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To: PAR Members and Associates

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ODP Issues Draft Bulletin on DRN Access to Records and Joint Investigations

Comments due to PAR by July 21; Comments due to ODP by July 31

Today, the Office of Developmental Programs (ODP) issued for review and comment a draft bulletin entitled “*Disability Rights Network Access to Records and Joint Investigations*.” The stated purpose of this draft bulletin is to communicate the merger of Pennsylvania Protection and Advocacy, Inc., (PP&A) and Disabilities Law Project (DLP) to create the Disability Rights Network (DRN), clarify procedures for site visits and access to records by DRN, and to issue ODP’s and DRN’s joint investigation protocol.

If you would like your comments considered for inclusion in PAR’s comments, please send them to laura@par.net no later than July 21. Comments are due directly to ODP by July 31. If you submit comments directly to ODP, please also copy laura@par.net.

ODP’s cover letter along with the draft bulletin and its attachment are included below. If you need assistance opening these files, please contact par@par.net or use your member access to download the files at www.par.net.



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