

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

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

**Division of Agricultural Water Policy**

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**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** Pursuant to Section 373.407, Florida Statutes this rulemaking proposes to develop definitions and procedures by which the Department will make binding determinations about whether activities, which alter the topography of land, are or are not exempt from Environmental Resource Permitting requirements of Chapter 373, Florida Statutes.

**SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED:** Departmental procedures to issue binding determinations as to whether an agricultural practice altering the topography of a tract of land is exempt from Environmental Resource Permitting requirements. The land must be classified as agricultural by a property appraiser pursuant to Section 193.461, Florida Statutes. The activity must be a normal and customary agricultural activity for the area and must not be for the sole or predominant purpose of impeding or diverting surface water or adversely impacting wetlands.

**RULEMAKING AUTHORITY:** 373.407, 570.07(23) FS.

**LAW IMPLEMENTED:** 373.406(2), 373.407 FS.

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**THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS:** Bill Bartnick, Environmental Administrator, Office of Agricultural Water Policy, 1203 Governor Square Boulevard, Suite 200, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850)617-1700 or Fax (850)617-1701

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

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**State Board of Education**

**RULE NO.:** 6A-6.0253  
**RULE TITLE:** Diabetes Management

**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** The purpose and effect of this rule development is to address the management and care of students with diabetes.

**SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED:** Management and care of students with diabetes.

**RULEMAKING AUTHORITY:** 1002.20(3)(j) FS.

**LAW IMPLEMENTED:** 1002.20(3)(j) FS.

**IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:**

**DATE AND TIME:** January 24, 2012, 9:00 a.m. until completion

**PLACE:** Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Room 1706, Turlington Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399. Call in information: 1(888)808-6959, When prompted, enter your Conference Code (5863745134) followed by #.

**THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT IS:** Cathy Bishop, Interim Chief, Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services, K-12 Public Schools, Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Room 614, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)245-0475. To request a rule development workshop, please contact: Lynn Abbott, Agency Clerk, Department of Education, (850)245-9661 or e-mail [lynn.abbott@fldoe.org](mailto:lynn.abbott@fldoe.org) or go to <https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/default.aspx>.

**THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:**

6A-6.0253 Diabetes Management.

(1) Definitions.

(a) Diabetes. Diabetes is a disease that impairs the body's ability to produce or properly use insulin, a hormone that is needed to convert food into energy.

(b) Diabetes management includes routine and emergency care of students with diabetes.

(c) Emergency Action Plan (EAP). An EAP is a child-specific action plan for anticipated health emergency (ies) in the school setting. The EAP is a component of the Individualized Health Care Plan (IHCP) developed in accordance with Section 1006.062(4), F.S., and Rule 64F-6.004, F.A.C. The EAP shall specify when the emergency number (911) will be called and describe a plan of action if the student needs assistance or is unable to self-administer medication or self-manage treatment as prescribed.

(d) Individualized Health Care Plan (IHCP). An IHCP is a plan of action developed by a registered nurse (RN) in collaboration with the student, parent(s), health care team, and school personnel for the management of diabetes while in school, participating in school-sponsored activities, and in transit to or from school or school-sponsored activities. The IHCP is child-specific in accordance with Section 1006.062(4), F.S., and includes a written format for nursing assessment (health status, risks, concerns, and strengths), nursing diagnoses, interventions, delegation, expected outcomes, and goals to meet the health care needs of a student with diabetes, and to protect the safety of all students from the misuse or abuse of medication, supplies, and equipment.

(e) Medical Management Plan. A Medical Management Plan means medical authorization for diabetes treatment and includes medication orders from a student's healthcare provider.

(f) Self-Administration. Self-administration shall mean that a student with diabetes is able to self-manage medication, supplies, and equipment in the manner directed by a licensed healthcare provider without additional assistance or direction.

(2) A student with diabetes shall be allowed to carry and self-administer medication, supplies, and equipment in accordance with Section 1002.20(3)(j), F.S., based on the student's medical management plan from the healthcare provider and written parental consent.

(3) School districts are encouraged to have appropriate personnel, whether school nurses or trained school employees, assigned to each school a student with diabetes would otherwise attend if he or she did not have diabetes, and that such personnel are available to provide the necessary diabetes care throughout the school day and during school-sponsored activities, in accordance with Section 1006.062, F.S., and the local School Health Services Plan, as provided in Section 381.0056, F.S.

(4) The Department of Education, in collaboration with the Department of Health, shall develop technical assistance regarding the care of students with diabetes, and shall identify and provide sources to school districts for training school personnel.

