

Section I
**Notice of Development of Proposed Rules
and Negotiated Rulemaking**

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
REGULATION**

Board of Architecture and Interior Design

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61G1-13.001 Experience Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to clarify the requirements regarding the diversified program of architecture experience requirements for licensure.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Experience Requirements.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 481.2055, 481.211 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 481.211 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: Krista Woodard, Executive Director, Board of Architecture and Interior Design, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0771

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

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
REGULATION**

Board of Architecture and Interior Design

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61G1-14.001 Examination Designated, General Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the requirements regarding the examination for licensure.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Examination Designated, General Requirements.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 455.217, 481.213(6) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 455.217(1)(b), (c), 481.209 FS.

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Section II
Proposed Rules

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

25-6.0346 Quarterly Reports of Work Orders and Safety Compliance

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule amendments update and clarify the rule regarding electric utilities' work order lists.

Docket No. 160121-GU

SUMMARY: The rule requires electric utilities to provide the Commission with work order lists containing certain information on construction and safety compliance.

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.

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), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.04(2)(f), 366.05(1), 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: Adria Harper, Office of General

Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6082, aharper@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

25-6.0346 Quarterly Reports of Work Orders and Safety Compliance.

(1) Each investor-owned electric utility, rural electric cooperative and municipal electric utility shall provide a work order list report all completed electric work orders, relating to the construction and/or maintenance of transmission and distribution facilities, ~~whether that is completed by the utility or one of its contractors, at the end of each quarter of the year.~~ The report work order list shall contain the utility name, contact name, quarter and year, work order number, location of construction, county of construction, estimated costs, and brief description of the work (overhead and underground), and shall be sent via e-mail to electronically filed with the Electric-QTR-Reports@psc.state.fl.us Commission Clerk no later than the 30th working day after the last day of the reporting quarter, ~~using~~ Form PSC/ENG 157 (12/12), "PSC Quarterly Report of Completed Work Orders," which is available at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-02040>; is an example work order list that may be completed and filed to meet the reporting requirement for this rule. This form is incorporated into this rule by reference and may also be obtained from the Commission's Division of Administrative and Information Technology Services.

(2) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.04(2)(f), (6), 366.05(1) FS. History—New 12-16-12, Amended _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Rick Moses

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 6, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 42, Number 77, April 20, 2016.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
25-12.005	Codes and Standards Adopted
25-12.008	New, Reconstructed or Converted Facilities
25-12.022	Requirements for Distribution System Valves
25-12.027	Welder Qualification
25-12.040	Leak Surveys, Procedures and Classification
25-12.085	Written Annual Reports Required

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule amendments update and clarify electric and gas safety and reporting rules

Docket No. 160121-GU

SUMMARY: Rule 25-6.0436, F.A.C., was updated to clarify the types of information to be included quarterly work order lists and to require the information be sent directly to Commission staff via e-mail.

Rule 25-12.005, F.A.C. was amended to adopt the latest version of the federal standards that pertain to reporting requirements, safety standards, and drug and alcohol employee reporting standards and requirements for certain employees of gas pipeline operators and emergency response persons. Rule 25-12.008, F.A.C., was amended to adopt the latest federal standards and to clarify the visual inspection, testing and active corrosion procedures.

Rule 25-12.022, F.A.C., was amended to clarify the valves used to close off system sections in an emergency and provide clarification on the procedure for valve identification.

Rule 25-12.027, F.A.C., was amended to correct a scrivener's error in the current rule, to clarify the appropriate American Petroleum Institute standards for welder qualification, and to adopt the latest version of the federal standards.

Rule 25-12.040, F.A.C., was amended to provide clarification on leak detection surveys, inspections and monitoring.

Rule 25-12.085, F.A.C., was amended to incorporate the most recent versions of the appropriate federal forms and to delete a redundant section of the rule.

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.

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), 368.03, 366.05(1), 368.05(2), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.04(2)(f), 366.05(1), 368.03, 368.05, 368.05(2), FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Adria Harper, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6082, aharper@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

25-12.005 Codes and Standards Adopted.

The Minimum Federal Safety Standards and reporting requirements for pipeline facilities and transportation of gas prescribed by the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration in 49 C.F.R. 191 and 192 (2016) (2014), are adopted and incorporated by reference as part of these rules.

49 C.F.R. 191 (2016) (2014) may be accessed at [Dept. of State [hyperlink](http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01534)]

<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01534>.

49 C.F.R. 192 (2016) (2014) may be accessed at [Dept. of State [hyperlink](http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01535)]

<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01535>.

49 C.F.R. 199 (2016) (2014), "Drug and Alcohol Testing," is adopted and incorporated by reference to control drug use, by setting standards and requirements to apply to the testing and use of all emergency response personnel under the direct authority or control of a gas utility or pipeline operator, as well as all employees directly or indirectly employed by gas pipeline operators for the purpose of operation and maintenance and all employees directly or indirectly employed by intrastate gas distribution utilities for on-site construction of natural gas transporting pipeline facilities 49 C.F.R. 199 (2016) (2014) may be accessed at [Dept. of State [hyperlink](http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01537)]

<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-01537>. Part 199 also is adopted to prescribe standards for use of employees who do not meet the requirements of the regulations.

Rulemaking Authority 368.03, 368.05(2), 350.127(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.03, 368.05 FS. History—New 11-14-70, Amended 9-24-71, 9-21-74, 10-7-75, 11-30-82, 10-2-84, Formerly 25-12.05, Amended 8-8-89, 1-7-92, 5-13-99, 4-26-01, 12-15-09, 10-11-12, _____.

25-12.008 New, Reconstructed or Converted Facilities.

(1) No change.

(2) No change.

(c) Have ~~sufficient~~ inspections performed of the pipeline to assure that it was constructed in accordance with standards applicable at the time of installation. Visual inspection of the underground facilities ~~may~~ will not be required if ~~adequate~~ construction and testing records have been maintained.

(d) No change.

(e) Establish the maximum allowable operating pressure no greater than the highest sustained operating pressure during the 5 years prior to conversion unless it was tested or uprated after July 1, 1970 in accordance with the Subparts J or K of 49 C.F.R. 192 (2016) (2014) as adopted in Rule 25-12.005, F.A.C.

(f) No change.

(g) Determine areas of active corrosion as required by Subpart I of 49 C.F.R. 192 (2016) (2014) and these rules. Required cathodic protection must be accomplished within 1 year after the date of conversion except that buried steel tubing must be protected prior to placing the system into operation.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 368.03, 368.05(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.03, 368.05(2) FS. History—New 11-14-70, Amended 9-21-74, 10-7-75, 10-2-84, Formerly 25-12.08, Amended 12-15-09, 10-11-12, _____.

25-12.022 Requirements for Distribution System Valves.

(1) No change.

(2) No change.

(a) No change.

(b) Size of area and population density between valves required to isolate the area and ~~as well as~~ the accessibility of the required valves.

(c) through (d) No change.

(e) The number and type of customers, such as hospitals, schools, commercial, and industrial loads, ~~etc.~~, that will be affected.

