

G.S. 150B-21.3A Report for 10A NCAC 70M, ADOPTION STANDARDS

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SUBCHAPTER 70M - ADOPTION STANDARDS	SECTION .0100 - GENERAL	10A NCAC 70M .0101	SCOPE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. January 9, 2018	Necessary	No	
		10A NCAC 70M .0102	DEFINITIONS	Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 USC 673
	SECTION .0200 - ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	10A NCAC 70M .0201	PUBLIC ADOPTION AGENCY	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
	SECTION .0300 - FUNCTIONS OF A PUBLIC ADOPTION AGENCY	10A NCAC 70M .0301	GENERAL	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
		10A NCAC 70M .0302	SERVICES TO ADOPTIVE AP	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
		10A NCAC 70M .0304	MULTIETHNIC PLACEMENT	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	P.L. 103-382 P.L. 104-188
	SECTION .0400 - STANDARD MONTHLY CASH ADOPTION ASSISTANCE AND VENDOR PAYMENTS	10A NCAC 70M .0401	STANDARD MONTHLY CAS	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	P.L. 103-382 P.L. 104-188
		10A NCAC 70M .0402	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT	Readopted Eff. August 1,2021	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	42 USC 673(a)(2)(A)(i)(II) 42 USC 673(a)(2)(B) 42 USC 673(a)(2)(c) 42 USC 673(a)(7)(A)(i) 42 USC 673(a)(7)(B)
		10A NCAC 70M .0403	PROCEDURES/REIMBURSE	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	

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	SECTION .0500 - OUT-OF-STATE ADOPTION FEES	10A NCAC 70M .0501	PURPOSE OF OUT-OF-STATE	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
	SECTION .0600 – NONRECURRING ADOPTION COSTS	10A NCAC 70M .0601	PUBLIC ADOPTION AGENCY	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
		10A NCAC 70M .0602	ELIGIBLE NONRECURRING	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	Yes If yes, include the citation to the federal law	45 CFR 1356.41(e)(2)
		10A NCAC 70M .0604	PROHIBITION ON REIMBURSEMENT	Readopted Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
	SECTION .0700 – SPECIAL NEED ADOPTION INCENTIVE FUND	10A NCAC 70M .0701	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT	Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	
		10A NCAC 70M .0702	PAYMENTS FROM THE SPECIAL NEEDS	Eff. August 1, 2021	Necessary	No	