Section I

Notices of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 6A-1.0015 K-20 Data Warehouse

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to revise existing requirements of the statewide database manuals which guide the K-20 Data Warehouse data collection and data quality. The effect of the rule will be to incorporate revisions to the database manuals used by the K-20 Data Warehouse.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: K-20 Data Warehouse.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 120.53(1)(b), 1008.31 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1008.31 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 WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Kit Goodner, Assistant Deputy Commissioner, Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, (850)245-0400. 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 or go to https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/default.aspx

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-1.09942 State Uniform Transfer of Students

in the Middle Grades

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to update the rule to reflect changes made by the Legislature to Section 1008.22(3)(c)2.b., Florida Statutes, which was revised to add that the middle school principal shall determine, in accordance with State Board of Education Rule, whether a student who transfers to the middle school and who has successfully completed a civics education course at the student's previous school must take an end-of-course assessment in civics education.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: This rule establishes uniform procedures relating to the acceptance of transfer work and courses for students entering Florida's public schools comprised of grades six, seven, and eight.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1003.25(3), 1003.4156(3), 1008.22 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.25(3), 1003.4156(3), 1008.22(3)(c)2.b. 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 WEEKLY

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Teresa Sweet, Chief, bureau of Curriculum and Instruction, 325 W. Gaines St., Room 432, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)245-9032 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 or go to https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/default.aspx

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-6.020 Granting High School Credits and

Diplomas to Adults

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to identify the graduation requirements for students entering an adult high school and seeking to earn a high school diploma beginning in 2012-2013. Students may withdraw from the K-12 system and enter an adult high school. The effect would ensure that adult education students receiving an adult high school diploma would have the skills and knowledge currently required to be successful in the workplace as well as enter postsecondary education.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: High School Graduation Requirements for Students Enrolling in Adult High School.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1004.93(8) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.428, 1003.43, 1003.436, 1004.93 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:

Kathleen Taylor, Interim Chancellor, Division of Career and Adult Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 754, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, (850)245-9062, Kathleen.Taylor@fldoe.org. 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 or go to https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/ default.aspx

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-6.021 State of Florida High School

Diplomas

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to amend the rule to include authority and procedures for the administration of a computer-based version of the GED Test® series to begin in 2012. In addition, the testing fee for the computer-based version of the test will be established and amendments to the fees for duplicate transcript and diplomas will be considered.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Computer-based version of the GED Test® series and fees.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), 1003.435(1) FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.435 FS.

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

DATE AND TIME: January 23, 2012, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Call number: 1(888)808-6959, Conference Code: 2459001

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Tara Goodman, Bureau Chief, Division of Career and Adult Education, 325 West Gaines Street, suite 744, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, phone (850)245-9001, Tara.Goodman@fldoe.org. To comment on this rule development go to https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/default.aspx.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-6.0571 Career and Technical Education and

Adult General Education Standards and Industry-Driven Benchmarks

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to adopt the "Career and Technical Education Programs, Academic Year 2012-2013 Curriculum Frameworks by Career Cluster" and the "Adult General Education Standards and Curriculum Frameworks 2012-2013".

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Career and Technical Education and Adult General Education.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1004.92 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1004.92 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 WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Kathleen Taylor, Interim Chancellor, Division of Career and Adult Education, Florida Department of Education, 325 West Tallahassee, Street, Florida 32399-0400, Gaines Kathleen.Taylor@fldoe.org, (850)245-9062. To request a rule development workshop, please contact: Lvnn Abbott, Agency Clerk, Department of Education, (850)245-9661 or e-mail lynn.abbott@fldoe.org or go to https://app1.fldoe.org/rules/ default.aspx.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-6.0573 Industry Certification Process.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development is to adopt consider changes based on revision by Workforce Florida, Inc. to the "2011-2012 Comprehensive Industry Certification List." The updates to this list, which are the Certified Agriculture Biotechnician and the Florida Automobile Dealers Association Certified Technician, must be reviewed to determine if the additions are eligible for inclusion on the "2011-2012 Industry Certification Funding List."

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Career and Technical Education and Industry Certification Funding List. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1003.492(2), 1011.62(1)(o)

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.491, 1003.492, 1003.493, 1003.4935, 1011.62(1)(o) FS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Florida's Office of Early Learning

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6M-4.610 Statewide Provider Agreement for

the School Readiness Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to implement the Florida's Office of Early Learning's (OEL's) authority to administer the School Readiness Program by adopting a standard contract that must be used by early learning coalitions when contracting with School Readiness Program providers.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: This rule establishes requirements related to establishing agreements between early learning coalitions and School Readiness Program providers and incorporates a standard agreement by reference.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 411.01(4)(e) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 411.01(4)(d)9. FS.