(3) Identification – Emergency or sSectionalizing and other critical valves shall be designated on appropriate records, drawings or maps used by the operator and shall be referenced to "permanent" aboveground structures or other field ties so the valves can be readily located. The centerline of the road or highway, property line, or right-of-way may be used as one of the referenced structures. The valve installation and all records showing these valves must be marked for prompt identification using any logical designating system. The valve marking must be accomplished using a durable tag or other equivalent means located as follows:

(a) No change.

(b) For buried valves or valves operated by a key wrench, the marking shall be legible and may be on any type of permanent material placed ~~appear~~ in a visible location ~~on the~~ inside of the curb box or standpipe where the cover will not abrade the marking. Marking the cover only is not acceptable.

(4) No change.

(a) through (c) No change.

(5) All the sectionalizing or emergency valves which may be necessary for the safe operation of the system must be inspected and maintenance performed to assure location, access and operating ability at intervals not exceeding 15 months but at least each calendar year.

Rulemaking Authority 368.05(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.05(2) FS. History—New 9-21-74, Amended 10-7-75, 10-2-84, Formerly 25-12.22, Amended 12-15-09,_____.

25-12.027 Welder Qualification.

(1) No welder shall make any pipeline weld unless the welder has qualified in accordance with Section ~~63~~, or section 12 for automatic welding, of American Petroleum Institute Standard 1104, Welding of Pipelines and Related Facilities, 21st 20th edition, September 2013 ~~October 2005 including Errata/Addendum July 2007 and Errata 2 (2008)~~, incorporated by reference herein, or Appendix C of 49 C.F.R. 192 (2016) ~~(2011)~~ as adopted in Rule 25-12.005, F.A.C., within the preceding 15 months, but at least once each calendar year. A copy of API 1104 may be obtained from <http://www.api.org/Standards/>.

(2) No welder shall weld with a particular welding process unless the welder has engaged in welding with that process within the preceding six calendar months. A welder who has not engaged in welding with that process within the preceding six calendar months must requalify for that process as set forth in subsection (1) of this rule herein.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 368.03, 368.05(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.03, 368.05 FS. History—New 1-7-92, Amended 12-15-09, 10-11-12,_____.

25-12.040 Leak Surveys, Procedures and Classification.

(1) Each operator shall perform periodic leakage surveys in accordance with the following schedule as a minimum:

(a) No change.

1. through 2. No change.

(b) A gas detector instrument survey to locate leaks throughout areas not included in subsection (a) above shall be conducted at intervals not exceeding ~~three (3)~~ calendar years at intervals not exceeding 39 months on bare metallic, galvanized steel, coated tubing pipelines, and ~~five (5)~~ calendar years at intervals not exceeding 63 months on the remaining pipeline system, or more frequently if experience indicates.

(2) No change.

(a) “Grade 1 Leak” – a leak of gas that represents an existing or probable hazard to persons or buildings. In order Prompt action to protect life and property, these leaks shall be repaired immediately and continuous action shall be taken until conditions are no longer hazardous is required.

(b) No change

1. through 4. No change

(c) No change.

(3) ~~The adequacy of~~ All the repairs of leaks shall be checked by appropriate methods immediately after the repairs are completed. Where there is residual gas in the ground, a follow-up inspection using a gas detector instrument must be made as soon as the gas has had an opportunity to dissipate, but no later than one month for Grade 1 leaks and 6 months for Grade 2 leaks. The date and status of recheck shall be recorded on the leak repair records.

(4) If residual gas is detected on the follow-up inspection, continued monthly monitoring, not to exceed 45 days, and inspections shall be done until gas is no longer detected.

Rulemaking Authority 368.05(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.05(2) FS. History—New 9-21-74, Repromulgated 10-7-75, Amended 10-2-84, Formerly 25-12.40, Amended 1-7-92, 12-15-09,_____.

25-12.085 Written Annual Reports Required.

(1) Each operator of a distribution system shall submit an annual report on Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration Form PHMSA F 7100.1-1 (2015) ~~(12-05)~~, entitled “Annual Report for Calendar Year 20__ Gas Distribution System,” which is incorporated by reference into this rule and is available at [Department of State hyperlink] for each distribution system. In the case of an operator who has more than one distribution system, a combined annual report must be submitted which includes all facilities operated within the State of Florida subject to the Commission’s jurisdiction.

~~(2) Each operator of a distribution system shall, for facilities that operate at 20 percent or more of the specified minimum yield strength, or that are used to convey gas into or out of storage, submit an annual reports for those facilities on Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration Form PHMSA F 7100.2-1 (12-05), entitled “Annual Report for Calendar Year 20__ Gas Transmission & Gathering Systems.”~~

(2)(3) Each operator of a transmission system shall submit an annual report on Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration Form PHMSA F 7100.2-1 (2014) (12-05), entitled “Annual Report for Calendar Year 20__ Natural and Other Gas Transmission and Gathering Pipeline Systems,” which is incorporated by reference into this rule and is available at [Department of State hyperlink].

All the above reports must be submitted for the preceding calendar year so as to be received by the Commission no later than March 15th of each year.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 368.05(2) FS. Law Implemented 368.03, 368.05(2) FS. History—New 11-14-70, Amended 9-21-74, Repromulgated 10-7-75, Amended 10-2-84, Formerly 25-12.85, Amended 12-15-09, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Rick Moses

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 6, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 42, Number 77, April 20, 2016.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
25-30.425 Pass Through Rate Adjustment
25-30.455 Staff Assistance in Rate Cases

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend the rules to implement amendments to sections 367.081 and 367.0814, F.S., from the 2016 Legislative Session and update and clarify the rules.

Docket No. 160223-WS

SUMMARY: The rule amendments to Rule 25-30.425, F.A.C., implement amendments made to sections 367.081 and 367.0814, F.S., during the 2016 legislative session. The rule amendments to Rule 25-30.425 (2), F.A.C., clarify the documentation that utilities must submit for recovery of pass-through costs. The amendments to subsection 25-30.425(2), F.A.C., specify the documentation required for the filing of concurrent pass-through and price index applications. The amendments to Rule 25-30.455, F.A.C., prohibit the Commission from approving a utility’s expenses associated with outside experts in staff assisted rate cases under certain circumstances consistent with section 367.0814, 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 been prepared by the Agency.

The SERC examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2), F.S., and concluded that the proposed rules are not likely to have an adverse impact on the factors listed therein, and that there is no anticipated effect on state or local revenues and no cost to the Public Service Commission, or any other

state and local government entity to implement and enforce the rule.

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: 120.54; 350.127(2), (3); 367.121(1)(c), (f) F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 367.081(4), 367.0814; 367.121(1)(c), (g), 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: Adria Harper, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6082, aharper@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

25-30.425 Pass Through Rate Adjustment.

