

ADDENDUM – INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

DJJ 19-003 Honorable Discharge

After publication of the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR), the Board became aware that amendments to the ISOR are necessary for corrective and clarity purposes. The Board is proposing to correct and clarify the following language as stated in the ISOR.

Page 5. Specific Purpose and Rational for Each Regulation Proposed for Amendment, Adoption, or Repeal, Section 4931:

Section 4931 is adopted and contains text contained in the current section 4996. In the ISOR, section 4996 was repealed in its entirety. It has been determined that the provisions contained in subsections (b) and (c) of section 4996 were erroneously repealed. Retention of these two provisions is necessary to ensure the Board maintains the ability to discharge youth consistent with Welfare and Institutions Code sections 1731 and 1731.5(b).

Page 8. Specific Purpose and Rational for Each Regulation Proposed for Amendment, Adoption, or Repeal, Section 4994.5(b) and (b)(1):

The revised regulatory text removes the word “documentation” in subsection (b) and replaces “documents” with “information” in subsection (b)(1). Although no public comments were submitted in response to these proposed regulations, the Board received an inquiry regarding the ability to submit a personal statement via video in lieu of a written statement. This proposed modification provides sufficient flexibility for the use of alternative formats to submit information to the Board.