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Division: Temporary Assistance

TO: Local District Commissioners

SUBJECT: Food Stamp Error Rate for FFY 1995

ATTACHMENTS: Food Stamp Quality Control Data Analysis Report
10/1/94 thru 9/30/95 - not available on-line

This memorandum transmits the twelve month report of statewide FS/QC reviews for federal fiscal year (FFY) 1995 (10/94 to 9/95). The report contains both New York City and upstate case detail. The statewide food stamp payment error rate has decreased from 9.91% for FFY 1994 to 8.18% for FFY 1995. Both New York City and upstate error rates decreased: from 10.14% to 8.67% for NYC, and from 9.47% to 7.25% for upstate.

Earned Income errors continue to account for the majority of error dollars, representing slightly over 35% of the total error dollars statewide. Although the overall total of client caused errors has decreased since FFY 1994, the incidence of client caused errors in the Earned Income Error Cases has increased.

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