~~The verified notice to the Commission of an adjustment of rates under the provisions of Section 367.081(4)(b), F.S., shall be made in the following manner:~~

(1) ~~This rule applies Prior to any regulated water or wastewater utility that adjusts its an adjustment in rates pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(b), F.S., to reflect because of an increase or decrease in the rates, fees, or costs for the following specified expenses purchased utility service, the utility shall file:~~

(a) ~~A certified copy of the order, ordinance or other evidence whereby the rates for Water or wastewater utility service purchased from a are increased or decreased by the governmental authority agency or other by a water or wastewater utility regulated by the Commission; along with evidence of the utility service rates of that governmental agency or water or wastewater utility in effect on January 1 of each of the three preceding years.~~

(b) ~~Purchased electric power; A statement setting out by month the charges for utility services purchased from the governmental agency or regulated utility for the most recent 12 month period.~~

(c) ~~Ad valorem taxes; 1. A statement setting out by month the gallons of water or wastewater treatment purchased from the governmental agency or regulated utility for the most recent 12 month period. If wastewater treatment service is not~~

based on a metered flow, the number of units by which the service is measured shall be stated.

2. ~~A statement setting out by month gallons of water and units of wastewater service sold by the utility for the most recent 12 month period.~~

~~(d) National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit Program fees charged by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection; A statement setting out by month the gallons of water or wastewater treatment purchased from any other government entity or utility company.~~

~~(e) Regulatory Assessment Fees imposed A statement setting out by the Commission; month the gallons of water pumped or wastewater treated by the utility filing the verified notice.~~

~~(f) If the total Wwater or wastewater quality testing required by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP); available for sale is in excess of 110% of the water sold, a statement explaining the unaccounted for water.~~

~~(g) Wastewater biosolids disposal fees;~~

~~(h) Tank inspection required by the DEP or a local governmental authority;~~

~~(i) Treatment plant operator and water distribution system operator license fees required by the DEP or a local governmental authority;~~

~~(j) Water or wastewater operating permit fees charged by the DEP or a local governmental authority; or~~

~~(k) Consumptive or water use permit fees charged by a water management district.~~

~~(2) Prior to an adjustment in rates pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(b), F.S., because of an increase or decrease in the charge for electric power the utility shall file its verified notice and supporting documents with the Commission's Division of Accounting and Finance at least 45 days prior to the effective date of its pass through rate adjustment, or at least 60 days prior to the effective date of its combined or simultaneously filed price index and pass through rate adjustments if the utility requests an exception to the 45 day effective date, as referenced in paragraph (2)(h), to allow the price index and pass through rate adjustments to be implemented as one rate adjustment pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(e), F.S. Each verified notice of a pass through rate adjustment shall include the following supporting documents. If the same information or supporting document is required for both the price index and pass through rate adjustments, such as revised tariff sheets, annualized revenue calculations, return on equity affirmations, and customer notices, the applicant may file a combined supporting document to be used for both applications:~~

~~(a) Revised tariff sheets reflecting the increased or decreased rates; A certified copy of the order, ordinance or~~

~~other evidence which establishes that the rates for electric power have been increased or decreased by the supplier, along with evidence of the electric power rates of the supplier in effect on January 1 of each of the three preceding years.~~

~~(b) A schedule showing, by month, the calculation of charges for electric power and consumption for the proposed rates, including most recent 12 month period, the following information. If the pass through rate adjustment is combined with a price index rate adjustment, a combined schedule that shows the calculation of both the price index and pass through rate adjustments may be provided; charges that would have resulted had the new electric rates been applied, and the difference between the charges under the old rates and the charges under the new rates.~~

~~1. The calculation of the recurring annual or amortized annual amount of the new expense or incremental change calculated as referenced in subsection (3);~~

~~2. The utility's actual annual revenue or calculation of the annualized revenue for the most recent 12-month period, or 12-month test year if combined or simultaneously filed with a price index application. If there were any Commission-approved changes to the utility's rates during the 12-month period or test year, the revenue should be annualized to reflect the revenue that would have resulted if the rate change had been in effect the entire 12 months. The annualized revenue calculation should reflect the annual number of bills broken down by customer class and meter size, and the annual gallons of water or wastewater service sold broken down by customer class. Annualized revenues should be calculated separately if the utility provides both water and wastewater service;~~

~~3. If the pass through of an increase or decrease in purchased water or wastewater utility service, purchased power, or wastewater biosolids disposal is applied only to the gallonage charge in the rate adjustment calculation, provide a schedule showing the gallons of water or wastewater service sold during each month of the most recent 12-month period or test year, broken down by customer class and meter size, if not shown in the revenue calculation previously provided in subparagraph (2)(b)2. above; and~~

~~4. The calculation of the proposed rates that shows the current rates, dollar amount of the pass through increase or decrease, and proposed adjusted rates. The percentage increase or decrease resulting from the pass through adjustment for any specified expense may be applied to all rates equally or allocated between the base facility charge and gallonage charge based on the following guidelines:~~

~~i. The percentage increase or decrease in purchased water or wastewater utility service, purchased power, or wastewater biosolids disposal may be applied solely to the gallonage charge;~~

ii. The percentage increase or decrease in ad valorem taxes may be applied solely to the base facility charge;

iii. The percentage increase or decrease in any specified expense that was adjusted using a specific allocation methodology in the utility's last rate proceeding or in a prior pass through adjustment may be applied using that same methodology; and

iv. The percentage increase or decrease in any specified expense that reflects a single assessment to the water and wastewater systems combined may be allocated between the water and wastewater rates based on the equivalent residential connection ratio of water and wastewater customers;

(c) A copy of statement outlining the current invoice, proof of payment, or other documentation that demonstrates that measures taken by the specified expense has been adjusted or is a new requirement. If the specified expense is an existing expense that was not previously included in the utility's rates, also provide a statement confirming that the specified expense has never been included in the utility's rates; utility to conserve electricity.

(d) A copy of the invoice(s) or other documentation that supports the utility's calculation of the recurring annual or amortized annual increase or decrease in the specified expense referenced in subparagraph (2)(b)1., as follows:

1. For a frequently recurring specified expense, such as purchased power, provide a copy of all invoices received for the most recent 12-month period or test year;

2. For a specified expense that occurs on an annual basis, such as ad valorem taxes, provide a copy of the invoice received for the prior year;

3. For a specified expense that occurs less than annually, such as NPDES permit program fees, provide a copy of the invoice received the last time the expense occurred; or

4. For the pass through of an incremental increase or decrease in regulatory assessment fees that were previously included in the utility's rates by another governmental entity prior to the Commission's regulation of the utility, provide documentation that shows the percentage or amount of regulatory assessment fees that were previously included in the utility's rates, such as a copy of an order, ordinance, rate calculation, or other available information that can be used to determine and verify the percentage of regulatory assessment fees that were previously included in the utility's rates.

