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SECTION 3 — STAFF-TO-CHILD RATIOS AND SUPERVISION

block 3.A — all 5 items

3.A The ratios themselves

3.1 The center ratio table (statute — cite it directly).

At this moment, in every group, are you within the statutory minimum? Count your largest group today: ____ staff ÷ ____ children = ____

Age group	Minimum staff : children
Birth through 1 year	1 : 4
1 year or older, under 2	1 : 6
2 years or older, under 3	1 : 11
3 years or older, under 4	1 : 15
4 years or older, under 5	1 : 20
5 years or older	1 : 25

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Note / evidence: _____

Source: §402.305(4)(a)1.–6., F.S.

3.2 Mixed-age group including a child under 1.

Is one staff member responsible for no more than four children of any age group, at all times, in any group of mixed ages that includes a child under one year?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Note / evidence: _____

Source: HB, Mixed Age Groups

3.3 Mixed-age group including a child 1 year but under 2.

Is one staff member responsible for no more than six children of any age group, at all times, in any group of mixed ages that includes a child aged one but under two?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Note / evidence: _____

Source: HB, Mixed Age Groups

3.4 Mixed-age group where all children are 2 or older.

Is the ratio based on the age group with the largest number of children in the group?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Note / evidence: _____

Source: §402.305(4)(a)7., F.S.

3.5 The ratio applies at all times.

Is the ratio (based on primary responsibility for the direct supervision of children) maintained at all times while children are in care — not just at the start of the day, not just indoors?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Note / evidence: _____

Source: HB, Ratios

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