



**Georgia Department of Human Services**  
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**RULES  
OF  
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

**CHAPTER 290-7-1  
RECOVERY AND ADMINISTRATION OF CHILD SUPPORT**

**SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES**

The Georgia Department of Human Services, Division of Child Support Services (the "Department") proposes amendments to Chapter 290-7-1 of the Rules of the Georgia Department of Human Services related to Recovery and Administration of Child Support. Proposed amendments affect rules: 290-7-1-.03, 290-7-1-.04, 290-7-1-.05, 290-7-1-.06, and 290-7-1-.19.

Adoption of the proposed rule amendments will assist the Department in providing enforcement services. In response to bills passed during the 2018 Legislative Session, amendments to 290-7-1-.03 and 290-7-1-.19 will assure the Department's compliance with House Bill 790 and amendments to 290-7-1-.04 and 290-7-1-.06 will assure compliance with Senate Bill 427. Additionally, the amendment to 290-7-1-.05 will increase the annual maintenance fee from \$25 to \$35 in response to the revision in section 454(6)(B)(ii) of the Social Security Act.

It is not anticipated that the adoption of these rule amendments will impose excessive regulatory costs on any client and it is not foreseeable that any cost to comply with the proposed amendments can be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the duties required of the Department of Human Services, Division of Child Support Services.