Rulemaking Authority 1002.20(3)(j) FS. Law Implemented 1002.20(3)(j) FS. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

RULE NO.: 25-6.0431  
 RULE TITLE: Application for a Limited Proceeding  
 PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To prescribe the filing requirements for a petition for limited proceeding for electric utilities. Undocketed.  
 SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The rule addresses the requirements for filing a petition for limited proceeding.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05, 366.06(1), 366.076(2) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.05, 366.06, 366.076 FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 12, 2012, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Betty Easley Conference Center, Room 148, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida. One or more Commissioners may be in attendance and participate in the workshop. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons requiring a special accommodation to participate at this workshop meeting should contact the Office of Commission Clerk no later than five days prior to the workshop at 2540 Shimmered Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, via 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) or 1(800)955-8771 (TDD), Florida Relay Service.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Kathryn G. W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6216 or kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us. A copy of the staff workshop agenda and draft rule will be available on the Commission's website at www.floridapsc.com on December 9, 2011.

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

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

RULE NO.: 25-7.0391  
 RULE TITLE: Application for a Limited Proceeding  
 PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To prescribe the filing requirements for a petition for limited proceeding for gas utilities. Undocketed.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The rule addresses the requirements for filing a petition for limited proceeding.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05, 366.06(1), 366.076(2) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.05, 366.06, 366.076 FS.

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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

RULE NO.: 25-22.0406  
 RULE TITLE: Notice and Public Information on General Rate Increase Requests by Electric, Gas and Telephone Companies

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend Rule 25-22.0406, F.A.C., to address notice and public information requirements for electric and gas utilities filing petitions for limited proceeding and to delete references to telephone companies. Undocketed.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: This rulemaking will address notice and public information requirements for electric and gas utility companies filing petitions for limited proceedings.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 350.127(2), 366.05 FS.  
 LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.569, 120.57, 366.03, 366.041(1), 366.05, 366.06(1) FS.

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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

**Suwannee River Water Management District**

RULE NO.: 40B-9.1381  
 RULE TITLE: Prohibited Activities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rulemaking is to revise this Land Management Rule to conform with recently enacted legislation, Chapter 2011-109, Laws of Florida (HB 45), which has expressly preempted the regulation of firearms and ammunition in Florida. District staff proposes amendments to the rule to eliminate any reference to firearms within this rule.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Land Management Rules.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.083, 373.1391 FS.  
 LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.056, 373.096, 373.099, 373.1391, 373.1401 FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Linda Welch, GB Coordinator-Paralegal, SRWMD, 9225 C.R. 49, Live Oak, Florida 32060, (386)362-1001 or (800)226-1066 (FL only).

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Board of Physical Therapy Practice**

RULE NO.: 64B17-7.001  
 RULE TITLE: Disciplinary Guidelines

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to be consistent with Subsection 456.072(1)(II), F.S.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Make Changes to be consistent with Subsection 456.072(1)(II), F.S.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.036, 456.072, 456.079, 486.025 FS.  
 LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.072, 456.073, 456.079, 486.125 FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy Practice, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES**

**Mental Health Program**

RULE NO.: 65E-14.012                      RULE TITLE: Contract Suspension and Termination

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to repeal unnecessary language concerning contract closeout and contract termination from the community substance abuse and mental health services financial rules that conflicts with the Department’s standard contract.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Proposed changes to the community substance abuse and mental health services financial rules.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 394.74, 397.03 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 394.74, 397.03 FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT IS: Frank Dichio Substance Abuse and Mental Health Program Office, 1317 Winewood Boulevard, Building 6, Room 231, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0700, frank\_dichio@dcf.state.fl.us, (850)717-4345

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

65E-14.012 Contract ~~Closeout~~, Suspension, and Termination.

~~(1) Closeout.~~

~~(a) Each contract shall be closed out as promptly as is feasible after expiration or termination.~~

~~(b) In closing out department contracts, the following shall be observed:~~

~~1. Upon request, the department shall pay the contractor within 120 days for any allowable reimbursable costs not covered by previous payments up to the limits of the amounts specified in the contract.~~

~~2. The contractor shall, within 120 days, refund any unearned state funds advanced to the contractor.~~

~~3. The contractor shall submit, within 120 days of the date of expiration, all financial, performance, and other reports required by the terms of the contract. The department may extend the due date for any report upon receiving a justified request from the contractor and may waive any report which is not needed.~~

