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## DEAR COUNTY DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES

## ATTENTION: CHILD SUPPORT MANAGERS AND SUPERVISORS

**SUBJECT:** NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY, PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION EVALUATION OF LOCAL CHILD SUPPORT PROGRAMS

The NC Child Support Program has received notification of a mandatory evaluation, to be conducted by the Program Evaluation Division of the NC General Assembly, to determine the effectiveness and efficiency of county child support programs. Sixteen (16) county child support offices will be selected for an onsite review in December 2013. These offices will receive notification as soon as the list of offices is finalized.

Attached for your information are documents that provide additional information about the evaluation. In early February a draft report will be issued, the final report to the General Assembly in mid March.

Your cooperation is appreciated. If you have questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Daisie B. Blue, Chief Child Support Services

Attachments: DHHS Engagement Letter/Confidentiality Agreement Program Evaluation Background Information

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