CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FILED WITH THE LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY OTHNI LATHRAM, DIRECTOR

(Pursuant to Code of Alabama 1975, §41-22-6, as amended).
I certify that the attached is/are correct copy/copies of rule/s as promulgated and adopted on the $\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
AGENCY NAME: Alabama 9-1-1 Board
X Amendment New Repeal (Mark appropriate space)
Rule No. 585-X-410 (If amended rule, give specific paragraph, subparagraphs, etc., being amended)
Rule Title: Statewide 911 Charge Adjustment for the rate of growth in the CPI-U
ACTION TAKEN: State whether the rule was adopted with or without changes from the proposal due to written or oral comments:
Rule adopted without changes from the proposal due to written or oral comments.
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION PUBLISHED IN VOLUME XLI , ISSUE NO. 8 , AAM, DATED May 31 , 20 23 .
Statutory Rulemaking Authority: Code of Alabama 1975, Sections 11-98-1, 11-98-4.1, 11-98-5, as amended
(Date Filed) (For LSA Use Only) REC'D & FILED
JUL 20 2023 Certified Officer or his or her
LEGISLATIVE SVC AGENCY Deputy

(NOTE: In accordance with \$41-22-6(b), as amended, a proposed rule is required to be certified within 90 days after completion of the notice.

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