~~4. If a contract is closed out without audit, the department retains the right up to five years to disallow and recover an appropriate amount, after fully considering any recommended disallowances resulting from an audit which may be conducted later.~~

~~5. The closeout of a contract does not affect the contractor’s responsibilities with respect to property under Rule 65E-14.010, F.A.C., or with respect to any program income for which the contractor is still accountable.~~

~~(c) Amounts payable to the State. For each contract, the following sum shall constitute a debt or debts owed by the contractor to the State, and shall be recovered from the contractor or its successor or assignees by setoff or other action as provided by law: any contracted funds paid to the contractor by the State in excess of the amount to which the contractor is determined to be entitled under the terms of the contract.~~

~~(d) Violation of terms. When a contractor has materially failed to comply with the terms of a contract, the department may suspend the contract in accordance with subsection (2), below, terminate the contract for cause, as provided in subsection (3), below, or take such remedies as may be legally available and appropriate in the circumstances.~~

~~(1)(2) Suspension.~~

(a) When a contractor has materially failed to comply with the terms of a contract, the department may, upon written notice to the contractor, suspend the contract in whole or in part. The notice of suspension will state the reasons for the suspension, any corrective action required of the contractor, and the effective date. The suspension may be made effective at once if a delayed effective date would be unreasonable considering the department’s responsibilities to protect the State’s interest. Suspensions shall remain in effect until the contractor has taken corrective action satisfactory to the department or given evidence satisfactory to the department that such corrective action will be taken, or until the department terminates the contract.

(b) New obligations incurred by the contractor during the suspension period will not be allowed unless the department expressly authorizes them in the notice of suspension, or an amendment to it. Necessary and otherwise allowable costs which the contractor could not reasonably avoid during the suspension period will be allowed if they result from obligations properly incurred by the contractor before the effective date of the suspension and not in anticipation of suspension or termination. At the discretion of the department,

third-party in-kind contributions applicable to the suspension period may be allowed in satisfaction of matching requirements.

(c) Appropriate adjustment to payments under the suspended contract will be made either by withholding subsequent payments or by not allowing the contractor credit for disbursements made in payment of unauthorized obligations incurred during the suspension period.

~~(2)(3) Termination. Any contract may be terminated, with or without cause, in accordance with the terms of the contract.~~

~~(a) Termination for cause. The department may terminate any contract in whole, or in part, at any time before the date of expiration, whenever it determines that the contractor has materially failed to comply with the terms of the contract. The department shall promptly notify the contractor in writing of the determination and the reasons for the termination, together with the effective date.~~

~~(b) Termination on other grounds. Except as provided in paragraph (3)(a) of this rule, contracts may be terminated in whole, or in part, only as follows:~~

~~1. By the department with the consent of the contractor, in which case the two parties shall agree upon the termination conditions, including the effective date and in the case of partial termination, the portion to be terminated, or~~

~~2. By the contractor, upon written notification to the department, setting forth the reasons for such termination, the effective date, and, in the case of partial termination, the portion to be terminated. However, if, in the case of a partial termination, the department determines that the remaining portion of the contract will not accomplish the purposes for which the contract was made, the department may terminate the contract in its entirety under either paragraph (3)(a) or (3)(b), above.~~

~~(c) Termination settlements. When a contract is terminated, the contractor shall not incur new obligations for the terminated portion after the effective date, and shall be responsible for all outstanding obligations after the effective date of the termination. The department shall not allow credit to the contractor for the state's share of any obligations incurred by the contractor after termination.~~

~~Rulemaking Specific Authority 394.74, 397.03 FS. Law Implemented 394.74, 397.03 FS. History—New 2-23-83, Amended 2-25-85, Formerly 10E-14.12, 10E-14.012, Amended \_\_\_\_\_.~~

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Insurance Agents and Agency Services**

RULE NOS.:                      RULE TITLES:  
 69B-211.041                    Definitions  
 69B-211.042                    Effect of Law Enforcement Records  
   on Applications for Licensure