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

DATE AND TIME: January 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, FL 32399 or via WebEx which may be accessed at the following website: http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/ EarlyLearning/OEL Program ProposedRulesNotices.html 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: Ed Hoover at (850)717-8550. 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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Stephanie Savestanan, Policy Director, Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)717-8550

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE ON THE OFFICE'S WEBSITE http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/ AT: EarlyLearning/OEL Program ProposedRulesNotices.html

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Florida's Office of Early Learning

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

Child Registration Procedures; 6M-8.201

Application; Parent Orientation

Session

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to implement the authority of Florida's Office of Early Learning (OEL) to administer the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education (VPK) Program related to enrolling children in and determining the eligibility of children for the VPK Program.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: This rule establishes requirements related to making child eligibility determinations. The proposed rule permits early learning coalitions to allow certain VPK providers to facilitate making child eligibility determinations for children enrolling in the VPK provider's classes. The rule incorporates several forms by reference, including a child registration form, addendum to the VPK Provider Agreement for providers making eligibility determinations, and an informational handbook for parents registering their children for the VPK program.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1002.79(2) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.53(4), (5), 1002.75(2)(a), (b)

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

DATE AND TIME: January 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, FL 32399 or via WebEx which may be accessed at the following website: http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/ EarlyLearning/OEL Program ProposedRulesNotices.html

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Florida's Office of Early Learning

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

6M-8.700 Low-Performing Provider; Voluntary

Prekindergarten Education Program

Improvement Plan and Implementation; First Year

Probation

6M-8.701 Low-Performing Provider; Voluntary

Prekindergarten Education Program

Second Year Probation

6M-8.702 Low-Performing Provider; Removal

From Voluntary Prekindergarten

Education Program Eligibility

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to implement the Florida's Office of Early Learning's (OEL) authority to administer the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education (VPK) Program by establishing a procedure by which VPK providers who fail to achieve minimum kindergarten readiness rates comply with section 1002.67, F.S. SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The Low Performing Provider rules establish procedures governing administration of the VPK Program by early learning coalitions and school districts for approving improvement plans, for placing providers on probation and requiring corrective actions, and for removing providers from eligibility to deliver the program.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1002.75(2)(i), 1002.79(2) FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.67(3)(c), 1002.75(3)(a)-(c) 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 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. PLACE: Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr.,

Tallahassee, FL 32399 or via WebEx which may be accessed at the following website: http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/EarlyLearning/OEL Program ProposedRulesNotices.html

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Stephanie Savestanan, Policy Director, Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)717-8550

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE ON THE OFFICE'S WEBSITE AT: http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/EarlyLearning/OEL Program ProposedRulesNotices.html

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Florida's Office of Early Learning

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6M-9.205 Merger of Early Learning Coalitions PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule is to implement the authority of Florida's Office of Early Learning (OEL) to adopt procedures for merging early learning coalitions.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The proposed rule will establish requirements related to the process of determining which coalitions should merge and obtaining the approval of mergers from the Office.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 411.01(3)(e) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Section 411.01(5)(a)3. FS.

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

DATE AND TIME: January 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, FL 32399 or via WebEx which may be accessed at the following website: http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/EarlyLearning/OEL_Program_ProposedRulesNotices.html

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Stephanie Savestanan, Policy Director, Florida's Office of Early Learning, 250 Marriott Dr., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)717-8550

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

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

19-8.028 Reimbursement Premium Formula 19-8.029 Insurer Reporting Requirements

19-8.030 Insurer Responsibilities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To discuss proposed amendments to the following rules: Rule 19-8.028, F.A.C., Reimbursement Premium Formula, Rule 19-8.029, F.A.C., Insurer Reporting Requirements and Rule 19-8.030, F.A.C., Insurer Responsibilities.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Insurer exposure and loss reporting requirements for the 2012/2013 Contract Year, premium formula requirements, and insurer responsibilities. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 215.555 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 215.555 FS.

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

DATE AND TIME: January 9, 2012, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon (ET).

PLACE: Room 116 (Hermitage Conference Room), 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida 32308. Persons wishing to participate by phone may dial 1(888)808-6959 and enter conference code 4765251363.

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: Tracy Allen, Senior FHCF Attorney, State Board of Administration, P. O. Box 13300, Tallahassee, Florida 32317-3300, (850)413-1341, tracy.allen@sbafla.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: Tracy Allen at the email or number listed above.

