

Section I

Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS

Division of Victim Services and Criminal Justice Programs

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
2A-2.2001 Definitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rule promulgation will clarify definitions and consolidate the relocation forms into the rule.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Definitions.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 960.045(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 960.03, 960.05, 960.065, 960.07, 960.12, 960.13, 960.15, 960.16, 960.17, 960.18, 960.195, 960.196, 960.198, 960.199 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Rick Nuss, Chief Bureau of Criminal Justice Programs, Department of Legal Affairs, PL-01, The Capitol, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS

Division of Victim Services and Criminal Justice Programs

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
2A-2.2002 Compensation Eligibility Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rule promulgation will clarify compensation eligibility requirements and consolidate the relocation forms into the rule.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Compensation Eligibility Requirements.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 960.045(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 960.03, 960.05, 960.065, 960.07, 960.12, 960.13, 960.15, 960.16, 960.17, 960.18, 960.194, 960.195, 960.196, 960.198, 960.199 FS.

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DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS

Division of Victim Services and Criminal Justice Programs

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
2A-2.2003 Schedule of Benefits

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rule promulgation will clarify schedule of benefits.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Schedule of Benefits.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 960.045(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 960.03, 960.05, 960.065, 960.07, 960.12, 960.13, 960.15, 960.16, 960.17, 960.18, 960.194, 960.195, 960.196, 960.198, 960.199 FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Rick Nuss, Chief Bureau of Criminal Justice Programs, Department of Legal Affairs, PL-01, The Capitol, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050.

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Section II

Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
6A-6.05282 College Reach-Out Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To clarify and update the academic and economic criteria sections which include specific criteria that participating postsecondary educational institutions use to determine the eligibility of a middle or high school student to participate in the College Reach-Out Program. In the academic criteria section, the academic year that a student's cumulative grade point average is below 2.5 will be removed and replaced with language that the student must meet this criterion at the

time the student applies for participation in the program. The academic criteria in which a student earned an academic course grade of a “C” or below in specific courses will be revised to include English Language Arts (ELA) and social studies. This revision will remove the criteria of a student needing a course grade of a “C” or below in math and science courses and replaces it with the option to consider a student’s course grade in any of the four core subject areas — ELA, math, science, and social studies, which will broaden opportunities for additional students to be eligible to participate in the program. A student’s performance in ELA and mathematics will be revised to expand the options of consideration and will allow a student’s performance on the Florida Standards Assessments (FSA), or on the Algebra I End-of-Course (EOC) Assessment to be considered. Criteria that relates to grade retention, school suspension or expulsion, truancy and a student’s participation in a Dropout Prevention Program will be removed. In the economic criteria section of the rule, “Free and Reduced-Price Lunch Program” will be removed and replaced with “school lunch program” to align with the eligibility descriptions under the federal Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act [42 U.S.C. §1758(b)(1)(A)]. The economic criteria related to a student’s family receiving “public assistance” will remove the calendar year that a student’s family receives such assistance and be replaced with the focus on the current status of a student’s family receiving public assistance. The outdated terminology used to describe a student as an “orphan or ward of the court with no taxable income” will be removed and replaced with updated terminology that describes such student as one who is “currently placed, or during the previous fiscal year was placed, in foster care.” The effect of this proposal is to clarify, update and provide more flexibility regarding the academic and economic criteria sections that are used to determine the eligibility of a student to participate in the College Reach-Out Program.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule revises the academic and economic criteria sections by which participating postsecondary educational institutions will use to determine the eligibility of a student to participate in the College Reach-Out Program.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is

required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: 1) no requirement for SERC was triggered under Section 120.541(1), F.S., and 2) based on past experiences with rules of this nature, the adverse impact or regulatory cost, if any, do not exceed nor would be expected to exceed any one of the economic analysis criteria set forth in Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. and is not expected to require legislative ratification.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(2)(n), 1007.34, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1007.34, FS.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 13, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Daytona State College, Event Center, 1200 W. International Speedway Blvd., Daytona Beach, FL 32114.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Melissa Ramsey, Executive Vice Chancellor, Division of Public Schools, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400, (850)245-0509.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-6.05282 College Reach-Out Program.

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Academic criteria. The academic criteria for the College Reach-Out Program are as follows:

(a) The student is a potential first-generation-in-college student;

(b) The student’s cumulative grade point average at the time the student applies for participation in the program ~~for the preceding academic year~~ is below 2.5;

(c) The student’s academic transcript at the time the student applies for participation in the program indicates course grades in English Language Arts (ELA), mathematics, and science or social studies at grade “C” or below; or

(d) The student has an achievement level below a Level 3 in English Language Arts (ELA) and mathematics, on the Florida Standards Assessments (FSA), or on the Algebra I End-of-Course (EOC) Assessment under Section 1008.22, F.S.;

~~(e) The student has been subject to grade retention and not promoted to the next grade during any academic year;~~

~~(f) The student has been suspended or expelled from school the previous school year;~~

~~(g) The student has incurred absences of more than twenty-five (25) school days in the previous school year; or~~

~~(h) The student has participated in a Dropout Prevention Program in the previous school year.~~

(4) Economic criteria. The economic criteria for the College Reach-Out Program are as follows:

(a) The student is eligible for ~~the~~ ~~Free~~ and ~~Reduced-Price~~ ~~Lunches~~ and participates in the school lunch program under the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act [42 U.S.C. §1758(b)(1)(A)]

(b) The student's family ~~receives~~ ~~received~~ ~~other~~ public assistance ~~during the preceding calendar year~~ and participates in assistance programs, such as (Supplemental Security Income and/or Housing Choice Voucher Program); or

(c) The student is ~~currently placed, or during the previous fiscal year was placed, in foster care an orphan or ward of the court with no taxable income.~~

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02, 1007.34 FS. Law Implemented 1007.34 FS. History—New 11-13-12, Amended 6-23-16,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Melissa Ramsey, Executive Vice Chancellor, Division of Public Schools.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 30, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: September 30, 2020

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: 6A-10.040
RULE TITLE: Basic Skills Requirements for Postsecondary Career Certificate Education

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To adopt the 2020-2021 CTE Basic Skills Exemption List, which will be incorporated by reference herein and clarify and update language to conform with statute.

SUMMARY: The State Board of Education adopts, by rule, standards of basic skill mastery for students completing postsecondary career certificate programs of 450 hours or more. Students enrolling in these certificate programs must complete a basic skills assessment within the first six weeks after admission to the program, and if necessary, the district or Florida college system institution offering the program must provide basic skills instruction. The statute provides for some exemptions. This rule amendment will adopt the 2020-2021 CTE Basic Skills Exemption List, which will be incorporated by reference and clarify and update language to conform with statute.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly

regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse effect on economic growth, business competitiveness, or any of the other forth in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. and will not require legislative ratification.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), 1004.91, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1004.91, FS.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 13, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Daytona State College, Event Center, 1200 W. International Speedway Blvd., Daytona Beach, FL 32114.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathleen Taylor, Bureau Chief, Division of Career and Adult Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 714, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400; Phone (850)245-9062.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-10.040 Basic Skills Requirements for Postsecondary Career Certificate Education.

(1) through (7) No change.

(8) The following students are exempt from this section and the designated program administrator must receive an official copy of the degree, transcript, or test score in order to allow any of these exemptions.

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) One who passes a state, national or industry certification or licensure examination related to their career certificate program and identified in the "~~2020-2021~~~~2019-2020~~ Basic Skills Licensure Exemption List," which is incorporated by reference herein <http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5652/urlt/2020-21basicskills-with-License-exempt.rtf> <http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/5652/urlt/2019-2020-basicskills-with-License-exempt.rtf> (<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-44361>). The Basic Skills Licensure Exemption List may be requested from the Department of Education, Division of

Career and Adult Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400.

(d) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), 1004.91(1) FS. Law Implemented 1004.91 FS. History—New 10-8-85, Formerly 6A-10.40, Amended 5-2-89, 9-5-93, 11-25-97, 1-24-99, 4-26-06, 7-21-08, 5-18-14, 8-26-15, 6-23-16, 2-20-18, 12-22-19,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Kathleen Taylor, Bureau Chief, Division of Career and Adult Education.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 08, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: December 2, 2020

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: 6A-10.060
RULE TITLE: The Dale Hickam Excellent Teaching Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To repeal the Dale Hickam Excellent Teaching Program rule as the state-funded fee subsidy was eliminated by the Florida Legislature during the fall 2008 legislative session. The federal subsidy previously provided by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) was discontinued. Candidates may still pursue NBPTS certification, but at their own expense or with district support.

SUMMARY: This rule is to be repealed.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse effect on economic growth, business competitiveness, or any of the other forth in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. and will not require legislative ratification.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal

for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(2)(n), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1012.72, FS.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 13, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Daytona State College, Event Center, 1200 W. International Speedway Blvd., Daytona Beach, FL 32114.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Virginia Whitaker, Sr. Program Director, Recruitment and Recognition, Virginia.Whitaker@fldoe.org.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-10.060 The Dale Hickam Excellent Teaching Program. Rulemaking Authority 1012.72 FS. Law Implemented 1012.72 FS. History—New 7-12-99, Amended 5-29-00, 5-25-04, 6-21-05. Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Virginia Whitaker, Sr. Program Director, Recruitment and Recognition.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 30, 2020

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO 25-6.043
RULE TITLE Investor-Owned Electric Utility Minimum Filing Requirements; Commission Designee

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To update and clarify the rule concerning filing requirements to provide more clarity of the rule requirements and to improve administrative efficiency.

Docket No. 20200193-PU

SUMMARY: The rule is amended to update and clarify rule requirements; the number of paper copies required to be filed by electric utilities in rate cases is decreased; certain requirements for e-filing documents are updated; and the Commission designee is changed to the Director of the office of primary responsibility for the rate filing.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has been prepared by the agency. The SERC examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2), FS, and

concluded that the rule amendment will not have an adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness, or small business, and there would be no transactional costs likely to be incurred by individuals and entities (including local government entities) required to comply with the requirements of the rules. The SERC concluded that the proposed rules will result in administrative efficiency and in cost reductions that will be beneficial to utilities and their customers.

The agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: based upon the information contained in the SERC.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05(1), (2), 366.06(1) FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.04(2)(f), 366.06(1)-(4), 366.071 FS

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathryn G.W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6199, kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS: [TYPE AND STRIKE VERSION]

25-6.043 Investor-Owned Electric Utility Petition for Rate Increase Minimum Filing Requirements; Commission Designee.

(1) General Filing Instructions.

(a) The petition under Sections 366.06 and 366.071, F.S., for adjustment of rates and must include or be accompanied by:

1. The information required by Commission Form PSC 1026 (12/20) PSC/AFD/011 E (2/04), entitled "Minimum Filing Requirements for Investor-Owned Electric Utilities," which is incorporated into this rule by reference, and is available at [hyperlink]. The form may be obtained from the Commission's Division of Accounting and Finance. This form is also available on the Commission's website, www.floridapsc.com.

2. No change.

3. Prepared Copies of prepared direct testimony and exhibits for each witness testifying on behalf of the utility Company. Each witness's prefiled testimony and exhibits shall

be on numbered pages and all exhibits shall be attached to the witness's testimony.

(b) In compiling the required schedules, a utility must ~~company shall~~ follow the policies, procedures and guidelines prescribed by the Commission in relevant rules and in the utility's company's last rate case or in a more recent rate case involving a comparable utility. ~~These schedules shall be identified appropriately (e.g., Schedule B 1 would be designated Company Schedule B 1 Company basis).~~

(c) Each schedule must shall be cross-referenced to identify related schedules as either supporting schedules or recap schedules. If a schedule requires certain information, a utility may on that schedule reference a different schedule that provides that same information.

(d) The dimensions of each page, regardless of format, must be 8 1/2 by 11 inches, and each page must be numbered. Each page of the filing shall be numbered on 8 1/2 x 11 inch paper. Each witness' prefiled testimony and exhibits shall be on numbered pages and all exhibits shall be attached to the proponent's testimony.

(e) Except for handwritten official company records, all data in the petition, testimony, exhibits and minimum filing requirements must shall be typed.

(f) Each schedule must shall indicate the name of the witness responsible for its presentation.

(g) All schedules involving investment data must shall be completed on an average investment basis. Unless a specific schedule requests otherwise, average is defined as the average of 13 monthly balances.

(h) The petition and information required by Subsection (1) of this rule must be e-filed by the utility. Twenty one copies of the filing, consisting of the petition and its supporting attachments, testimony, and exhibits, shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk. Ten paper copies of the filing, clearly labeled "COPY," and Commission Form PSC 1026 (12/20) in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked, must be provided to the Office of Commission Clerk within seven calendar days of the electronic filing. Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail.

(i) Any proposed. Whenever the company proposes any corrections, updates or other changes to the original filing must be e-filed by the utility originally filed data, 21 copies shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk. Ten paper copies of the proposed corrections, updates or other changes, clearly labeled "COPY," and any schedules in Commission Form PSC 1026 (12/20) that have been changed must be provided to the Office of Commission Clerk within seven calendar days of the electronic filing. Any schedules in Commission Form PSC 1026 (12/20) that have been changed must be provided in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked.

Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail. On the same day as the e-filing, the utility must serve an electronic copy of the filing on each party, with copies also served on all parties at the same time.

~~(2) The Director of the division that has been assigned primary responsibility for the filing is Commission Designee: Division of Accounting and Finance shall be the designee of the Commission designee for purposes of determining whether the utility has met the minimum filing requirements imposed by this rule. In making this determination, the Director shall consider whether information that would have been provided in a particular schedule required by this rule has been provided to the same degree of detail in another required schedule that the utility incorporates by reference.~~

Rulemaking Authority ~~350.127(2), 366.05(1), (2), 366.06(1), (3) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(f), 366.06(1), (2), (3), (4), 366.071 FS. History—New 5-27-81, Formerly 25-6.43, Amended 7-5-90, 1-31-00, 2-12-04, _____.~~

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Cheryl Bulecza-Banks

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE:

Florida Public Service Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD:

December 1, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR:

Volume 46, Number 171, September 1, 2020.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO: 25-7.039
 RULE TITLE: Natural Gas Utility Petition for Rate Increase; Commission Designee

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To update and clarify the rule concerning filing requirements to provide more clarity of the rule requirements and to improve administrative efficiency.

Docket No. 20200193-PU

SUMMARY: The rule is amended to update and clarify rule language; reduce the number of paper copies required to be filed with an application for a rate increase and address certain requirements for e-filing documents; to change the Commission designee to the Director of the office of primary responsibility for the rate filing; and to delete obsolete language concerning waivers.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has been prepared by the agency. The SERC

examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2), FS, and concluded that the rule amendments will not have an adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness, or small business, and there would be no transactional costs likely to be incurred by individuals and entities (including local government entities) required to comply with the requirements of the rules. The SERC concluded that the proposed rules will result in administrative efficiency and in cost reductions that will be beneficial to utilities and their customers.

The agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: based upon the information contained in the SERC.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05(1), 366.06(3) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.06(3), 366.071 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathryn G.W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6199, kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS: [TYPE AND STRIKE VERSION]

25-7.039 Natural Gas Utility Petition for Rate Increase Minimum Filing Requirements; Commission Designee.

(1) General Filing Instructions.

(a) The petition under Sections 366.06 and 366.071, F.S., for an adjustment of rates must include or be accompanied by:

1. The information required by Commission Form PSC 1027 (12/20) PSC/AFD 10-G (11/89), entitled "Investor Owned Natural Gas Utilities Minimum Filing Requirements," which is incorporated into this rule by reference, and is available at [hyperlink]. The form may be obtained from the Commission's Division of Accounting and Finance. This form is also available on the Commission's website, www.floridapsc.com.

2. No change.

3. Prepared Copies of prepared direct testimony and exhibits for each witness testifying on behalf of the utility company. Each witness's prefiled testimony and exhibits shall be on numbered pages and all exhibits shall be attached to the witness's testimony.

(b) In compiling the required schedules, a ~~utility must company shall~~ follow the policies, procedures and guidelines prescribed by the Commission in relevant rules and in the utility's ~~company's~~ last rate case or in a more recent rate case involving a comparable utility. ~~These schedules shall be identified appropriately (e.g. Schedule B-1 would be designated Company Schedule B-1—Company basis).~~

(c) Each schedule ~~must shall~~ be cross-referenced to identify related schedules as either supporting schedules and/or recap schedules. If a schedule requires certain information, a utility may on that schedule reference a different schedule that provides that same information.

(d) The dimensions of each page, regardless of format, must be 8 ½ by 11 inches, and each page must be numbered. Each page of the filing shall be numbered on 8 1/2" x 11" inch paper. Each witness' prefiled testimony and exhibits shall be on numbered pages and all exhibits shall be attached to the proponent's testimony.

(e) Except for handwritten official ~~utility company~~ records, all data in the petition, testimony, exhibits and minimum filing requirements ~~must shall~~ be typed.

(f) Each schedule ~~must shall~~ indicate the name of the witness responsible for its presentation.

(g) All schedules involving investment data ~~must shall~~ be completed on an average investment basis. Unless a specific schedule requests otherwise, average is defined as the average of thirteen (13) monthly balances.

(h) The ~~Twenty (20) copies of the~~ filing, consisting of the petition and its supporting attachments, testimony, and exhibits, must be e-filed by the utility shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk. Ten paper copies of the filing, clearly labeled "COPY," and Commission Form PSC 1027 (12/20) in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked, must be provided to the Office of Commission Clerk within seven calendar days of the electronic filing. Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail.

(i) Any proposed ~~Whenever the company proposes any~~ corrections, updates or other changes to the original filing must be e-filed by the utility originally filed data, twenty (20) copies shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk. Ten paper copies of the proposed corrections, updates or other changes, clearly labeled "COPY," and any schedules in Commission Form PSC 1027 (12/20) that have been changed must be provided to the Office of Commission Clerk within seven calendar days of the electronic filing. Any schedules in Commission Form PSC 1027 (12/20) that have been changed must be provided in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked. Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail. On the same day as the e-filing, the utility must serve

an electronic copy of the filing on each party, with copies also served on all parties at the same time.

(2) The Director of the division that has been assigned the primary responsibility for the filing is Commission Designee. The Deputy Executive Director, Technical shall be the designee of the Commission designee for purposes of determining whether the utility has met the minimum filing requirements imposed by this rule.

~~(3) Waiver of MFR Requirements. The Commission may grant a waiver with respect to specific data required by this rule upon a showing that production of the data would be impractical or impose an excessive economic burden upon the company.~~

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 366.05(1), 366.06 (3) FS. Law Implemented 366.06(3), 366.071 FS. History—New 5-27-81, Formerly 25-7.39, Amended 11-21-89, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Cheryl Bulecza-Banks

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Public Service Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 1, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 46, Number 171, September 1, 2020.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
25-22.0406	Notice and Public Information on General Rate Increase Requests and Petitions for Limited Proceedings by Electric and Gas Utilities
25-22.0407	Notice of and Public Information for General Rate Increase Requests by Water and Wastewater Utilities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend notice and public information requirements for electric and gas, water, and wastewater utilities filing for general rate increase requests and electric and gas utilities petitions for limited proceedings to delete obsolete language, clarify and update rule requirements, and improve administrative efficiency.

Docket No. 20200193-PU

SUMMARY: These rules are amended to update and clarify rule language; to eliminate the requirement to file paper copies of rate case documents at various locations; and to require utilities to provide the public and governmental entities with electronic access to rate case documents.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase

directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has been prepared by the agency. The SERC examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2), FS, and concluded that the rule amendments will not have an adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness, or small business, and there would be no transactional costs likely to be incurred by individuals and entities (including local government entities) required to comply with the requirements of the rules. The SERC concluded that the proposed rules will result in administrative efficiency and in cost reductions that will be beneficial to utilities and their customers.

