

BRIGHT FROM THE START

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December 29, 2010

CERTIFIED MAIL # 7007 2680 0000 9817 2456

Ms. Janie Stanley Family Day Care Home 2354 Katie Ann Lane Dacula, Georgia 30019

RE: Notice of Revocation

Dear Ms. Stanley:

On October 27, 2010, the Child Care Services Division of Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning (Bright from the Start) concluded its complaint investigation. It was determined that serious rule violations occurred which could seriously affect the health and safety of the children in care and demonstrated the intentional and reckless disregard for the physical and mental health and safety of children in care. Specifically, an adult male residing in the home was arrested on October 4, 2010, and charged with Child Molestation against a four-year-old child, resulting in an unsatisfactory criminal records check. The rule violations for which Bright from the Start is basing the revocation are marked as Exhibit "A," which is a flagrant abuse that constitutes shocking intentional misconduct.

Based on your noncompliance with Rules and Regulations for Family Day Care Homes, you are hereby notified that the registration to operate as a family day care home is hereby revoked. Bright from the Start's legal authority for revoking a license is found in O.C.G.A. Sec. 20-1A-12(b)(3)(4), Sec. 20-1A-12(c)(5), and 20-1A-10(q), and the Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning's Rules for Family Day Care Homes, Chapter 290-2-3 of the Official Compilation Rules and Regulations of the State of Georgia.

In accordance with O.C.G.A Section 20-1A-10(o) this revocation becomes effective thirty (30) days from receipt of this Notice. You have the right to appeal the decision to revoke your registration to operate a family day care home by filing a written request for an administrative hearing before an Administrative Law Judge with the Office of State Administrative Hearings. The request must be made in writing within ten (10) days of receipt of this Notice and addressed to:

J. Ashley Peacock
Chief Legal Officer
Bright from the Start
Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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A hearing request stays or suspends the revocation.

If you do not appeal this action within ten (10) days of this Notice, the decision to revoke your registration will be final. Licensure staff will conduct a follow-up visit to verify closure.

Sincerely,

Kay K. Hellwig

Assistant Commissioner of Child Care Services

KKH/bep Attachment

cc: J. Ashley Peacock

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Rule Violation for:

Janie Stanley 2354 Katie Ann Lane Dacula, Georgia 30019

1. Rule 290-2-3-.04(2)(c)2.(i) Requires that no person having an unsatisfactory determination as to his or her criminal record may be a provider or employee of a home and no adult having an unsatisfactory determination as to his or her criminal record may reside at the home and have contact with the children.

During an investigation, it was determined that an adult male with an unsatisfactory criminal record resided at the address of the family day care home. A review of documents from Magistrate Court of Gwinnett County indicated that on October 4, 2010, an adult male who resided at the home was charged with Child Molestation O.C.G.A. §16-6-4(a) against a four-year-old child, that was in care at the family day care home.

The failure of the family day care home to comply with criminal record check requirements could possibly place children at risk of harm.