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: In the 2011 Legislative Session, Section 626.207, F.S., was amended to change the way that the criminal history of an applicant affects an application for

insurance agent licensure. This rule amendment conforms the Department's rule to the revised statute. In Rule 69B-211.041, F.A.C., several definitions are deleted because they are no longer needed based on the rewrite to Rule 69B-211.042, F.A.C. Other definitions are revised to provide simplicity and clarity. Rule 69B-211.042, F.A.C., is amended to delete language that is inconsistent with Section 626.207, F.S. as amended. Subsection (1) establishes the process for submission of documentation related to the applicant's law enforcement record. Subsection (2) addresses the effect of failure to fully disclose a Law Enforcement Record. Subsection (3) establishes disqualification periods based on the nature of the crime in a record. Subsection (4) provides increased disqualification periods where an applicant has a record of multiple crimes. Subsection (5) identifies mitigating factors used to reduce disqualifying periods. Subsection (6) identifies aggravating factors used to increase disqualification periods. Subsection (7) prohibits collateral attack of criminal proceedings. Subsection (8) provides that the pendency of a criminal appeal does not affect the consideration of a criminal record for licensure. Subsection (9) provides that the Department will not grant a license to a person in a pre-trial intervention program. Subsection (10) addresses the effect of sealing or expunging of criminal records. Subsection (11) addresses the effect of a pardon. Subsection (12) clarifies the effect of varying terminology found in the law enforcement record documentation. Subsection (13) prohibits licensure of applicants imprisoned, under arrest, in custody, under supervision, or serving a sentence. Subsection (14) provides that passage of a disqualification period does not create an entitlement to a license. Subsection (15) addresses how foreign law enforcement records affect a licensure application. The existing crime classification system is being removed to conform to revisions to Section 626.207, F.S.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The effect of law enforcement records on insurance agent licensure.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 624.308, 626.207 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 112.011, 624.307(1), 626.161, 626.171, 626.201, 626.207, 626.211, 626.291, 626.601, 626.611(7), (14), 626.621(8), 626.631, 626.641 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 10, 2012, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: 116 Larson Building, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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: Kimberly Brown, (850)413-5460 or Kimberly.Brown@myfloridacfo.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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Kimberly Brown, Assistant Chief, Bureau of Agent & Agency Licensing, Division of Agent & Agency Services, Department of Financial Services, 200 E. Gaines Street, Room 419B, Larson Building, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0320, (850)413-5460 or Kimberly.Brown@myfloridacfo.com

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-8.007  
 RULE TITLE: Processing Fee

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking is in regards to “processing fees” charged to customers by cemeteries and preneed funeral sellers, and in regards thereto implements changes to Sections 497.277(6) and 497.4555, F.S., made by Chapter 2010-125, Laws of Florida. This proposed rule amendment was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on January 6, 2011. The proposed rule sets forth procedures for administering the statutory provisions.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: “Processing fees” charged to customers by cemeteries and preneed funeral sellers.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.277(6), 497.4555, 497.103(5) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.277(6), 497.4555 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 10, 2012, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 332, Pepper Building, 111 W. Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: LaTonya Bryant-Parker, at (850)413-4957 or LaTonya.Bryant-Parker@myfloridaCFO.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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Douglas

Shropshire, Executive Director, Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Department of Financial Services, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0361, (850)413-4984, shropshired@MyFloridaCFO.com. Direct any request for rule development workshop to Mr. Shropshire.

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-16.0001  
 RULE TITLE: State Examination for Funeral Industry Professionals

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action implements the requirement in Chapter 497, F.S., that applicants for funeral director, embalmer, and direct disposer licenses take and pass an examination on local, state, and federal laws and rules relating to the disposition of dead human bodies. The rule specifies how to apply for the examination. The rule specifies the content and weighting of the examination. The rule specifies the fee for the examination. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on December 2, 2010.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Examination on local, state, and federal laws and rules relating to the disposition of dead human bodies.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(1)(c), 497.103(5), 497.144(3), 497.141(2), 497.368(1), 497.369(1), 497.373(1), 497.374(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.368, 497.369, 497.373, 497.374, 497.602, 497.144 FS.

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DATE AND TIME: January 10, 2012, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 332, Pepper Building, 111 W. Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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and Consumer Services, Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Department of Financial Services, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0361, (850)413-4984, shropshired@MyFloridaCFO.com. Direct any request for rule development workshop to Mr. Shropshire.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

##### Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: 69K-17.002  
 RULE TITLE: Application Fees; Licensure by Endorsement for Embalmers and Funeral Directors

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking eliminates an outdated reference to funeral director and embalmer licensing examination schedules and related outdated procedures and filing deadlines for applying to take the licensing examination. The rulemaking also adds a provision specifying that certain fees are nonrefundable. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on December 2, 2010.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Examination schedule and application procedures; refundability of fees.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.141(2), 497.369(1), 497.374(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.369, 497.374, 497.141(4) FS.