The agency has determined that the proposed rules are not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: based upon the information contained in the SERC.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05, 366.06(1), 367.121(1)(f) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.569, 120.57, 366.03, 366.041(1), 366.05(1), 366.06(1), 366.076(1), 367.081(2)(a), 367.0814(1), 367.0817, 367.091, 367.121(1)(a) FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathryn G. W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6199, kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS: [TYPE AND STRIKE VERSION]

25-22.0406 Notice and Public Information on General Rate Increase Requests and Petitions for Limited Proceedings by Electric and Gas Utilities.

(1) The provisions of this rule ~~apply shall be applicable~~ to all requests for general rate increases and to all limited proceedings filed by electric and gas utilities pursuant to Rules 25-6.0431 and 25-7.0391, F.A.C.

(2) The following noticing procedures ~~shall~~ apply to requests for a general rate increase:

(a) The utility must establish a clearly identifiable link on the utility's website to provide electronic access to the utility's petition and Minimum Filing Requirements (MFRs). ~~The utility shall mail a copy of the petition to the chief executive officer of~~

~~the governing body of each municipality and county within the service area affected.~~

(b) The utility ~~must shall~~ establish a clearly identifiable link on the utility's website to provide the address on the Commission's website that provides electronic access to all documents filed in the rate case.

(c) Upon filing a petition for a general rate increase, the utility must notify the chief executive officer of the governing body of each municipality and county within the service areas included in the rate request that the utility has petitioned for a general rate increase and must clearly identify the Commission-assigned docket number. The notification must be accompanied by a statement that a copy of the petition and MFRs can be accessed on the Commission's website.

~~(e) Location of Minimum Filing Requirements.~~

~~1. Within 15 days after it has been notified by the Commission that the Minimum Filing Requirements (MFRs) have been met, the utility shall place a copy of the MFRs at its official headquarters and at a location approved by the Commission staff in each municipality in which service hearings were held in the last general rate case of the utility.~~

~~2. Within 15 days after the time schedule has been posted on the Commission's website, copies of the MFRs shall be placed in a location approved by Commission staff in each additional city in which service hearings are to be held in the current rate case.~~

~~3. In addition to the locations listed above, if the Commission staff determines that the locations listed above will not provide adequate access, the Commission staff will require that copies of the MFRs be placed at other specified locations.~~

~~4. Copies of the MFRs shall be available for public inspection during the regular business hours of the location hosting the MFRs and through a link on the utility's website.~~

~~(d) No change.~~

1. Within 15 days after the time schedule for the case has been posted to the Commission's website, the utility ~~must shall~~ prepare and submit to the Commission staff for approval a synopsis of the rate request. The synopsis ~~must shall~~ include:

a. through d. No change.

e. The website addresses ~~locations~~ at which complete MFRs are available.

2. Within 7 days following approval of the synopsis, the utility must establish a clearly identifiable link on its website to provide electronic access to the synopsis and must provide this link ~~copies of the synopsis shall be distributed to the same locations as required for the MFRs, to the main county library within or most convenient to the service area, and to the chief executive officer of each county and municipality within the service area affected.~~

(e) Within 15 days after the rate case time schedule has been posted on the Commission's website, the utility ~~must shall~~

prepare and submit a customer notice to Commission staff for approval. The customer notice ~~must shall~~ include:

1. through 7. No change.

(f) The utility ~~must shall~~ begin sending the notice to customers within 30 days after it has been approved by Commission Staff.

(3) The following noticing procedures ~~shall~~ apply to a petition for a limited proceeding filed pursuant to Rules 25-6.0431 and 25-7.0391, F.A.C.:

(a) The utility ~~must shall~~ establish a clearly identifiable link on the utility’s website to the address on the Commission’s website that provides electronic access to all documents filed in the limited proceeding.

(b) Within 15 days after the time schedule for the limited proceeding has been posted to the Commission’s website, the utility ~~must shall~~ prepare and submit a customer notice to the Commission staff for approval. The customer notice ~~must shall~~ contain:

1. through 7. No change.

(c) The utility ~~must shall~~ begin sending the notice to customers within 30 days after it has been approved by staff.

(4) All customer notices prepared pursuant to this rule ~~must shall~~ be sent to the customer’s address of record at the time the notice is issued, in the manner in which the customer typically receives the monthly bill, whether electronically or via U.S. mail.

(5) All customer notices regarding the locations and time of any service hearings or customer meetings ~~must shall~~ be sent to the customer no less than 10 days, or more than 45 days, prior to the first service hearing or customer meeting.

(6) At least 7 days and not more than 20 days prior to any service hearing or customer meeting, the utility ~~must shall~~ have published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area in which the hearing or customer meeting is to be held a display advertisement stating the date, time, location and purpose of the hearing or customer meeting. The advertisement ~~must shall~~ be approved by the Commission staff prior to publication.

(7) When the Commission issues proposed agency action and a hearing is subsequently held, the utility ~~must shall~~ give written notice of the hearing to its customers at least 14 days in advance of the hearing. This notice ~~must shall~~ be approved by the Commission staff prior to distribution.

(8) After the Commission’s issuance of an order granting or denying a rate change, the utility ~~must shall~~ give notice to its customers of the order and the revised rates. The notice ~~must shall~~ be approved in advance by the Commission or its staff and transmitted to the customers with the first bill containing the new rates.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 366.05, 366.06(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.03, 366.041(1), 366.05(1), 366.06(1), 366.076(1)

FS. History—New 9-27-83, Formerly 25-22.406, Amended 5-27-93, 5-3-99, 10-8-13, _____.

25-22.0407 Notice of and Public Information for General Rate Increase Requests by Water and Wastewater Utilities.

(1) This rule applies to all requests for general rate increases made by water and wastewater utilities.

(2) Upon filing a petition for a general rate increase, the utility ~~must notify shall mail a copy of the petition to~~ the chief executive officer of the governing body of each municipality and county within the service areas included in the rate request that the utility has petitioned for a general rate increase and must clearly identify the Commission-assigned docket number. The notification ~~must~~ Each copy of the petition shall be accompanied by a statement that a copy of the petition and Minimum Filing Requirements (MFRs) when accepted by the Commission can be accessed on the Commission’s website obtained from the petitioner upon request.

~~(3) Within 30 days after the official date of filing established by the Commission, the utility shall place a copy of the petition and the MFRs at its official headquarters and at any business offices it has in the service areas included in the rate request. Such copies shall be have a business office in a service area included in its rate request, the utility shall place a copy of the petition and the MFRs at the main county library, the local community center or other appropriate location which is within or most convenient to the service area and which is willing to accept and provide public access to the copies. If the Commission determines that these locations will not provide adequate access, the Commission will require that copies of the petition and MFRs be placed at other specified locations.~~

~~(4)(a) Within 30 days after the official date of filing established by the Commission, the utility shall place a copy of its rate case synopsis at all locations where copies of the petition and MFRs were placed.~~

~~(3)(a)(b)~~ Within 30 days after the official date of filing established by the Commission, the utility ~~must notify shall mail a copy of its rate case synopsis to~~ the chief executive officer of the governing body of each municipality and county within the service areas included in the rate request that the utility’s rate case synopsis can be accessed on the Commission’s website.

~~(b)(e)~~ The utility’s rate case synopsis ~~must shall~~ be approved by the Commission staff prior to distribution and ~~must shall~~ include the following:

1. through 4. No change.

5. A statement that the MFRs can be accessed on the Commission’s website. The locations where complete MFRs are available.

~~(4)(5)(a)~~ Within 50 days after the official date of filing established by the Commission, the utility ~~must shall~~ provide,

in writing, an initial customer notice to all customers within the service areas included in the rate request and to all persons in the same service areas who have filed a written request for service or who have been provided a written estimate for service within the 12 calendar months prior to the month the petition is filed.

(b) The initial customer notice must shall be approved by Commission staff prior to distribution and must shall include the following:

1. through 2. No change.

3. A statement ~~that of the locations where copies of the MFRs, petition, and rate case synopsis are available on the Commission's website for public inspection and the hours and days when inspection may be made,~~

4. through 10 No change

(c) The initial customer notice must shall be mailed to the out-of-town address of all customers who have provided the utility with an out-of-town address.

~~(5)(6)~~(a) No less than 14 days and no more than 30 days prior to the date of each service hearing, in those cases where the Commission has scheduled a service hearing, the utility must shall provide written notice of the date, time, location, and purpose of the service hearing to all customers within service areas designated by the prehearing officer or the Commission staff. The notice must shall be approved by the Commission staff prior to distribution. The notice must shall be mailed to the out-of-town address of all customers who have provided the utility with an out-of-town address.

(b) No less than 14 days and no more than 30 days prior to the date of the hearing, in all cases, including those in which the Commission has scheduled a service hearing, the utility must shall provide written notice of the date, time, location, and purpose of the hearing to all customers within the service areas included in the rate request. The notice must shall be approved by Commission staff prior to distribution. The notice must shall be mailed to the out-of-town address of all customers who have provided the utility with an out-of-town address.

~~(6)(7)~~ No less than 14 days and no more than 30 days prior to the date of each hearing held in or near a utility service area included in the rate request, the utility must shall have published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area in which such hearing is to be held a display advertisement stating the date, time, location, and purpose of the hearing. The notice must shall be approved by Commission staff prior to publication.

~~(7)(a)(8)~~ When a utility files ~~for~~ a petition for a general rate increase and requests that its case be processed as proposed agency action in accordance with Section 367.081(10), F.S., the utility must shall comply with the requirements of subsections (2), (3), and (4) ~~and~~ (5), of this rule.

~~(b)(a)~~ No less than 14 days and no more than 30 days prior to the date of a customer meeting conducted by the Commission

staff, the utility must shall provide written notice of the date, time, location, and purpose of the customer meeting to all customers within service areas designated by the Commission staff. The notice must shall be approved by Commission staff prior to distribution. The notice must shall be mailed to the out-of-town address of all customers who have provided the utility with an out-of-town address.

~~(c)(b)~~ If the proposed agency action order issued in the case is protested and any hearings are subsequently held, the utility must shall give notice in accordance with subsections (5) and (6) ~~and~~ (7), above.

~~(8)(a)(9)~~ When a utility applies for a staff-assisted rate case in accordance with Section 367.0814, F.S., and Rule 25-30.455, F.A.C., and staff-assistance is granted, the requirements of subsections (2), (3), and (4) ~~and~~ (5), of this rule, do shall not apply.

~~(a) Upon receipt of the staff reports, the utility shall place two copies of its application for staff assistance and the staff reports at any business offices it has in its service area. Such copies shall be available for public inspection during the utility's regular business hours. If the utility does not have a business office in its service area, the utility shall place two copies of its application and the staff reports at the main county library, the local community center or other appropriate location that is within or most convenient to the service area and that is willing to accept and provide public access to the copies.~~

(b) No less than 14 days and no more than 30 days prior to the date of a customer meeting conducted by the Commission staff, the utility must shall provide, in writing, a customer meeting notice to all customers within its service area and to all persons in the same service areas who have filed a written request for service or who have been provided a written estimate for service within the 12 calendar months prior to the month the petition is filed.

(c) The customer meeting notice must shall be approved by the Commission staff prior to distribution and must shall include the following:

1. through 3. No change.

4. A statement that the Commission staff has prepared a staff report of its initial analysis of the case.

5.4. The website address where the staff report is available.
~~A statement of the location where copies of the application and the staff reports are available for public inspection and the times during which inspection may be made.~~

~~6.5.~~ A comparison of current rates and charges and the proposed new rates and charges.

~~7.6.~~ The utility's address, telephone number, and business hours.

~~8.7.~~ A statement that written comments regarding utility service or the proposed rates and charges should be addressed to the Office of Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak

Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, and that such comments should identify the docket number assigned to the proceeding.

~~9.8.~~ A statement that complaints regarding service may be made to the Commission’s Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach at the following toll-free number: 1(800)342-3552.

~~10.9.~~ A statement that the Commission will be reviewing the utility’s service availability charges in the pending case and that the Commission may adjust those charges.

~~11.10.~~ The docket number assigned by the Commission’s Office of Commission Clerk.

(d) The customer meeting notice ~~must shall~~ be mailed to the out-of-town address of all customers who have provided the utility with an out-of-town address.

(e) If the proposed agency action order issued in the case is protested and any hearings are subsequently held, the utility ~~must shall~~ give notice in accordance with subsections (5) and (6) ~~and (7)~~, above.

~~(9)(10)~~ After the Commission issues an order granting or denying a rate change, the utility ~~must shall~~ notify its customers of the order and any revised rates. The customer notification ~~must shall~~ be approved by Commission staff and be distributed no later than with the first bill containing any revised rates.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.121(1)(f) FS. Law Implemented 120.569, 120.57, 367.081(2)(a), 367.0814(1), 367.0817, 367.091, 367.121(1)(a) FS. History–New 5-27-93, Amended 5-3-99,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Cheryl Bulecza-Banks
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Public Service Commission
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 1, 2020
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLES:
25-30.436	General Information and Instructions Required of Water and Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase
25-30.437	Financial, Rate, and Engineering Minimum Filing Requirements for Water and

25-30.438	Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase
25-30.4385	Information Required in Application for Rate Increase From Utilities with Related Parties
25-30.440	Additional Rate Information Required in Application for Rate Increase
25-30.443	Additional Engineering Information Required of Class A and B Water and Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase
25-30.443	Minimum Filing Requirements for Class C Water and Wastewater Utilities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of amending Rules 25-30.436 and 25-30.437 is to clarify and update filing requirements for water and wastewater utility rate increase requests. The purpose of repealing Rules 25-30.438, 25-30.4385 is to delete obsolete requirements. The purpose of repealing Rules 25-30.440 and 25-30.443 is to move filing requirements into Rule 25-30.437. The effect of these amendments and repeals would be to delete unnecessary, obsolete, or duplicate rule provisions; clarify and update rule requirements; and improve administrative efficiency.

Docket No. 20200193-PU

SUMMARY: Rule 25-30.436, F.A.C., is amended to require e-filing of rate case application documents and to reduce the number of paper copies of documents that need to be filed; to incorporate the filing requirements for Class C water and wastewater utilities that were previously in Rule 25-30.443 , F.A.C.; the requirement for an affidavit of compliance with Rule 25-22.0407, F.A.C., is change to requiring a statement signed by a utility officer; land record requirement language is updated for consistency with other rules; the Commission designee is changed to the Director of the office of primary responsibility for the rate filing; and the rule defines the “good cause” that is required for an extension of time for submitting rate case expense following issuance of the final order. Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C., is amended to state that the rule requirements apply to Class C water and wastewater utilities, which were duplicated in Rule 25-30.443, F.A.C.; the engineering requirements previously in Rule 25-30.440, F.A.C., are merged into Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C. As a result of Rules 25-30.440 and 25-30.443, F.A.C., being merged into other rules, they are repealed as unnecessary. Rules 25-30.438 and 25-30.4385, F.A.C., are repealed as obsolete and unnecessary.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has been prepared by the agency. The SERC

examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2), FS, and concluded that the rule amendments/repeals will not have an adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness, or small business and there would be no transactional costs likely to be incurred by individuals and entities (including local government entities) required to comply with the requirements of the rules. The SERC concluded that the proposed rules will result in administrative efficiency and in cost reductions that will be beneficial to utilities and their customers.

The agency has determined that the proposed rules are not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: based upon the information contained in the SERC.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 367.0182(5), 367.121 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 367.081, 367.0812, 367.082, 367.083, 367.121 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathryn G. W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6199, kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS: [TYPE AND STRIKE VERSION]

25-30.436 General Information and Instructions Required of ~~Class A and B~~ Water and Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase.

(1) Each applicant for a rate increase must shall provide the following general information to the Commission:

(a) through (e) No change.

(f) A statement ~~An affidavit~~ signed by an officer of the utility that states that the utility will comply with Rule 25-22.0407, F.A.C.

(g) A statement whether the applicant requests to have the case processed using the proposed agency action procedure outlined in Section 367.081(10) ~~367.081(8)~~, F.S.

(2) The applicant's petition for rate relief will not be deemed filed until the appropriate filing fee has been paid and all minimum filing requirements set forth in this rule and in Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C., have been met, including filing of the applicant's prepared direct testimony unless the applicant has filed its petition pursuant to Section 367.081(10) ~~367.081(8)~~,

F.S. At a minimum, the direct testimony shall explain why the rate increase is necessary and address those areas anticipated at the time of filing to be at issue.

(3) The applicant must shall state any known deviation from the policies, procedures and guidelines prescribed by the Commission in relevant rules or in the company's last rate case.

(4) The rate case application and information required by this rule must be e-filed by the utility with the Office of Commission Clerk. Within seven calendar days after the electronic filing, the utility must provide to the Office of Commission Clerk ten paper copies of the filing, clearly labeled "COPY," and, as applicable, Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) for a Class A utility, Form PSC 1029 (12/20) for a Class B utility, or Commission Form PSC 1030 (12/20) for a Class C utility, which are incorporated by reference in Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C. For Class A and B utilities, only two copies of Schedule E-14, entitled Billing Analysis Schedules, are required. For Class C utilities, only two copies of Schedule E-6, entitled Billing Analysis Schedules, are required. The applicable Commission Form must be provided in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked. Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail.

~~(5)~~(4) In the rate case application:

(a) Each schedule must shall be cross-referenced to identify related schedules as either supporting schedules or recap schedules.

(b) Each page of the filing must shall be consecutively numbered on 8 1/2 x 11-inch paper.

(c) Except for handwritten official company records, all data in the petition, exhibits and minimum filing requirements must shall be typed.

~~(d) Sixteen copies shall be filed with the Commission's Office of Commission Clerk, except as specifically identified in paragraph (4)(h) below or in Rule 25-30.437, 25-30.4385 or 25-30.440, F.A.C.~~

~~(d)(e) Any proposed~~ Whenever the applicant proposes any corrections, updates or other changes to the originally filed data must be e-filed by the utility, 20 copies shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk. Within seven calendar days after the electronic filing, the utility must provide to the Office of Commission Clerk ten paper copies of the filing, clearly labeled "COPY." Any schedules that have been changed must be provided in Microsoft Excel format with formulas intact and unlocked. Excel files may be provided in media such as a USB flash drive, CD, or DVD, but may not be submitted by e-mail. On the same day as the e-filing, the utility must serve an electronic copy of the filing on each party, with copies also served on all parties of record at the same time.

~~(e)(f)~~ If the capital structure contains zero or negative equity, a return on equity must shall be requested, which shall

be up to the maximum of the return of the current equity leverage formula established by order of this Commission pursuant to Section 367.081(4), F.S.

~~(f)(g)~~ The provisions of Rule 25-30.433, F.A.C., ~~must shall~~ be followed in preparing the utility's application.

~~(g)(h)~~ Any system that has costs allocated or charged to it from a parent, affiliate or related party, in addition to those costs reported on Schedule B-12 of Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) PSC/AFD 19 W for a Class A utility, ~~or PSC 1029 (12/20) PSC/AFD 20 W~~ for a Class B utility, ~~or PSC 1030 (12/20) for a Class C utility, which are~~ (incorporated by reference in Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C.,) ~~must e-file shall file three copies of~~ additional schedules that show the following information:

1. through 7. No change.

~~(h)(i)~~ For any land recorded on the utility's books since rate base was last established, the utility shall file documentation of the utility's right to access and continue use of the land upon which the utility treatment facilities are or will be located. Documentation of continued use must be in the form of a recorded warranty deed, recorded quit claim deed accompanied by title insurance, recorded lease such as a 99-year lease, or recorded easement. The applicant may submit an unrecorded, executed copy of the instrument granting the utility's right to access and continued use of the land upon which the utility treatment facilities are or will be located, provided the applicant files a recorded copy within the time required in the order granting a rate increase. copies of the documents that demonstrate that the utility owns the land upon which the utility treatment facilities are located, or that provides for the continued use of the land, such as a 99 year lease. The Commission may consider a written easement or other cost-effective alternative.

~~(6)(5)~~ The Director of the division that has been assigned the primary responsibility for the filing is Commission Designee. The Deputy Executive Director, Technical shall be the designee of the Commission for purposes of determining whether the utility applicant has met the minimum filing requirements imposed by this rule.

~~(7)(6)~~ Within 60 days after the issuance of a final order entered in response to an application for increased rates, or, if applicable, within 60 days after the issuance of an order entered in response to a motion for reconsideration of the final order, each utility ~~must shall~~ submit a breakdown of actual rate case expense incurred, in total, in a manner consistent with Schedule No. B-10 of Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) for Class A utilities and Form PSC 1029 (12/20) for Class B utilities, and Schedule B-7 of Commission Form PSC 1030 (12/20) for Class C utilities, which are incorporated by reference (PSC/AFD Form 19 W or 20 W, whichever is applicable, as described in Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C.). If the deadline prescribed above

cannot be met, a utility may request an extension from shall be granted by the Director of the Division of Accounting and Finance for good cause shown, such as financial hardship, severe illness, or significant weather events such as hurricanes, but good cause does not include reasons such as management oversight or vacation time.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081, 367.083, 367.121 FS. History—New 11-10-86, Amended 6-25-90, 11-30-93, 1-31-00, _____.

25-30.437 Financial, Rate, and Engineering Minimum Filing Requirements Information Required for of Class A and B Water and Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase.

(1) Each ~~Class A or B~~ utility applying for a rate increase ~~must shall~~ provide the information required by Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) PSC/AFD 19 W (11/93), entitled "Class A Water and/or Wastewater Utilities Financial, Rate and Engineering Minimum Filing Requirements," ~~or PSC 1029 (12/20) PSC/AFD 20 W (11/93)~~, entitled "Class B Water and/or Wastewater Utilities Financial, Rate and Engineering Minimum Filing Requirements," ~~or PSC 1030 (12/20), entitled "Minimum Filing Requirements for Class C Water and Wastewater Utilities,"~~ whichever is applicable. Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) is available at [hyperlink]; Commission Form PSC 1029 (12/20) is available at [hyperlink]; and Commission Form PSC 1030 (12/20) is available at [hyperlink]. These forms are incorporated into this rule by reference and are available on may be obtained from the Commission's website at www.floridapsc.com. Director, Division of Accounting and Finance, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

(2) In compiling the required schedules, additional instructions are set forth below:

~~(a)(1)~~ Each section of this form ~~shall~~ be indexed and tabbed, including a table of contents listing the page numbers of each schedule.

~~(b)(2)~~ If information requested in the form described above is not applicable to the applicant, so state and provide an explanation on the specific schedule.

~~(c)(3)~~ If a projected test year is used, provide a complete set of Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) PSC/AFD 19 W (for Class A utilities), ~~or PSC 1029 (12/20) PSC/AFD 20 W~~ (for Class B utilities), ~~or PSC 1030 (12/20) for Class C utilities~~ (as described above), which require a designation of historical or projected information. Such schedules ~~must shall~~ be submitted for the historical base year, and any year subsequent to the base year and prior to the projected test year, in addition to the projected test year. If no designation is shown on a schedule, submit that schedule for the test year only. In lieu of

providing separate pages for the above required schedules, the information required can be combined on the same page by adding additional columns. In the rate base schedules, Section A, the beginning and end of year balances must shall be shown. For any intermediate period or year, only the year-end balance must shall be shown. A schedule must shall also be included which describes in detail all methods and bases of projection, explaining the justification for each method or basis employed. If an historical test year is used, Schedule E-13 is not required.

~~(4) Only two copies of Schedule E-14, entitled Billing Analysis Schedules, be filed with the application. Each copy shall be submitted in a separate binder from the other required information.~~

~~(d)(5) If a petition for interim rates is filed, a utility must shall demonstrate that it is earning outside the range of reasonableness on rate of return calculated in accordance with Section 367.082(5), F.S. To demonstrate this In doing such, the utility must shall submit schedules of rate base, cost of capital and net operating income on an historical basis, with schedules of all adjustments thereto, consistent with Commission Form PSC 1028 (12/20) PSC/AFD 19 W (for a Class A utility), ~~or~~ PSC 1029 (12/20) PSC/AFD 20 W (for a Class B utility), or PSC 1030 (12/20) for a Class C utility (described above).~~

(3) Each applicant for a rate increase must e-file with the Office of Commission Clerk the additional engineering minimum filing requirements (MFRs), identified in paragraphs (a) – (k) below. Within seven calendar days after e-filing the additional engineering MFRs, the utility must provide to the Office of Commission Clerk two paper copies of the additional engineering MFRs clearly labeled “COPY,” with the exception of the detailed map required by paragraph (a), of which only one copy is required.

(a) A detailed map showing:

1. The location and size of the applicant’s distribution and collection lines as well as its plant sites, and

2. The location and respective classification of the applicant’s customers.

(b) A list of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment, by type, showing the dollar amount and quantity purchased, the unit prices paid and the dosage rates utilized.

(c) The most recent chemical analyses for each water system conducted by a certified laboratory covering the inorganic, organic turbidity, microbiological, radionuclide, secondary and unregulated contaminants specified in Chapter 62-550, F.A.C.

(d) All water and wastewater plant operating reports for the test year and the year preceding the test year.

(e) The most recent sanitary survey for each water plant and inspection report for each wastewater plant conducted by the health department or the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP).

(f) All health department and DEP construction and operating permits.

(g) Any Notices of Violation, Consent Orders, Letters of Notice, or Warning Notices from the health department or DEP in the previous five years.

(h) A list of all field employees, their duties, responsibilities, and certificates held, and an explanation of each employee’s salary allocation method to the utility’s capital or expense accounts.

(i) A list, by serial number and description, of all vehicles owned or leased by the utility showing the original cost or annual lease expense, who the vehicle is assigned to, and the method of allocation to the utility.

(j) A list, by customer, of all complaints received during the test year, with an explanation of how each complaint was resolved.

(k) A copy of all customer complaints that the utility has received regarding DEP secondary water quality standards during the past five years.

(4) If a utility is requesting uniform rates for systems that are not already combined in a uniform rate, the information required by this rule must be submitted on a separate basis for each system that has not already been combined in a uniform rate. For those systems already combined in a uniform rate, the utility ~~must shall~~ submit the required information as a single system. At a minimum, the following schedules of Form PSC 1030 (12/20) , described above, must be filed on a combined basis for all systems included in the filing: A-1, A-2, A-3, A-16, B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4, B-5, B-10, B-11, B-12, plus all “C,” “D” and “E” schedules (no “F” schedules are required).

~~(5)(6) In proposing rates, each the utility must shall use the base facility and usage charge rate structure, unless an alternative rate structure is adequately supported by the applicant. The base facility charge incorporates fixed expenses of the utility and is a flat monthly charge. This charge is applicable as long as a person is a customer of the utility, regardless of whether there is any usage. The usage charge incorporates variable utility expenses and is billed on a per 1,000 gallon or 100 cubic feet basis in addition to the base facility charge. The rates are first established with the 5/8" x 3/4" meter as the foundation. For meter sizes larger than 5/8", the base facility charge shall be based on the usage characteristics.~~

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.0812(5), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081, 367.0812, 367.082 FS. History—New 6-10-75, Amended 10-16-77, 3-26-81, Formerly 25-10.176, Amended 11-10-86, 6-25-90, 11-30-93, _____.

25-30.438 Information Required in Application for Rate Increase From Utilities with Related Parties.
 Rulemaking Authority 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081 FS. History–New 11-10-86, Repealed.

25-30.4385 Additional Rate Information Required in Application for Rate Increase.
 Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081, 367.121 FS. History–New 11-30-93, Repealed.

25-30.440 Additional Engineering Information Required of Class A and B Water and Wastewater Utilities in an Application for Rate Increase.
 Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.0812(5), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081, 367.0812 FS. History–New 11-10-86, Amended 6-25-90, 2-10-15, Repealed.

25-30.443 Minimum Filing Requirements for Class C Water and Wastewater Utilities.
 Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.081, 367.082 FS. History–New 6-25-90, Amended 11-30-93, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Cheryl Bulecza-Banks
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Public Service Commission
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 1, 2020
 DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 46, Number 171, September 1, 2020.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
 61G20-3.010 List of Approved Product Evaluation Entities, Validation Entities, Testing Laboratories, Certification Agencies, Quality Assurance Agencies and Accreditation Bodies

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission proposes to repeal this rule, since it must maintain the list of product approval entities on its website pursuant to section 553.842(13), F.S.

SUMMARY: The Commission, through its continuous rule review process, has identified that this rule is unnecessary or duplicative of existing Florida law. The list of product approval entities can and will be maintained on the Commission’s website pursuant to section 553.842(13), F.S.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The rule repeal will have no cost impact.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 553.842(13), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 553.842(13), F.S.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Thomas Campbell, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0772, (850)717-1823.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61G20-3.010 List of Approved Product Evaluation Entities, Validation Entities, Testing Laboratories, Certification Agencies, Quality Assurance Agencies and Accreditation Bodies.

~~The Commission shall make available a current list of approved product evaluation entities, testing laboratories, certification agencies, quality assurance agencies and accreditation bodies on its website, the Building Codes Information System, www.floridabuilding.org.~~

Rulemaking Authority 553.842(13) FS. Law Implemented 553.842(13) FS. History–New 5-5-02, Amended 11-22-06, Formerly 9B-3.120, 9N-3.010, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Florida Building Commission.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Building Commission.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 13, 2020

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and
Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
64B4-3.0085 Intern Registration
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 46 No. 163, August 20, 2020 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The Board received written comments from the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee on Rule 64B4-3.0085.

64B4-3.0085 Intern Registration

(1) An individual who intends to practice in Florida to satisfy the post-master’s experience must register as an intern by submitting a completed application to the Board on Form DH-MQA 1175, Application for Registration Licensure as a Registered Intern for Clinical Social Work, Marriage & Family Therapy or Mental Health Counseling (Revised 08/2020 07/20), hereby adopted and incorporated by reference, which can be obtained from <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref->, or the web at www.floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/resources. The application shall be accompanied by the application fee specified in rule 64B4-4.015, F.A.C., which is non-refundable.

(2) through (7) No change.

(8) Form HD5045-MQA, Graduate-Level Practicum, Internship, or Field Experience Verification Form – Marriage and Family Therapy (Revised 10/20 02/20), hereby adopted and incorporated by reference, which can be obtained from <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref->, or on the web at www.floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/resources, must be submitted by a qualified supervisor on behalf of the Marriage and Family Therapist registered intern upon completion of the practicum, internship, or field work required for licensure when not satisfied by the individuals’ graduate program.

(9) through (11) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 491.004(5) FS. Law Implemented 456.013, 456.0635, 491.0045, 491.005 FS. History–New 6-8-09, Amended 2-24-10, 10-17-10, 4-4-13, 2-9-16, 6-7-16, 9-1-16, 2-27-19,_____.

Additionally, the Board made changes to the proposed forms to reflect the following changes: Form, DH-MQA 1175, is being updated to remove the word “Licensure” from the title. form, HD5044-MQA, is being updated to change the word “affirm” to “state” and to correct the form to properly refer to “Florida Administrative Code.” Form, HD5045-MQA, is being updated to amend the Supervisor Affirmation paragraph, changing from “Rule 64B4-2” to “Rule Chapter 64B4-2”. Also, to remove reference to section 491.005(3)(b)1.d, Florida Statutes.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Hearing Aid Specialists, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Strategic Business Development

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
73A-5.001 Applicability and Limitations
73A-5.002 Definitions
73A-5.003 Tables
73A-5.004 Application for Approval to Earn Tax Credits or to Create Transferable Tax Credits

73A-5.005 Application for Certification Process
73A-5.006 Revocation or Modification

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 46 No. 226, November 19, 2020 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION should have included the following language: The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs, or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The agency has performed a review of the statutory requirements and has determined the repeal is necessary as the credits for the Space Flight program according to Section 220.194(4)(a)2, Florida Statutes have lapsed. The repeal of these rules will have no adverse impact or regulatory costs which exceed any of the criteria established in Section 120.541(2)(a), Florida Statutes. Therefore, the repeal of these rules is expected to be able to take effect without the need of being ratified by the legislature.

Section IV Emergency Rules

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

RULE NO.: 64B16ER20-42
 RULE TITLE: Consultant Pharmacist of Record; Initial Designation; Change.

SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: The Board of Pharmacy (hereinafter the “Board”) is statutorily mandated to promulgate rules necessary to regulate the practice of consultant pharmacists. Pursuant to this authority, the Board has promulgated rules setting forth the practice requirements for consultant pharmacists in the State of Florida. Pursuant to Rule 64B16-28.501(3), Florida Administrative Code, the consultant pharmacist of record for a Class I, Class II, Modified Class II, or Class III Institutional permit shall inspect the facility and prepare a written report to be filed at the permitted facility at least monthly. Rules 64B16-28.702(2)(b), (c), and (d) F.A.C., require consultant pharmacists to “provide on-site consultations not less than once every month, unless otherwise directed by the Board after review of the policy and procedure manual” for the Modified Class II Institutional Pharmacies that are under their supervision and control. Rule 64B16-28.850(16), F.A.C., also requires consultant pharmacists to inspect permitted ESSRD pharmacies under their supervision on a monthly basis. Further, Rules 64B16-28.870(3)(c) and (d), F.A.C., require consultant pharmacists of Special Assisted Living Facilities (“ALF”) permits to “inspect the facility and prepare a written report to be filed at the permitted facility at least monthly”.

On March 1, 2020, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order Number 20-51 which directed the State Health Officer and Surgeon General, Dr. Scott Rivkees, to declare a public health emergency pursuant to the spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”). Executive Order Number 20-51 was subsequently renewed on April 30, 2020; June 29, 2020; August 28, 2020; and October 23, 2020. On March 9, 2020, Governor DeSantis issued Executive Order Number 20-52 (Emergency Management - COVID-19 Public Health Emergency) and officially declared that a state of emergency exists in the State of Florida. Executive Order Number 20-52 was subsequently renewed extended on November 3, 2020 for an additional 60 days.

COVID-19 is a severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission and presents with symptoms similar to those of influenza. As of November

22, 2020, there are 930,728 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Florida residents. The Center for Disease Control (“CDC”) recommends mitigation measures to combat the spread of COVID-19 such as staying home when sick, keeping away from others who are sick, and staying home when a household member is sick with respiratory disease symptoms. The CDC also recommends those who are at a higher risk, such as older adults and those who have serious chronic medical conditions, should avoid non-essential air travel and avoid crowds as much as possible.

Due to the concerns surrounding the spread of COVID-19, several consultant pharmacists have reached out to the Board staff with concerns regarding the performance of in-person inspections pursuant to the aforementioned rules. Multiple consultant pharmacists have informed the Board that they have been refused on-site access by permit holders where they are serving as the consultant pharmacist due to COVID-19 concerns. Other practitioners have expressed concerns regarding the potential unintentional spread of the virus to facilities housing high risk individuals if they were to comply with the provisions requiring in-person inspections.

Ensuring that Florida’s consultant pharmacists are not unnecessarily put at risk is essential during this healthcare emergency. Further, ensuring facilities that house large portions of high-risk individuals are not exposed to COVID-19 is of utmost concern. Healthcare providers such as consultant pharmacists have an increased likelihood of being exposed to COVID-19 due to the number of health care facilities they visit during the performance of duties. Considering the spread of COVID-19, requiring consultant pharmacists to perform in-person inspections at high-risk permitted institutional pharmacies increases the risk of exposure of the medical providers and the facilities’ patients to COVID-19.

Accordingly, the Board, by emergency rule, hereby waives the requirement that off-site consultant pharmacists conduct monthly inspections as required by Rule 64B16-28.501(3), F.A.C.; Rules 64B16-28.702(2)(b), (c), and (d) F.A.C.; Rule 64B16-28.850(16), F.A.C., and Rules 64B16-28.870(3)(c) and (d), F.A.C., if the consultant pharmacist is refused access by the permit holder due to COVID-19 concerns. The Board finds that these actions are a measured regulatory approach that helps protect the patients of consultant pharmacists and the pharmacists themselves from exposure to COVID-19. This emergency rule shall not be interpreted in any way that would alleviate the obligations to perform drug regimen reviews pursuant to State and Federal law.

REASON FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: Given the long standing public health emergency in the State of Florida and

guidance from the CDC, the Board finds that requiring off-site consultant pharmacists to conduct in person inspections of permitted pharmacies who refuse access due to COVID-19 concerns would constitute an immediate danger to the public health, safety, or welfare and necessitates immediate action regarding this issue. Notice of this emergency meeting was published in the Florida Administrative Register on November 13, 2020. Further, notice of the Board's emergency meeting and an agenda outlining the topic for the meeting was posted on the Board's official website on November 13, 2020.

SUMMARY: The proposed emergency rule waives the requirement that off-site consultant pharmacists conduct in-person inspections and on-site consultations pursuant to subsection 64B16-28.501(3), F.A.C.; paragraphs 64B16-28.702(2)(b), (c), and (d) F.A.C.; subsection 64B16-28.850(16), F.A.C.; and paragraphs 64B16-28.870(3)(c) and (d), F.A.C., if the consultant pharmacists are refused on-site access due to COVID-19 concerns.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Jessica L. Sapp, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C-08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1708.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

64B16ER20-42 ~~64B16-28.501~~ Consultant Pharmacist of Record; Initial Designation; Change.

(1) through (4) No change.

(5) Off-site consultant pharmacists of record shall not be required to perform inspections and on-site consultations at permitted institutional pharmacies as referenced in Rules 64B16-28.501(3), F.A.C.; Rules 64B16-28.702(2)(b), (c), and (d) F.A.C.; Rule 64B16-28.850(16), F.A.C., and Rules 64B16-28.870(3)(c) and (d), F.A.C., when the consultant pharmacist of record is not regularly present at the location and the permit holder refuses to grant access due to COVID-19 concerns. This rule shall in no way modify any obligations stemming from State or Federal laws requiring drug regimen reviews.

Rulemaking Authority 465.005, 465.0125, 465.022 FS. Law Implemented 465.0125, 465.019, 465.022, 465.0266 FS. History-New 7-18-94, Formerly 61F10-28.501, 59X-28.501, Amended 1-2-02, 12-30-07, 11-5-17, 6-5-18, 9-27-18.

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 4, 2020

Section V Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety hereby gives notice: On December 7, 2020, the Division issued an order. The Final Order was in response to a Petition for an emergency variance from Tampa Convention Center, filed November 10, 2020, and advertised on November 19, 2020, in Vol. 46, No.226, of the Florida Administrative Register. No comments were received in response to the petition. The Final Order on the Petition for Variance grants the Petitioner a variance from Rules 2.4.1.5 and 2.15.9.2, ASME A17.1, 2013 edition, as adopted by Rule 61C-5.001 Florida Administrative Code that requires platform guards and bottom car clearances operations because the Petitioner has demonstrated that the purpose of the underlying statute has been met and that Petitioner would suffer a substantial hardship if required to comply with this rule (VW 2020-142).

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013, hdr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**

64B18-16.006 Registration Requirements of Podiatric Residents

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 04, 2020, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Julio Gutierrez. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subsection 64B18-16.006(1), Florida Administrative Code, which requires that every podiatric resident participating in a residency program in a hospital in this state shall register with the Board within sixty (60) days of the date of commencement of residency using the Podiatric Resident Registration form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of

Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B18-16.006 Registration Requirements of Podiatric Residents

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 4, 2020, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Sharang Penumetsa. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subsection 64B18-16.006(1), Florida Administrative Code, which requires that every podiatric resident participating in a residency program in a hospital in this state shall register with the Board within sixty (60) days of the date of commencement of residency using the Podiatric Resident Registration form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B18-16.006 Registration Requirements of Podiatric Residents

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 4, 2020, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Raj Prabhakar. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subsection 64B18-16.006(1), Florida Administrative Code, which requires that every podiatric resident participating in a residency program in a hospital in this state shall register with the Board within sixty (60) days of the date of commencement of residency using the Podiatric Resident Registration form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B18-16.006 Registration Requirements of Podiatric Residents

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 4, 2020, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Abir Zafar. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subsection 64B18-16.006(1), Florida Administrative Code, which requires that every podiatric resident participating in a residency program in a hospital in this state shall register with the Board within sixty (60) days of the date of commencement of residency using the Podiatric Resident Registration form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B18-16.006 Registration Requirements of Podiatric Residents

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 7, 2020, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Marilyn C. Toribio. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of Rule 64B18-16.006, Florida Administrative Code, which requires that every podiatric resident participating in a residency program in a hospital in this state shall register with the Board within sixty (60) days of the date of commencement of residency using the Podiatric Resident Registration form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine within 14 days of publication of this notice.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-21.013 Non-Credit Enhanced Multifamily Mortgage Revenue Bonds

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from Rule 67-21.013 F.A.C. for Brandon Preserve, Ltd. allowing Principals of Petitioner to purchase the B Bonds. Additionally, staff approves the request to waive Section Four, A.3.a.(1)(b) and Section Four, A.3.c.(3) of RFA 2019-116, allowing Petitioner to change the General Partner's members prior to or at closing in order to meet the tax-exempt bond requirements and use draw-down funding for the B Bonds. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would

suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The petition was filed on November 16, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on November 18, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 225 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.004 Selection Procedures for Developments

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from paragraph 67-48.004(3)(g) F.A.C. for Hawthorne Park, Ltd. allowing Petitioner to change its Development Type from "Garden Apartments" to "Mid-Rise 4 Stories" and allowing Petitioner to use the Total Development Cost Per Unit limitation for the Development Type of "Mid-Rise ESS" excluding the portion allocated to the maximum developer fee, which shall remain at the "Garden ESS" limit. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The petition was filed on October 26, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on October 27, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 210 F.A.R. A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.002 Definitions

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from subsection 67-48.002(95) F.A.C. (2017) and Subsection II.K of the 2016 QAP for Hogan Creek Redevelopment Partners, LLC allowing the changes to the applicant structure as outlined in the Petition and allowing Petitioner to exchange its credits now rather than wait until the last quarter of 2021 with the condition that Principals and affiliates of the Jacksonville Housing Authority and the Gardner Capital group will not be awarded any competitive funding by Florida Housing until Hogan Creek receives its 8609s. In the event that Hogan Creek does not receive 8609s and the housing credits are returned to Florida Housing, the Principals and affiliates would be eligible to compete for the next year's funding. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The

petition was filed on November 18, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on November 19, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 226 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.023 Housing Credits General Program Procedures and Requirements

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from subsections 67-48.023(5) and (7) F.A.C. for Promise in Brevard, LLC allowing Petitioner to submit its Cost Certification with a GCCC that is not executed by the general contractor accompanied by an opinion letter and qualified audit report that does not include confirmation of the second highest paid subcontractor. Florida Housing will not consider the GCCC final until the total amounts confirmed are at least as much as the total amounts paid to the three largest dollar subcontractors (of which two of those confirmations will include the first and third highest paid subcontractors). Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The petition was filed on November 18, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on November 19, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 226 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.002 Definitions

The Florida Housing Finance corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from subsection 67-48.002(96) F.A.C. and the 2018 QAP for Seven on Seventh, Ltd. allowing Petitioner to exchange its 2019 housing credit allocation now rather than wait until the fourth quarter of 2021 and immediately receive an allocation of 2020 housing credits with a placed-in-service date of December 31, 2022. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The petition was filed on November 12, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on November 13, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 222 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.0072 Credit Underwriting and Loan Procedures

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On December 4, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the waiver from paragraph 67-48.0072(21)(b) F.A.C. (2017) for Tupelo Park, LP extending the firm loan commitment deadline from December 29, 2020 until June 28, 2021. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The petition was filed on November 13, 2020 and notice of the receipt of petition was published on November 17, 2020 in Vol. 46, Number 224 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

Section VI

Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Administration

The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 17, 2020, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Call in: 1(877)568-4106, access code: 545-662-389

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the Hemp Advisory Committee to conduct general business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: cannabis@fdacs.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 4 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: cannabis@fdacs.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: cannabis@fdacs.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Administration

The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 17, 2020, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: 1(866)899-4679, access code: 896-511-925

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the Medical Cannabis Advisory Committee to conduct general business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: cannabis@fdacs.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 4 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: cannabis@fdacs.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: cannabis@fdacs.gov.

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Central Florida Regional Planning Council

The Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Sebring Civic Center, 355 W Center Avenue, Sebring, FL 33870

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Workshop of the Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, 1(863)534-7130 ext. 134 or at msoderstrom@cfrpc.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, 1(863)534-7130 ext. 134 or at msoderstrom@cfrpc.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District
The Northwest Florida Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIMES: December 17, 2020, 1:00 p.m. ET, Governing Board Meeting; 1:05 p.m., ET Public Hearing on Consideration of Regulatory Matters

PLACE: Wakulla Environmental Institute, 170 Preservation Way, Crawfordville, Florida 32327 / Call-in Number: 1(888)585-9008 Conference Room Number: 778-688-267

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: District business. The Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Preliminary Budget will be presented and considered during the Governing Board meeting.

NOTE: One or more Governing Board members may attend and participate in the meetings by means of communications media technology.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Savannah Shell, (850)539-5999 or online at <http://www.nfwwater.com/About/Governing-Board/Board-Meetings-Agendas>.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Savannah Shell, (850)539-5999. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

COMMISSION FOR THE TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED

The Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2020, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: GoToMeeting Webinar:
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/709216101>

Alternative Conference Call-In Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Code: 837-653-349

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Commission (CTD) Business Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Karen Somerset at (850)410-5701 or karen.somerset@dot.state.fl.us.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to

participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Karen Somerset at (850)410-5701 or karen.somerset@dot.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Karen Somerset at (850)410-5701 or karen.somerset@dot.state.fl.us.

SPACE FLORIDA

The Space Florida UPDDATED Audit Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 15, 2020, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Dial: 1(866)528-2256, Access Code: 4875556

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Space Florida Audit & Accountability Committee Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241.

SPACE FLORIDA

The Space Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 15, 2020, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Dial: 1(866)528-2256, Access Code: 4875556

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Space Florida Governance & Compensation Committee Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Elizabeth Loving at eloving@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301 x241.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited for the Clean Waterways Act Stormwater Rulemaking Technical Advisory Committee (TAC).

DATE AND TIME: December 15, 2020, 11:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: To ensure safe public participation given COVID-19 social distancing requirements, the Department is providing this public meeting by webinar. Parties can register to attend the webinar at the following link:

Webinar Link:
<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/183973995578778127>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department is holding the first public meeting of the TAC. This TAC was established to provide public input to the Department and Florida's water management districts (WMDs) on rule development to update stormwater design and operation regulations under Part IV, Chapter 373, Florida Statutes. These updates will utilize the latest scientific information, as directed by Florida's Clean Waterways Act, specifically Section 5, Chapter 2020-150, Laws of Florida.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by reviewing the Environmental Resource Permitting, Stormwater Rulemaking information at the following website: <https://floridadep.gov/water/water/content/water-resource-management-rules-development>. You may also request a copy of the agenda by contacting Charmaine Miller via email at: Stormwater2020@FloridaDEP.gov or via phone at: (850)245-8574.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting Charmaine Miller as listed above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact the Department at Stormwater2020@FloridaDEP.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

The Board of Pharmacy announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 17, 2020, 9:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Cancelled

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This notice will replace notice #23916046. This meeting has been cancelled.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The meeting has been cancelled, no Agenda is available.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, December 15, 2020, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Florida Department of Health 2585 Merchants Row Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399 by phone: 1(877)309-2073, Access Code: 165-503-589 and online at: <https://www.gotomeet.me/FDOH-MCH/information-clearinghouse-on-developmental-disab-9>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Information Clearinghouse on Developmental Disabilities Advisory Council will provide technical assistance to the Department of Health in the establishment of a website of resource information related to Down syndrome or other prenatally diagnosed developmental disabilities; support programs for parents and families; and developmental evaluation and intervention services.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Anna Simmons, (850)245-4465 or Anna.Simmons@flhealth.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Anna Simmons, (850)245-4465 or Anna.Simmons@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Anna Simmons, (850)245-4465 or Anna.Simmons@flhealth.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

The Department of Children & Families, Southeast Region announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 14, 2020, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Line: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code: 91483519#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Meeting of the evaluators and ranking of the proposals for RFP# SER-GS-21-RS.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Raul Ocampo-Procurement Officer at raul.ocampo@myflfamilies.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Raul Ocampo-Procurement Officer at raul.ocampo@myflfamilies.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Raul Ocampo-Procurement Officer at raul.ocampo@myflfamilies.com.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Family Safety and Preservation Program

The Department of Children and Families announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2020, 12:00 Noon Eastern Time

PLACE: Here's the Zoom link- please register in advance: https://zoom.us/join/joinMeeting/register/tJwodumoqTIOGtMbX3PIbrFSvo5msUwwbOl6.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of this meeting is for the Independent Living Services Advisory Council (ILSAC) to introduce new members to the council.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: A more detailed agenda with relevant presentation material will be posted on the department's website, https://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/independent-living/meeting-schedule.shtml.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, January 27, 2021, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday, February 24, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: These meetings will be accessible via phone. The call-in information will be available on the Corporation's website at:

https://www.floridahousing.org/legal/procurements/invitations-to-negotiate.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: These Review Committee meetings will be to discuss the responses received from qualified Respondents in response to ITN 2021-01, answer any questions the Review Committee may have regarding the responses, give the scores, and submit a recommendation to Florida Housing's Board of Directors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jenny Marshall, (850)488-4197 or Jenny.Marshall@floridahousing.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jenny Marshall at (850)488-4197. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Workforce Services

The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2020, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, Call: (850)988-5144, and enter phone conference ID: 756 701 156#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Disposition of cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission that are ready for final review and the Chairman's report. No public testimony will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

SPECIAL COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS: As the Governor of the State of Florida and Leon County have declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Commission must limit the manner in which the public may participate; accordingly, no member of the public may attend in person. Any interested person who would like to attend telephonically should call (850)988-5144 and enter phone conference ID: 756 701 156#.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by

contacting: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at (850)487-2685 or RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF MEETING: If a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the meeting, Commission staff will attempt to give timely notice. Notice of cancellation will be provided on the Commission’s website (www.raac.myflorida.com). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850)487-2685. RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

THE VALERIN GROUP, INC.

The Florida Department of Transportation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, December 16, 2020, 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Online – Must register for the US 41 at Gulfstream Avenue virtual public meeting by following the link below.

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5509486051509451791>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Those who prefer to listen to the webinar over the phone may call in to the toll-free number (213)929-4231 or toll free at 1(866)901-6455 and enter code 671-872-151# to join at the time of the meeting.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation invites you to attend a virtual public information meeting regarding a roundabout construction project at the intersection of US 41 at Gulfstream Avenue in Sarasota, Florida.

The primary purpose of this project will consist of converting the existing signalized intersection at US 41 at Gulfstream Avenue to a roundabout to improve non-motorized connectivity and access, as well as vehicular traffic flow and operations, between the City of Sarasota’s Downtown Central Business District (CBD) and the Bayfront area.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: There is no agenda.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who require special accommodations

under the American with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator at 1(863)519-2287 or by email at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven (7) days prior to the public meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Alice Ramos, Community Outreach Specialist at (941)217-7772 or by email at Alice.Ramos@dot.state.fl.us.

Section VII

Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Finance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Office of Financial Regulation has received the petition for declaratory statement from SecureCash, LLC. The petition seeks the agency’s opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 560, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

****On 12/4/2020 the Petition was WITHDRAWN.** The petition sought a declaratory statement from the Office whether the sale of virtual currency within the State of Florida via automated kiosk (“kiosk”) will require obtaining licensure, as state money transmitters under the Florida Money Transmitter Statute, Chapter 560, Florida Statutes.*****The original petition was published December 1, 2020 in the Florida Administrative Register Volume 46, Number 232.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

Please refer all comments to: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

Section VIII

Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

Section X
Announcements and Objection Reports of
the Joint Administrative Procedures
Committee

NONE

Section XI
Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and
Purchasing

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION
 Invitation to Negotiate 2021-01, for an Enterprise Payroll/Human Resources System
 The Florida Housing Finance Corporation invites all qualified Respondents to submit proposals for consideration in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) 2021-01, relating to the procurement of an Enterprise Payroll/Human Resources System. Florida Housing expects to select one Respondent who proposes to provide this service as specified in the ITN. Statements of Qualifications and Services Offered shall be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time, January 13, 2021 to the attention of the Contract Administrator at the address listed in the ITN.
 For questions or additional information, please contact: Jenny Marshall at (850)488-4197 or Jenny.Marshall@floridahousing.org. To obtain a copy of the Request for Proposals, which outlines selection criteria and applicant’s responsibilities, please submit your request to the attention of Jenny Marshall, or you can download the ITN from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation website at: <http://www.floridahousing.org/legal/procurements/invitations-to-negotiate>. Any modifications that occur to the ITN will be posted at the website and may result in an extension of the deadline.

BBICMINC
 MP06595 – Building 0092 Physics Re-Roof Phase 3
 BBI Construction Management, Inc. will be accepting bids for subcontractor participation on the MP06595 – Building 0092 Physics Re-Roof Phase 3, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida for the following bid packages:
 04: Masonry
 07: Roofing
 07A: Elastomeric Coatings and Waterproofing
 11: Fall Protection
 22: Plumbing
MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING: Mandatory pre-bid meeting for Bid Packages 04& 07 will be held Tuesday, December 15, 2020, 10:00 a.m. at the University of Florida Physics Building (#0092), Room 2165 (2nd Floor), 2001 Museum Road, Gainesville, FL 32610. All other trades are strongly encouraged to attend.
 Roofer must be certified in writing by the roofing materials manufacturer as a certified installer of the proposed roof system. Additionally, bidder must have experience with projects of a similar scope, equal size, complexity and timeframe.
 To obtain bidding documents, pre-qualification information, and directions, please email BBI Construction Management, Jeremy Criscione at criscionej@bbi-cm.com com, (352)338-2073 ext. 101.
 Bids exceeding \$75,000 must be sealed and either MAIL or HAND DELIVERED to: BBI Construction Management, Inc., 4639 NW 53rd Avenue, Gainesville, Florida 32653. BIDS DUE NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2020, 3:00 p.m.
 The University of Florida and BBI is committed to Small/HUB Zone/Minority/Small Disadvantaged/Veteran/Service-Disabled Veteran/& Women-Owned businesses and encourages their participation. The University of Florida and BBI Construction Management, Inc. reserves the right to reject any bid if considered to be in best interest of the project. Compliance with UF Purchasing guidelines is required.

Section XII
Miscellaneous

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraph 120.55(1)(b)6. – 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 1, 2020 and 3:00 p.m., Monday, December 7, 2020.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date

6A-1.001	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.004	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.0071	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.094121	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.094122	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.094123	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.094124	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6A-1.09961	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
6N-1.008	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
53ER20-87	12/3/2020	12/3/2020
53ER20-88	12/3/2020	12/3/2020
53ER20-89	12/3/2020	12/3/2020
53ER20-90	12/3/2020	12/3/2020
59AER20-14	12/1/2020	12/1/2020
59AER20-15	12/1/2020	12/1/2020
61G3-16.0051	12/4/2020	12/24/2020
61G5-22.002	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
61G5-22.003	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
61G5-22.015	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
61G5-22.016	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
61G5-22.017	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
61J2-2.027	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-3.008	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-3.009	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-3.011	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-5.014	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-5.018	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-10.023	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
61J2-10.030	12/2/2020	12/22/2020
64B12-8.020	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
64B12-15.001	12/1/2020	12/21/2020
64B16ER20-42	12/4/2020	12/4/2020

69A-37.059	12/3/2020	12/23/2020
69A-37.060	12/3/2020	12/23/2020
LIST OF RULES AWAITING EPA APPROVAL PURSUANT TO SECTION 373.4146 (2), FLORIDA STATUTES		
Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
62-330.010	7/21/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.050	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.060	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.090	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.201	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.340	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-330.402	6/26/2020	**/**/*****
62-331.010	7/21/2020	**/**/*****
62-331.020	6/11/2020	**/**/*****
62-331.030	6/11/2020	**/**/*****
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60P-2.002	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Elections

Notice of Meeting

The Department of State announces the meeting of Florida’s 29 presidential electors to cast their votes for President and Vice President of the United States.

DATE AND TIME: December 14, 2020, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Florida’s presidential electors will meet to cast Florida’s 29 votes in the Electoral College for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States. Spectator seating is reserved for credentialed media. The meeting will be streamed on the Florida Channel at thefloridachannel.org.

For more information, you may contact: Colleen O'Brien, Assistant General Counsel, Department of State, at (850)245-6519 or Colleen.O'Brien@dos.myflorida.com.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District

Notice of Availability of FY 2021-2022 Springs Restoration Funding

The Northwest Florida Water Management District (District) announces the anticipated availability of funding assistance for springs restoration and protection projects in northwest Florida.

Applications are due no later than Tuesday, February 23, 2021. The application form, guidelines, and additional information can be found on the District’s website at <https://www.nfwwater.com/Water-Resources/Funding-Programs>. For more information, please contact Jerrick Saquibal at (850)539-5999, 1(800)913-1518, or at jerrick.saquibal@nfwwater.com, or write the District at: Northwest Florida Water Management District, Attention: FY 2021-2022 Springs Restoration Funding, 81 Water Management Drive, Havana, Florida 32333. Note that any awards under this program are subject to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and District project and budget approvals. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (voice).

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS
 Northwest Florida Water Management District
 Notice of Availability of FY 2021-2022 Alternative Water Supply Funding
 The Northwest Florida Water Management District (District) announces the anticipated availability of funding assistance for alternative water supply projects in northwest Florida. Applications are due no later than Tuesday, February 23, 2021. The application form, guidelines, and additional information can be found on the District’s website at <https://www.nfwwater.com/Water-Resources/Funding-Programs>. For more information, please contact Beth Hollister at (850)539-5999, 1(800)913-1518, or at beth.hollister@nfwwater.com, or write the District at: Northwest Florida Water Management District, Attention: FY 2021-2022 AWS Funding, 81 Water Management Drive, Havana, Florida 32333. Note that any awards under this program are subject to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and District project and budget approvals. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (voice).

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