(e) The utility's DEP Public Water System identification number and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operating Permit number;

(f) The affirmation required by Section 367.081(4)(c), F.S., including the rate of return on equity that the utility is affirming it will not exceed with this rate adjustment;

(g) A copy of the notice to customers required by subsection (6); and,

(h) If applicable, a statement that the utility requests an exception to the 45 day effective date provided by Section 367.081(4)(b), F.S., to allow combined or simultaneously filed price index and pass through rate adjustments to be implemented together as one rate adjustment pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(e), F.S., with an effective date 60 days after the official filing date of the utility's notice of intention to increase rates through a price index rate adjustment filed pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(a) and Rule 25-30.420(2), F.A.C.

(3) The recurring annual or amortized annual amount Prior to an adjustment in rates because of an increase or decrease in ad valorem taxes the new expense or incremental change utility shall be calculated as follows file with the Commission:

(a) The change in aA frequently recurring specified expense, such as purchased power, copy of the ad valorem tax bills which increased or decreased shall be calculated as an annual and copies of the previous three years' bills; if copies have been submitted previously, a schedule showing the tax total, broken down by month for the most recent 12-month period or for the 12-month test year if combined or simultaneously filed with a price index rate adjustment. The calculation shall reflect the following information: only is acceptable; and

1. All charges or fees included in the total specified expense, such as the purchased water or wastewater base facility charge, gallonage charge, any applicable billing or service fees, and taxes, even if some of the rates or fees did not change;

2. The actual or annualized charges for the specified expense. If the rates or charges for the specified expense changed during the 12-month period or test year, the actual charges should be annualized to reflect the charges that would have resulted if the prior rates or charges had been in effect the entire 12 months;

3. The annualized charges that would have resulted if the new rates had been in effect the entire 12 months;

4. The difference between the charges at the prior and new rates; and

5. If the utility's most recent rate proceeding included adjustments for excessive unaccounted for water (EUW) or excessive inflow and infiltration (I&I), the calculation of an increase or decrease in purchased water or wastewater utility service or purchased electric power shall also include the same percentage EUW or I&I adjustments. If the utility has taken steps to reduce EUW or I&I since its most recent rate proceeding, the utility may, but is not required to, provide additional information to demonstrate that the EUW or I&I percentages have been reduced. Any proposed revision to the

EUW or I&I percentages should be calculated as referenced in subsection (4);

(b) The change in a specified expense calculation of the amount of the ad valorem taxes related to that occurs on an annual basis, such as ad valorem taxes, shall be calculated as an annual total based on a comparison of the prior expense and new expense. If applicable, the calculation of the increase or decrease portion of the water or wastewater plant not used and useful in ad valorem taxes only shall include the following additional adjustments: in providing utility service.

1. If any ad valorem tax bills reflect a single assessment for combined water and wastewater property, the calculation shall also include the utility's calculation of the equivalent residential connection ratio of water and wastewater customers used to allocate the combined tax assessment between the utility's water and wastewater rates; and

2. If the utility's last rate proceeding included adjustments for non-used and useful plant, the calculation shall also include an adjustment to remove the portion of the ad valorem taxes related to the water or wastewater plant that is not used and useful in providing utility service;

(c) The change in a specified expense that occurs less than annually, such as NPDES permit program fees, shall be calculated as an annual amortized amount based on a comparison of the prior and new expense. The expense shall be amortized as a non-recurring expense in accordance with Rule 25-30.433(8), F.A.C., and the calculation shall include an explanation if the expense is amortized for a period other than five years.

(4) Prior to an adjustment in rates because of an increase or decrease in ~~the pass through~~ costs of changes water quality or wastewater quality testing required by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), or because of an increase or decrease in purchased water or wastewater utility service or purchased electric power shall be adjusted for EUW or I&I consistent with adjustments approved by the fees charged by DEP in connection with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Program, the utility shall file with the Commission in the utility's most recent rate proceeding, if applicable. If the utility has taken steps to reduce the EUW and I&I percentages since its most recent rate proceeding, the utility may, but is not required, to provide the following information to demonstrate that the EUW and I&I percentages have been reduced and that the previously approved EUW and I&I percentages should either be reduced or eliminated from the pass through rate adjustment calculation:

(a) A description copy of any steps taken by the utility to reduce the EUW or I&I since the utility's last rate proceeding invoice for testing; and,

(b) A schedule showing the updated calculation of EUW or I&I broken down by month for the most recent 12-month period or test year including: amortized amount.

1. The gallons of water or wastewater treatment purchased from the governmental authority or regulated utility that has increased or decreased its rates. If wastewater treatment service is not based on a metered flow, describe how the wastewater flows are determined and include the number of units by which the service is measured;

2. If the utility purchases water or wastewater service from more than one governmental authority or regulated utility, include the gallons of water or wastewater treatment purchased from any other governmental authority or regulated utility not reflected in subparagraph (4)(b)1. above. If wastewater treatment service is not based on a metered flow, describe how the wastewater flows are determined and include the number of units by which the service is measured;

3. The gallons of water pumped or wastewater treated by the utility, if applicable;

4. The gallons of water or wastewater service sold by the utility;

5. The total unaccounted for water or inflow and infiltration; and

6. A statement explaining the EUW or I&I if the total water available for sale or total wastewater treatment purchased is still in excess of 110 percent of the water or wastewater service sold.

(5) The amount administratively approved for a pass through rate adjustment in addition to subsections (1), (2), (3) and (4) above, the utility shall not exceed the actual cost incurred. Foregone pass through decreases shall not be used to adjust a pass through increase below the actual cost incurred. also file:

(a) A schedule of proposed rates which will pass the increased or decreased costs on to the customers in a fair and nondiscriminatory manner and on the basis of current customers, and a calculation showing how the rates were determined;

(b) A statement, by class of customer and meter size, setting out by month the gallons of water and units of wastewater service sold by the utility for the most recent 12 month period. This statement shall not be required in filings for the pass through of increased regulatory assessment fees or ad valorem taxes;

(c) The affirmation reflecting the authorized rate of return on equity required by Section 367.081(4)(c), F.S.;

(d) A copy of the notice to customers required by subsection (7) of this rule;

(e) Revised tariff sheets reflecting the increased rates;

(f) The rate of return on equity that the utility is affirming it will not exceed pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(c), F.S.; and

~~(g) The utility's DEP Public Water System identification number and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operating Permit number;~~

~~(6) The utility shall provide each customer with written notice of the administratively approved rate adjustment, including the effective date and an explanation of the reasons for the increase or decrease, prior to the time each customer will begin consumption at the adjusted rates. If the pass through rate adjustment is combined or simultaneously filed with a price index rate adjustment, the utility may provide the information for both rate adjustments in a combined customer notice amount authorized for pass through rate adjustments shall not exceed the actual cost incurred and shall not exceed the incremental increase or decrease for the 12-month period. Foregone pass through decreases shall not be used to adjust a pass through increase below the actual cost incurred.~~

~~(7) In order for the Commission to determine whether a utility which had adjusted its rates pursuant to Section 367.081(4)(b), F.S., has thereby exceeded the range of its last authorized rate of return, the Commission may require a utility to file the information required in Rule 25-30.437, F.A.C., for the test year specified.~~

~~(8) Prior to the time a customer begins consumption at the adjusted rates, the utility shall notify each customer of the increase authorized and explain the reasons for the increase.~~

~~(9) The utility shall file an original and five copies of the verified notice and supporting documents with the Commission Clerk. The rates shall become effective 45 days after the official date of filing. The official date of filing for the verified notice to the Commission of adjustment in rates shall be at least 45 days before the new rates are implemented. Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.081, 367.121(1)(c), (f) FS. Law Implemented 367.081(4), 367.121(1)(c), (g) FS. History—New 6-10-75, Amended 4-5-79, 4-5-81, 10-21-82, Formerly 25-10.179, Amended 11-10-86, 6-5-91, 4-18-99, _____.~~

25-30.455 Staff Assistance in Rate Cases.

(1) Water and wastewater utilities whose total gross annual operating revenues are \$275,000 or less for water service or \$275,000 or less for wastewater service, or \$550,000 or less on a combined basis, may petition the Commission for staff assistance in rate applications by submitting a completed staff assisted rate case application. ~~If a utility that chooses to utilize the staff assistance option employs outside experts to assist in developing information for staff or to assist in evaluating staff's schedules and conclusions, the Reasonable and prudent rate case expense shall will be eligible for recovery recoverable through the rates developed by staff. Recovery of attorney fees and outside consultant fees related to the rate case shall be determined based on the requirements set forth in Section 367.0814(3), F.S.~~ A utility that chooses not to exercise the option of staff

assistance may file for a rate increase under the provisions of Rule 25-30.443, F.A.C.

(2) through (14) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 350.127(2), 367.0814, 367.121 FS. Law Implemented 367.0814 FS. History—New 12-8-80, Formerly 25-10.180, Amended 11-10-86, 8-26-91, 11-30-93, 1-31-00, 12-16-08, 8-10-14, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Martha Golden.

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 6, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 42, Number 183, September 20, 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Accountancy

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61H1-27.0041 One Year of Work Experience

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to conform to statute.

SUMMARY: The rule will be amended to conform to 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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 473.304(1), 473.308(4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 473.308(4) 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: Veloria A. Kelly, Division Director, Board of Accountancy, 240 NW 76th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, Florida 32607

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61H1-27.0041 One Year of Work Experience.

(1) With the exception of an applicant who completes the requirements of Section 473.308(3), F.S., on or before December 31, 2008, and who passes the licensure examination on or before June 30, 2010, an applicant must document one year of work experience. One year of work experience shall be held and understood to mean the provision of any type of service or advice involving the use of accounting, attest, compilation, management advisory, financial advisory, tax, or consulting skills as verified by the verifying certified public accountant, commencing after the completion of 120 semester or ~~180~~ ~~160~~ quarter hours from an accredited college or university with a concentration in accounting and business courses or after the applicant has passed the licensure examination in another state or territory of the United States and has either been licensed as a certified public accountant or has met licensing requirements for that state or territory. The experience must either average at least twenty (20) hours a week over no more than one hundred and four (104) weeks or average no more than forty (40) hours a week over no more than fifty-two (52) weeks. Reasonable vacation time and sick leave or other required absences may be permitted. The verifying certified public accountant, in her or his report to the Department, shall verify that the applicant rendered such services for a minimum of 2,000 hours gained over a period of not less than fifty-two (52) or more than one hundred and four (104) weeks. The sequence of the experience is considered immaterial, that is, whether the experience was secured before or after taking the examination, or partly before the examination and partly after the examination, provided the two periods combined equal at least one year.

(2) through (4) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 473.304(1), 473.308(4) FS. Law Implemented 473.308(4) FS. History—New 3-3-09, Amended 5-3-10, 12-18-12,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Board of Accountancy

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Accountancy

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 4, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: November 22, 2016

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Accountancy

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61H1-36.004 Disciplinary Guidelines; Range of Penalties; Aggravating and Mitigating Circumstances

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update guidelines and add new guidelines.

SUMMARY: The rule will be amended to update and add new guidelines.

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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 473.304(1), 473.308(4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 473.308(4) 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: Veloria A. Kelly, Division Director, Board of Accountancy, 240 NW 76th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, Florida 32607

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61H1-36.004 Disciplinary Guidelines; Range of Penalties; Aggravating and Mitigating Circumstances.

(1) No change.

(2) The following disciplinary guidelines shall be followed by the board in imposing disciplinary penalties upon licensees for violation of the below mentioned statutes and rules:

VIOLATION	PENALTY RANGE	
	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
(a) through (aa) No change.		
(bb) Failure to obtain continuing professional education hours (Section 473.312, F.S., Rule 61H1-33.003, F.A.C.)		
First Offense		
NUMBER OF HOURS LACKING		
1 to 16 hours	\$500 fine, makeup missing hours plus 20 additional penalty hours, in same category as those missed, if missing hours are ethics, penalty hours would consist of accounting/auditing, within 90 days of final order, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods	\$1,000 fine, makeup missing hours plus 20 additional penalty hours, in same category as those missed, if missing hours are ethics, penalty hours would consist of accounting/auditing, within 90 days of final order, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods
17 to 80 hours	\$1,000 fine, makeup missing hours plus additional penalty hours equal to the number of those missed, within same category as those missed, suspension until all hours are	Suspension. \$2,000 fine, makeup missing hours plus additional penalty hours equal to the number of those missed, within same category as those missed, suspension until all hours are

	completed, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods	completed , must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods
Second Offense		
NUMBER OF HOURS LACKING		
1 to 16 hours	\$500 fine, makeup missing hours plus 20 additional penalty hours, in same category as those missed, if missing hours are ethics, penalty hours would consist of accounting/auditing, suspension until all hours are completed, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods	\$1,000 fine, makeup missing hours plus 20 additional penalty hours, in same category as those missed, if missing hours are ethics, penalty hours would consist of accounting/auditing, suspension until all hours are completed, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods
17 to 80 hours	\$2,000 fine, makeup missing hours plus additional penalty hours equal to the number of those missed, within same category as those missed, suspension until all hours are completed, must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods	Suspension. \$2,500 fine, makeup missing hours plus additional penalty hours equal to the number of those missed, within same category as those missed, suspension until all hours are completed , must submit proof of compliance for next two renewal periods

(cc) No change.		
<u>(dd) Utilizing CPA designation without an active license (473.323(1)(a) through a violation of</u>	<u>Reprimand, completion of four penalty hours of Board-approved ethics</u>	<u>Suspension and \$500 fine.</u>

<u>473.322(1)(b), F.S.)</u>	<u>continuing professional education hours</u>	
<u>(ee) Performing work described in s. 473.302(8)(a), F.S., (e.g. – audits, reviews, or compilations) without an active individual and/or firm license (473.323(1)(a) through a violation of 473.322(1)(b), F.S.)</u>	<u>Reprimand, \$500 fine, completion of four penalty hours of Board-approved ethics and eight penalty hours of Accounting and Auditing continuing professional education hours</u>	<u>Suspension and \$1,000 fine, completion of eight penalty hours of Accounting and Auditing continuing professional education hours</u>

(3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 455.2273, 473.304 FS. Law Implemented 455.277, 455.2273, 473.323 FS. History–New 1-7-87, Amended 9-16-87, 8-25-88, 6-18-91, 12-30-91, Formerly 21A-36.004, Amended 12-7-93, 5-23-94, 8-16-99, 1-31-05, 7-28-10, 5-6-15, 9-30-15, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Board of Accountancy

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Accountancy

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 4, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: November 22, 2016

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board

RULE NO.: 61J1-2.001
RULE TITLE: Fees

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update fees.