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DATE AND TIME: January 11, 2012, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 332, Pepper Building, 111 W. Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

##### Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: 69K-17.0036  
 RULE TITLE: Course Required for Initial Licensure and Registration

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This proposed rule provision specifies criteria for approval of a communicable disease course that is taken to satisfy a requirement for initial or renewal licensure under Chapter 497, F.S. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on January 6, 2011.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Communicable disease courses taken to satisfy requirements of Chapter 497, F.S.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.141(2), 497.147(1), (2), (4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.368, 497.369, 497.373, 497.374, 497.378, 497.602 FS.

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-18.004                      RULE TITLE: Intern Training Agencies

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking establishes criteria for training agencies where funeral director and embalmer interns are trained. It also establishes procedures and criteria for a funeral establishment’s continued status as a training agency when a change of ownership occurs. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meetings on December 2, 2010 and January 6, 2011.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Training agencies for funeral director and embalmer interns.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.371(3), 497.375(2), 497.370(3) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.371, 497.375, 497.370 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 10, 2012, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 332, Pepper Building, 111 W. Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-23.004                      RULE TITLE: Direct Disposal Establishments

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action implements changes to Section 497.604, Florida Statutes, as enacted by the Florida legislature in Chapter 2010-125, Laws of Florida,

which changes require that direct disposal establishments have a funeral director as the in-charge professional, whereas before the change a direct disposal establishment was allowed to have a direct disposer as the in-charge professional at the direct disposal establishment. This rulemaking action brings the existing rule into compliance with the said changes, and also changes obsolete references to “registrations” to “licenses.” This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on January 6, 2011.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: In-charge professionals at direct disposal establishments.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.140, 497.604(7), (9) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.604 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 12, 2012, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 332, Pepper Building, 111 W. Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-23.005                      RULE TITLE: Responsibility of Direct Disposer in Charge

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action implements changes to Section 497.604, Florida Statutes, as enacted by the Florida legislature in Chapter 2010-125, Laws of Florida, which changes require that direct disposal establishments have



a funeral director as the in-charge professional, except under specified conditions, whereas before the change a direct disposal establishment was allowed to have a direct disposer as the in-charge professional at the direct disposal establishment. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on January 6, 2011.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: In-charge professionals at direct disposal establishments.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(2)(c), (5), 497.604(7), (9) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.604 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: January 17, 2012, 9:00 a.m.

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-25.003  
RULE TITLE: Licensure as Temporary Embalmer or Temporary Funeral Director; Manner of Requesting and Fee; Practice Limitations; Expiration

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action implements changes to Section 497.005, Florida Statutes, as enacted by the Florida legislature in Chapter 2010-125, Laws of Florida. Said changes added to Section 497.005, F.S., new definitions of the terms "direct supervision" and "general supervision." This

rulemaking action conforms this rule to the new definitions. The rulemaking action also modifies an outdated provision that contemplated licensure examinations previously given only twice a year, but now available throughout the year. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on December 2, 2010.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Licensure as Temporary Embalmer or Temporary Funeral Director.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.369(5), 497.374(5) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.369, 497.374 FS.

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DATE AND TIME: January 3, 2012, 9:00 a.m.

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-28.001  
RULE TITLE: Control of Preneed Agents

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action implements changes to Section 497.604(8), Florida Statutes, as enacted by the Florida legislature in Chapter 2010-125, Laws of Florida. Prior to the change, a direct disposal establishment could have a direct disposer as the in-charge professional at the establishment. The change requires that prospectively only a funeral director may serve as the in-charge professional at a direct disposal establishment. The rule is being revised to align

it with the new revised statutory provision. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on January 6, 2011. SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: In-charge professional at direct disposal establishments.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(5), 497.466(8)(a) FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.466(8)(d), 497.166(3) FS.

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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services**

RULE NO.: 69K-100.028 RULE TITLE: Application for Embalmer License

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking action specifies procedures and requirements to apply for an embalmer license. This proposed rule was approved by the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services at its monthly meeting on December 2, 2010.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Procedures to apply for an embalmer license.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 497.103(1)(a), (c), (5), 497.141, 497.144(3) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 497.368, 497.369 FS.

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**Section II  
Proposed Rules**

**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

**Suwannee River Water Management District**

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
40B-4.1020	Definitions
40B-4.3030	Conditions for Issuance of Works of the District Development Permits

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to adopt a definition for the term "clearing" and remove confusing language to be consistent with recently adopted language, which will allow for better comprehension of the rules within part III of this chapter by the public and District staff.

SUMMARY: This proposed rule will provide a definition for clearing and remove confusing language, with respect to works of the district permits and environmental resource permits.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: