecrest Dr Palm Beach Gardens FL 33410							
	NOMINATED BY :							
7	Patricia D. Tilford patty_tilford@dcf.state.fl.us Fkorida Department of Children & 111 S Sapodilla Ave West Palm Beach FL 33401	Member Families	CA	٦	561-837-5840	Florida Department of Children & Families Rep.	12/18/2007	
	NOMINATED BY :							

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Palm Beach County Child Care Advisory Council Attendance Record

2017												
Council Member	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
	11	8	8	12	10	14	12	9	13	11	8	13
Louise Mancini - Chair	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present
Kendra Barnes - Vice	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present
Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	No Meeting	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant
Patty Tilford	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present
Mary Morris	Vacant	Vacant	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	No Meeting	Absent	Present	Present
Elyse Brown	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present
Terry Newton	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present

2018												
Council Member	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
	10	14	14	11	9	13	11	8	12	10	14	12
Louise Mancini - Chair	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
Kendra Barnes - Vice	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
Patty Tilford	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present
Mary Morris	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present
Elyse Brown	Absent	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present
Terry Newton	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
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2019

Council Member	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Council Member	9	13	13	10	8	12	10	14	11	9	13	11
Kendra Barnes - Chair	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present		
Elyse Brown - Vice	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present		
Patty Tilford	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent		
Mary Morris	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present		
Terry Newton	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present		
Ruta Varnavicius	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present		
Sandy Wilensky	No Meeting	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent		

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CHAPTER 2010-249

House Bill No. 1045

An act relating to Palm Beach County; amending chapter 59-1698, Laws of Florida, as amended; revising and providing definitions; providing requirements for the operation and licensing of large family child care homes; providing for the issuance of provisional licenses to child care facilities, large family child care homes, and family day care homes; updating obsolete language; revising requirements for Child Care Advisory Council membership; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Chapter 59-1698, Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 77-620, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 1. DEFINITIONS. The following words and phrases shall mean:

<u>1.a.</u> Children - Persons related to the operator of a facility regulated under this act under <u>13</u> 12 years of age, and all other persons under 18 years of age.

b. Child Boarding Homes - Any building or shelter in which, for 24 hours per day, custodial care is rendered to one to five children, inclusive, and which receives a payment, fee, or grant for any of the children receiving care, whether or not operating for profit, subject to the exemptions contained in Section 12 hereof.

<u>2.e.</u> Family Day Care <u>Home Facilities</u> - <u>An occupied residence Any</u> building or shelter in which custodial care is rendered to one to <u>six</u> five children, inclusive, for 2-24 hours per day and for which the owner or <u>operator</u> receives a payment, fee, or grant for any of the children receiving care, whether or not operating for profit, subject to the exemptions contained in Section <u>9</u> 12.

3. Large Family Child Care Home - An occupied residence in which custodial care is regularly provided for children, and for which the owner or operator receives a payment, fee, or grant for any of the children receiving care, whether or not operated for profit, and which has at least two full-time child care personnel on the premises during the hours of operation. One of the full-time child care personnel must be the owner or occupant of the residence. A large family child care home must first have operated as a licensed family day care home for 2 years, with an operator who has had a child development associate credential or its equivalent for 1 year, before seeking licensure as a large family child care home. A large family child care home shall be allowed to provide care for one of the following groups of

children, which shall include those children under 13 years of age who are related to the caregiver:

a. A maximum of eight children from birth to 24 months of age.

b. A maximum of 12 children with no more than four children under 24 months of age.

<u>4.d.</u> Child Care <u>Facility</u> Facilities - Any building or shelter in which custodial care is rendered to six or more children, and <u>for</u> which <u>the owner or operator</u> receives a payment, fee, or grant for any of the children receiving care, whether or not operating for profit, or which is held out to the public to be an establishment which regularly provides child custodial services.

Section 2. PERMIT REQUIRED FOR ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTE-NANCE AND OPERATION. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to establish, maintain, or operate in Palm Beach County, Florida, a child care facility, large family child care boarding home, or family day care <u>home facility</u> without first obtaining a permit therefor from a board, to be designated as the Child Care Facilities Board, and without permanently posting such permit in the child care facility, <u>large family</u> child <u>care boarding</u> home, or family day care <u>home facility</u>. Such Child Care Facilities Board shall be composed of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, hereafter referred to as the Board. The Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County shall be the Chairman of the Child Care Facilities Board, and the Board shall meet at least once every <u>3</u> three (3) months at a time and place designated by the Board.

Section 3. APPLICATION FOR PERMIT. Application for a permit to operate a child care facility, <u>large family</u> child <u>care boarding</u> home, or family day care <u>home facility</u> shall be made to the Board in writing, and on a form, and under regulations prescribed by the Board. The application shall state the name and address of the applicant, his <u>or her</u> occupational history and qualifications, the type and location of proposed operation, the number of persons to be accommodated, and such other information the Board may require.

Section 4. ISSUANCE OF LICENSE.

<u>1.</u> The Director of the Palm Beach County Health Department shall be charged with the administrative and financial responsibility of carrying out the duties of the Board, and <u>the Director he</u> or his <u>or her</u> representative shall inspect child care facilities, <u>large family</u> child <u>care boarding</u> homes, and family day care <u>homes facilities</u> as required by the Board. Said Board, when satisfied that minimum standards are met, shall issue a license in writing on a form prescribed by the Board. Such license shall be valid for a period of <u>1</u> one year unless revoked. It shall not be transferable or assignable.