SUMMARY: The amendment will update the fees.

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: : During discussion of the economic impact of this rule

at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 475.614 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 215.34, 455.217, 455.2281, 455.271(6)(b), 475.6147, 475.615, 475.618 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: Juana Watkins, Executive Director, Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board, 400 West Robinson Street, #N801, Orlando, FL 32801.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61J1-2.001 Fees.

(1) The application fee shall be as follows:

No change.

Certified Residential Appraiser

~~\$91.00~~ 400.00

Certified General Appraiser

~~\$91.00~~ 400.00

No change.

(2) No change.

(3) The fee for appraisal course instructors shall be:

Application for General Appraiser Instructors

~~\$44.00~~ 50.00

Application for Residential Appraiser Instructors

~~\$44.75~~

No change.

(4) through (14) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 475.614 FS. Law Implemented 215.34, 455.217, 455.2281, 455.271(6)(b), 475.6147, 475.615, 475.618 FS. History–New 10-15-91, Amended 6-7-92, 5-6-93, Formerly 21VV-2.001, Amended 9-22-93, 7-5-94, 5-22-95, 8-20-96, 11-11-97, 10-1-98, 10-29-98, 1-7-99, 11-15-99, 11-10-03, 2-21-06, 9-21-06, 12-4-06, 3-13-07, 12-4-07, 7-17-11, 7-16-12, 5-8-13, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE
 PROPOSED RULE: Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY
 HEAD: November 14, 2016
 DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT
 PUBLISHED IN FAR: September 9, 2016

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Hearing Aid Specialists

RULE NO.: 64B6-6.010 RULE TITLE:
 Requirements Regarding Certain
 Information on the Receipt

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the information required on the receipt.

SUMMARY: The amendment allows people to file complaints online.

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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 484.044 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 484.051(2), (3) 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: Jennifer Wenhold, Executive Director, Board of Hearing Aid Specialists, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B6-6.010 Requirements Regarding Certain Information on the Receipt.

(1) The receipt required by Section 484.051(2), F.S., shall contain the address, ~~and~~ telephone number and website of the Department of Health, Consumer Services Unit, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C75, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3275, (850) 245-4339, www.flhealthcomplaint.gov. Failure to provide this address on the receipt shall be a violation of this rule subject to disciplinary action.

(2) No change.
 Rulemaking Authority 484.044 FS. Law Implemented 484.051(2), (3) FS. History—New 8-12-87, Amended 5-22-90, 3-5-91, Formerly 21JJ-6.009, Amended 6-26-95, Formerly 61G9-6.009, Amended

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Board of Hearing Aid Specialists
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE
 PROPOSED RULE: Board of Hearing Aid Specialists
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY
 HEAD: October 25, 2016
 DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT
 PUBLISHED IN FAR: November 23, 2016

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: 64B18-14.002 RULE TITLE:
 Disciplinary Guidelines

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to implement the legislative changes made by Chapter 2016-222, Laws of Florida.

SUMMARY: Updates to the rule will be made to implement the legislative changes made by Chapter 2016-222, Laws of Florida.

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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and

that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 456.072, 456.079, 461.005, 461.013 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.033, 456.063, 456.072, 456.079, 461.012, 461.013 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: Anthony B. Spivey, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B18-14.002 Disciplinary Guidelines.

The Board sets forth below a range of disciplinary guidelines from which disciplinary penalties will be imposed upon an applicant or licensee whom it regulates under Chapter 461, F.S. The purpose of the disciplinary guidelines is to give notice to licensees of the range of penalties which will normally be imposed upon violations of particular provisions of either Section 461.012 or 456.072, F.S. The brief description of each violation is provided for quick reference and is not meant to convey all elements of any given statutory provision; the full language of each statutory provision cited must be consulted in order to determine the conduct involved. The disciplinary guidelines are based upon a single count violation of each provision listed. Multiple counts of violations of the same provision of Chapter 461, F.S., or the rules promulgated thereto, or other unrelated violations contained in the same administrative complaint will be grounds for enhancement of penalties. All penalties at the upper range of the sanctions set forth in the guidelines, i.e., suspension, revocation, etc., include lesser penalties, i.e., fine, probation or reprimand which may be included in the final penalty.

VIOLATION	FIRST OFFENSE	SECOND OFFENSE
(1) through (61) No change.		
(62) 456.072, F.S. Willfully failing to comply with s. 627.64194 or	The Board shall impose a penalty of reprimand and/or a fine of	The Board shall impose a penalty of reprimand up to

s. 641.513 with such frequency as to indicate a general business practice.	\$250.	suspension, require continuing education, and a fine of \$2,000.
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Rulemaking Authority 456.072, 456.079, 461.005, 461.013 FS. Law Implemented 456.033, 456.063, 456.072, 456.079, 461.012, 461.013 FS. History—New 11-21-79, Amended 8-31-81, Formerly 21T-14.02, Amended 10-14-86, 12-8-88, 1-19-92, 4-26-93, Formerly 21T-14.002, 61F12-14.002, Amended 2-25-96, 5-29-97, Formerly 59Z-14.002, Amended 11-17-97, 8-24-00, 8-13-02, 4-26-04, 6-14-06, 10-10-06, 11-25-07, 12-25-11, 11-27-16, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Podiatric Medicine

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Podiatric Medicine

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 15, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: November 3, 2016

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Psychology

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B19-11.005 Supervised Experience Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the amendment to update the rule language.

SUMMARY: To update the rule language.

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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the

Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 490.004(4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 490.005(1) 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: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Psychology, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B19-11.005 Supervised Experience Requirements.

The law requires 2 years or 4,000 hours of supervised experience for licensure. The Board recognizes that the applicant's internship satisfies 1 year or 2,000 of those hours. This rule concerns the remaining 1 year or 2,000 hours.

(1) Definitions. Within the context of this rule, the following definitions apply:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) "Supervisor." A supervisor is either a licensed Florida psychologist in good standing with the Board, or a doctoral-level psychologist licensed in good standing in another state or United States territory, or Canada providing supervision for licensure in that state or territory. However, where the psychology resident or post-doctoral fellow is on active duty with the armed services of the United States, or employed full time by the United States as a civilian psychology resident or post-doctoral fellow to provide services to the armed services or to a veterans administration facility, the supervisor may be a doctoral-level psychologist licensed in good standing in any state or territory, regardless of where the supervision is conducted.

(d) through (e) No change.

(2) Requirements and Prohibitions. All applicants for licensure must complete at least 1 year or 2,000 hours of post doctoral experience under a supervisor whose supervision comports with subsection (3) of this rule.

(a) No change.

(b) A psychology resident or post-doctoral fellow may be supervised by more than one supervisor, at more than one location. If there is more than one supervisor, each supervisor must provide supervision in a manner that comports with subsection (3) of this rule. ~~however, then one of the supervisors must be identified as the primary supervisor. The~~

~~primary supervisor shall be the supervisor who enters into the agreement with the applicant for licensure, for supervision, and who integrates all of the applicant's supervisory experiences.~~

(c) The post-doctoral training must include ~~be a cohesive and integrated training experience which includes~~ the following ~~criteria~~:

1. It averages at least twenty (20) hours a week for two years, if part-time, or forty (40) hours per week for one year, if full-time ~~over no more than one hundred and four (104) weeks. Alternatively, it averages no more than forty (40) hours a week over no more than fifty two (52) weeks;~~

2. No change.

3. It includes an average of at least two (2) hours of clinical supervision each week, at least one (1) hour of which is individual face-to-face supervision. The additional hour of clinical supervision may include individual supervision, group supervision, case presentation as long as the licensed psychologist supervisor is present in person or via video teleconferencing;

(3) Supervisors' Responsibilities. The Board requires each primary supervisor to perform and to certify that the ~~primary~~ supervisor has:

(a) through (c) No change.

(d) Provided two (2) hours of clinical supervision each week, one (1) hour of which was individual, face-to-face supervision. The additional hour of clinical supervision may include individual supervision, group supervision, case presentation as long as the licensed psychologist supervisor is present in person or via video teleconferencing;

(e) through (g) No change.

~~(h) When there is more than one supervisor, pursuant to paragraph (2)(b) above, the primary supervisor shall provide the Board with a written statement describing the manner in which the training and supervision comprised a cohesive and integrated experience.~~

(4) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 490.004(4) FS. Law Implemented 490.005(1) FS. History--New 11-18-92, Amended 7-14-93, Formerly 21U-11.007, Amended 6-14-94, Formerly 61F13-11.007, Amended 1-7-96, Formerly 59AA-11.005, Amended 12-4-97, 8-5-01, 7-27-04, 3-4-10, 8-15-11, 9-24-13,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Board of Psychology

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Psychology

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 17, 2016

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 7, 2016

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and
Withdrawals

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
59G-4.110 Hearing Services

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 42 No. 217, November 7, 2016 issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
59G-4.125 Behavior Analysis Services

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. 42 No. 196, October 7, 2016 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following additional changes have been made to the notice of change, published in the Vol. 42, No. 233, December 2, 2016, issue of the Florida Administrative Register regarding the Florida Medicaid Applied Behavior Analysis Services Coverage Policy.

Subsection 5.2, added the following:

Psychological testing, neuropsychology, psychotherapy, cognitive, therapy, sex therapy, psychoanalysis, hypnotherapy, or long-term counseling

Removed the following:

Services including seclusion and restraint procedures

Section IV
Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

NONE

Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public
Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

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

DATE AND TIME: December 21, 2016, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E. Main Street, Bartow, Florida 33830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

The Commission will convene telephonically for the regularly scheduled meeting of the Florida Citrus Commission. The Commission will address issues pertaining to budget items and revisions, contracts, licensing, issues pertaining to Chapter 601, F.S., rulemaking; and any other matter addressed during regular meetings of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Heather Anderson, Florida Department of Citrus, P.O. Box 9010, Bartow, Florida 33831 or handerson@citrus.myflorida.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Dianne Screws, dscrews@citrus.myflorida.com, (863)537-3984. 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.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Division of Emergency Management

The Division of Emergency Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 15, 2016, 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: William E. Sadowski Office Building, 2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: In accordance with the timeframe set forth in Section 120.525, Florida Statutes, a Public Opening is hereby noticed within the timeline for the Invitation to bid (ITB-DEM-16-17-035) for Pancake Geiger-Mueller Monitoring Instruments.

The Division reserves the right to issue amendments, addenda, and changes to the timeline and specifically to the meeting notice listed above. The Division will post notice of any changes or additional meetings within the Vendor Bid System

(VBS) in accordance with Section 287.042(3), Florida Statutes, and will not re-advertise notice in the Florida Administrative Review (FAR). Access the VBS at: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kara Godwin, Division Purchasing Specialist, Bureau of Finance, Florida Division of Emergency Management, 2555 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)922-1649, Kara.Godwin@em.myflorida.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kara Godwin, Division Purchasing Specialist, Bureau of Finance, Florida Division of Emergency Management, 2555 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)922-1649, Kara.Godwin@em.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).

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation

The Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 10, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Telephone conference only; to attend call: 1(888)909-7654 and enter participant code: 128126 when prompted

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

The Board will address official business of the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation which will include, among other matters, a review of mobile home owner applications for compensation for relocation and/or abandonment due to change in land use and such other business as may come before the Board. A schedule for future meetings will be determined.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vicky Krentz at 1(888)862-7010.

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: Vicky Krentz at 1(888)862-7010. 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: Vicky Krentz, Executive Director, FMHRC, PO Box 7848, Clearwater, FL 33758, 1(888)862-7010, vicky@fmhrc.org.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing Home Administrators

The Board of Nursing Home Administration announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 13, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 1(888)670-3525, participant code: 7342425515

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Board Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained at <http://floridasnursinghomeadmin.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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Anthony.Spivey@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).

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: Anthony.Spivey@flhealth.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists

The Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 6, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 1(888)670-3525, participant code: 7342425515

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Board Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <http://floridasorthotistsprosthetists.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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Anthony.Spivey@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).

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: Anthony.Spivey@flhealth.gov.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 17, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Rick Seltzer Conference Room, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

This Review Committee meeting will be to discuss the responses received from qualified Respondents in response to RFP 2016-06, 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 Florida Housing Finance Corporation, (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.

AREA AGENCY ON AGING FOR SOUTHWEST FLORIDA D/B/A SENIOR CHOICES OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

The Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida, d/b/a Senior Choices of Southwest Florida, announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: February 9, 2017, 4:00 p.m.; April 13, 2017, 4:00 p.m.; June 8, 2017, 4:00 p.m.; August 10, 2017, 4:00 p.m.; October 12, 2017, 4:00 p.m., and December 14, 2017, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: AAASWFL, 15201 North Cleveland Avenue, Suite 1100, North Ft. Myers, FL 33903

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Board of Directors meetings.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.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 1 day before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.org or (239)652-6900. 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: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.org.

AREA AGENCY ON AGING FOR SOUTHWEST FLORIDA D/B/A SENIOR CHOICES OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

The Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida d/b/a Senior Choices of Southwest Florida announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: January 20, 2017, 9:30 a.m.; March 17, 2017, 9:30 a.m.; May 19, 2017, 9:30 a.m.; July 21, 2017, 9:30 a.m.; September 15, 2017, 9:30 a.m.; November 17, 2017, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: AAASWFL, 15201 N. Cleveland Ave., Ste. 1100, North Ft. Myers, FL 33903

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Advisory Council/Local Coalition Workgroup meetings.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.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 1 day before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.org, (239)652-6900. 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: Cindy Erickson, Executive Assistant, Cindy.Erickson@aaaswfl.org.

VISIT FLORIDA

VISIT FLORIDA announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 10, 2017, 9:00 a.m., ET

PLACE: Disney's Contemporary Resort, Orlando, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss programs, issues and other subject matter pertaining to the VISIT FLORIDA Board of Directors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sally Davis at sdavis@VISITFLORIDA.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: Sally Davis. 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: Sally Davis at sdavis@VISITFLORIDA.org.

SOUTH FLORIDA COMMUNITY CARE NETWORK

The South Florida Community Care Network, LLC d/b/a Community Care Plan announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 20, 2016, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Broward Health Corporate - Spectrum Building, 1700 NW 49th Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

The Members of Community Care Plan and the Board of North Broward Hospital District d/b/a Broward Health Board will discuss general matters relating to the operations of South Florida Community Care Network.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Crystal Quirin at cquirin@ccpcare.org or (954)622-3224.

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: Susan Mansolillo at SMansolillo@ccpcare.org or (954)622-3232. 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: F. Philip Blank, Esq., counsel for South Florida Community Care Network, LLC, at phil@blanklaw.com or (850)508-4683.

Section VII

**Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Declaratory Statements**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Licensing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Division of Licensing has received a petition for declaratory statement from Eduardo Wolmers, filed on December 6, 2016. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 493, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

The Petitioner seeks to create a new company whose prospective activities provide the basis for his petition. Petitioner asks three questions regarding repossession services, for which he seeks a response from the Division. Per Rule 28-105.0027, Florida Administrative Code, except for good cause shown, petitions to intervene must be filed within 21 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: John Roberts, Government Analyst I, Post Office Box 5708, Tallahassee, Florida 32314, John.Roberts@freshfromflorida.com, (850)245-5459.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, State of Florida, has received a petition for declaratory statement from Timothy J. Sloan, Esq., In Re: Casa Blanca Resort Condominium Association, Inc., Docket No. 2016055595, filed on December 6, 2016. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of sections 721.13(8), 718.113(5)(a) through 718.113(5)(c), and Section 718.112(2)(a), Florida Statutes, as they apply to the petitioner.

Do the various elements of the Project constitute material alterations or substantial additions to the common elements, accommodations, or facilities of Casa Blanca? Can the board initiate the various elements of the Project without the approval of the owners under Section 721.13(8) of the Florida Statutes? If the answer to Question 2 above is no, can the Board initiate the Project without the approval of the owners under Sections 718.113(5)(a) through 718.113(5)(c) of the Florida Statutes? If the answers to Questions 2 and 3 above are no, can the Board authorize the Project based on the necessary maintenance and/or protection of the common elements exceptions to Section 718.112(2)(a), Florida Statutes? If the answers to Questions 2, 3, and 4 above are no, can the Board authorize the Project based on its health, safety, and welfare powers? Will the Division support the Board's decision to initiate the Project under the business judgment rule?

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Danielle Walker, Administrative Assistant II, at Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1030, (850)717-1539, Danielle.Walker@myfloridalicense.com.

Please refer all comments to: Megan Silver, Senior Attorney, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division

of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202. Responses, motions to intervene, or requests for an agency hearing, §120.57(2), Fla. Stat., must be filed within 21 days of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Finance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Office of Financial Regulation received a petition for declaratory statement from Grupo Regalii Inc., on December 2, 2016. The petition seeks the agency’s opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 560, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

The petition seeks a declaratory statement from the Office on whether Petitioner’s proposed business model falls within the Florida Money Transmitter Statute, Chapter 560, Florida Statutes. Petitioner’s proposed business model offers an application program interface that connects service providers who provide periodic bills to consumers, such as utility and telecom businesses (“Billers”), to licensed money transmitters who accept payments from consumers. Regalii’s software provides the path by which licensed money transmitters can offer real-time bill payment to consumers, even when the consumer’s bills are with providers in another country.

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)410-9784, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

Please refer all comments to: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9784, 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

Request for Proposals 2016-06, for Financial Coaching and Counseling Training
for the Foreclosure Counseling Program

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 Request for Proposals (RFP) 2016-06, relating to the procurement of Financial Coaching and Counseling Training. Florida Housing expects to select one Respondent who proposes to provide these services as specified in this RFP.

Responses shall be accepted until 2:00 p.m. (Eastern Time), January 9, 2017, to the attention of the Contracts Manager, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

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 Request for Proposals from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation website at <http://www.floridahousing.org/BusinessAndLegal/Solicitations/RequestForProposals>. Any modifications that occur to the Request for Qualifications will be posted at the website and may result in an extension of the deadline.

**Section XII
Miscellaneous**

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On December 8, 2016, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Suspension with regard to the certificate of Camille S. Staggars, C.N.A., Certificate # CNA 212881. This Emergency Suspension Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General’s findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6), Florida Statutes (2016). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On December 8, 2016, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction with regard to the license of Marcello Gustavo Nicolosi, R.N., License # RN 9399693. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General’s findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6), Florida Statutes (2016). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES
FSC - Financial Institution Regulation
Office of Financial Institutions

NOTICE OF FILINGS

Financial Services Commission
Office of Financial Regulation
December 14, 2016

Notice is hereby given that the Office of Financial Regulation, Division of Financial Institutions, has received the following applications. Comments may be submitted to the Division Director, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0371, for inclusion in the official record without requesting a hearing. However, pursuant to provisions specified in Chapter 69U-105, Florida Administrative Code, any person may request a public hearing by filing a petition with the Agency Clerk as follows:

By Mail or Facsimile	OR	By Hand Delivery
Agency Clerk		Agency Clerk
Office of Financial Regulation		Office of Financial Regulation
P.O. Box 8050		The Fletcher Building, Suite 118

Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050 101 East Gaines Street
Phone: (850)410-9889 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0379
Fax: (850)410-9663 Phone: (850)410-9889

The Petition must be received by the Clerk within twenty-one (21) days of publication of this notice (by 5:00 p.m., January 4, 2017):

APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH AN INTERNATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

Applicant and Location: Standard Chartered Bank, 1 Basinghall Avenue, London EC2V 5DD, United Kingdom
Proposed Florida Location: 1111 Brickell Avenue, Suite 1600, Miami, Florida 33131

Received: December 8, 2016

APPLICATION FOR CONVERSION OF A NATIONAL BANK TO A STATE BANK

Applicant and Location: HomeBanc National Association, 3701 W. Lake Mary Boulevard, Lake Mary, Seminole County, Florida 32746

With Title: HomeBanc

Received: December 8, 2016

**Section XIII
Index to Rules Filed During Preceding
Week**

NOTE: The above section will be published on Tuesday beginning October 2, 2012, unless Monday is a holiday, then it will be published on Wednesday of that week.