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2. The Board may issue a provisional license for child care facilities, large family child care homes, or family day care homes. A provisional license shall not be issued for a period that exceeds 6 months and may only be renewed by the Board one time for a period not to exceed 6 months.

3. A provisional license shall not be issued unless the child care facility, large family child care home, or family day care home is in compliance with the requirements for screening of child care personnel and the requirements for ensuring the health and safety of the children in care.

Section 5. REVOCATION OF LICENSE. The Board may revoke a license if it finds that the operator has failed to comply with any provisions of this Act, or of any rule or regulation issued hereunder.

Section 6. MINIMUM STANDARDS, REASONABLE RULES AND REGULATIONS TO BE PRESCRIBED BY THE BOARD.

1. The Board shall make, <u>adopt promulgate</u>, amend, and repeal such rules and regulations as are necessary to protect the health and safety of persons in child care facilities, <u>large family</u> child <u>care boarding</u> homes, or family day care <u>homes facilities</u>; prescribing standards for living quarters, including provisions pertaining to sanitary conditions, light, air, safety, protection from fire hazards, equipment, operation, qualifications and number of staff, and such other matters as may be appropriate to protect the life and health of the occupants thereof. Standards established by rules and regulations of the Board shall meet or exceed state minimum standards, to wit: standards established by the Department of <u>Children and Family</u> <u>Health</u> and <u>Rehabilitative</u> Services pursuant to chapter 402, Florida Statutes.

2. The Board may make, <u>adopt promulgate</u>, amend, and repeal such rules and regulations as are necessary:

a. To require facilities regulated hereunder to secure liability insurance and set minimum limits and standards for carriers; and,

b. To establish fees for inspection and licensing under this Act.

No such rules and regulations of the Board shall be adopted or become effective until after a public hearing has been held by the Board pursuant to at least one notice published in a newspaper of general circulation in the County at least <u>10 ten (10)</u> days prior to the hearing. When approved by the Board and filed with the Clerk of the County Commission, such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law. Until the Board adopts rules and regulations, the state standards aforementioned shall apply to all facilities regulated by this Act.

Section 7. CHILD CARE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

1. The Board shall appoint a Child Care Advisory Council which shall be appointed by the Board of County Commissioners no later than <u>60 sixty (60)</u>

days after the effective date of this Act. Members of the Council shall serve at the pleasure of the Board of County Commissioners. The Council shall be composed of seven (7) members consisting of the following:

a. Two (2) members who represent and operate as a private enterprise a facility regulated hereunder, one of whom operates a family day care home or large family child care home.

b. One (1) member who represents and operates a parochial facility regulated hereunder.

c. One (1) member who represents a consumer protection enforcement official.

d. One (1) member for fire protection, engineering, or technology.

e. One (1) member who, at the time of appointment, is was a parent of a child in a facility regulated hereunder.

f. One (1) member who represents the Department of <u>Children and</u> <u>Family Health and Rehabilitative</u> Services.

2. The Council shall advise the Board and make recommendations as to the issuance and revocation of licenses and as to rules and regulations necessary to protect the health and safety of persons in child care facilities, <u>large family</u> child <u>care boarding</u> homes, or family day care <u>homes facilities</u>.

Section 8. RIGHT OF ENTRY. Members of the Board and its representatives may enter and inspect child care facilities, <u>large family</u> child <u>care</u> boarding homes, or family day care <u>homes</u> facilities at reasonable hours, and may question such persons and investigate such facts, conditions, and practices or matters as may be necessary or appropriate to determine whether any person has violated any provisions of this Act, or of any rule or regulation issued hereunder.

Section 9. EXEMPTIONS. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to any public or nonpublic school which is in compliance with the compulsory school attendance law, chapter 232, Florida Statutes, any summer camp having children in full time residence, summer day camp, or vacation Bible school, or any foster home, home for mentally retarded or handicapped children, juvenile detention facility, hospital, or other similar institution otherwise regulated for health standards by a governmental agency. However, this section shall not be deemed to exempt institutions or facilities <u>otherwise</u> other wise regulated by the Department of <u>Children and Family</u> <u>Health and Rehabilitative</u> Services pursuant to s. 402.301, et seq., Florida Statutes, as it may from time to time be amended or transferred.

Section 10. CIVIL ENFORCEMENT. Any violation of this Act or the rules and regulations of the Board <u>adopted</u> promulgated pursuant hereto shall be subject to enforcement by the Palm Beach County Environmental Control Officer and the Palm Beach County Environmental Control Act, chapter 70-862, Laws of Florida, as amended, and as it may in the future be amended or <u>reenacted</u> renacted.

Section 11. CRIMINAL PENALTY. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this Act is guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree punishable as provided by general law.

Section 12. ADVERTISING BY FACILITIES. It shall be unlawful for any person, persons, associations, partnerships, corporations, or institutions to offer or advertise to the public, in any way or by any medium whatsoever, <u>large family child care boarding</u> home, family day care <u>home</u>, facility or child care facility service <u>without</u> unless it has first <u>having</u> secured a license under the provisions of this Act. All advertisements advertising any such services shall include the license number of the license issued pursuant to this Act.

Section 13. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or invalid application and to this end the provisions of the Act are declared severable.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor May 26, 2010.

Filed in Office Secretary of State May 26, 2010.