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

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

Florida Prepaid College Board

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 19B-8.002 Age Limitations

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend the Florida Prepaid College Plan rule providing a clarification of when does the Board determine the need to impose an additional amount on an account when beneficiaries are substituted, and provide a clarification of the age limitation permitting the substitution of beneficiaries.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The Florida Prepaid College Plan's age limitations allowing for beneficiary substitution.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1009.971(1), (4), (6) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1009.98 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 9, 2012, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Suite 210, Hermitage Building, 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT IS: Thomas J. Wallace, Executive Director, 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, Suite 210, Tallahassee, Florida 32308, telephone (850)488-8514

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

19B-8.002 Age Limitations.

The transfer to a substitute beneficiary is limited to individuals who are no more than three years, younger or older, from the age of the original younger than the qualified beneficiary, or no more than three years older than the qualified beneficiary, without assessment of an additional advance payment contract price. If transfer to a substitute beneficiary more than three years, younger or older, from the age of the original older than the qualified beneficiary is desired, application must be made to the Board. The Board will may assess an additional amount only if the change results in a negative impact on to ensure the actuarial soundness of the trust fund.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 1009.971(1), (4), (6) FS. Law Implemented 1009.971, 1009.98 FS. History–New 3-29-89, Formerly 4G-8.002, Amended 6-20-96.

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

Florida Prepaid College Board

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 19B-12.003 Financial Hardship

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To amend the Florida Prepaid College Plan rule providing when additional proof hardship will be required.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The Florida Prepaid College Plan's rule regarding when additional information to demonstrate a financial hardship will be required.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1009.971(1), (4), (6) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1009.98 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 9, 2012, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Suite 210, Hermitage Building, 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, 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: Thomas J. Wallace, Executive Director, 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, Suite 210, Tallahassee, Florida 32308, telephone (850)488-8514. 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 IS: Thomas J. Wallace, Executive Director, 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, Suite 210, Tallahassee, Florida 32308, telephone (850)488-8514

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

19B-12.003 Financial Hardship.

- (1) through (2) No change.
- (3) For purposes of this Chapter, the term "financial hardship" shall be defined to include any loss of employment or income by a contract purchaser or the spouse of a contract purchaser which limits or otherwise impairs the ability of the contract purchaser to make timely payments on a contract with the Board. A financial hardship will also be found to exist whenever a contract purchaser can demonstrate to the Board that medical circumstances, such as hospitalization of the purchaser or the spouse of the purchaser, that limit or otherwise impair the contract purchaser's ability to make timely payments on a contract with the Board. Proof of loss of employment or income or proof of medical circumstances cited in any Petition will may be required by the Board only when circumstances are not clearly cited.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 1009.971(1), (4), (6) FS. Law Implemented 1009.98 FS. History—New 5-17-92, Formerly 4G-12.003, Amended 6-20-96.

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

29F-1.108 Officers, Term of Office and Duties PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Split the office of Secretary-Treasurer into two offices, the office of Secretary and the office of Treasurer.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Structural management and Elected Officers of the Planning Council.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 186.505, 120.54 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 186.505 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 18, 2012, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: ECFRPC Office, 309 Cranes Roost Boulevard, Suite 2000, Altamonte Springs, Florida 32701

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Tuesdai Brunsonbyrd-Bowden, (407)262-7772 or

tbyrd@ecfrpc.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT IS: George Kinney, (407)262-7772 or gkinney@ecfrpc.org

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

29F-1.108 Officers, Term of Office and Duties.

- (1) At the annual meeting of the Council, the Council shall elect from its membership the following officers: Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer and Secretary-Treasurer. Each member so elected shall serve for one (1) year or until reelected or a successor is elected.
- (2) The newly elected officers shall be declared installed following their election, and shall assume the duties of office.
- (a) The Chairperson shall be responsible for overseeing the organization of the work of the Council; for seeing that all policies of the Council are carried out; for signing any contract or other instrument that the Council deems in its best interest; and for presiding over all Council meetings. The Chairperson, or a designated Council Member, shall be an ex office member of all committees.
- (b) The Vice-Chairperson shall act in the Chairperson's absence or inability to act. The Vice-Chairperson shall perform such other functions as may be assigned by the Chairperson or the Council.
- (c) The Secretary Treasurer Secretary shall be responsible for minutes for the meeting; keeping the roll of members; general oversight of the financial affairs of the Council and such other duties as may be assigned by the Chairperson or the Council.
- (d) The Treasurer shall be responsible for the general oversight of the financial affairs of the Council; and such other duties as may be assigned by the Chairman or the Council.
- (3) There shall be an Executive Committee consisting of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary/Treasurer, Secretary, Treasurer and the immediate past Chairperson still in continuous service on the Council. If there is no immediate past Chairperson still in continuous service, the Council shall elect a member to serve on the Executive Committee until such time as there is an immediate past Chairperson still in continuous service.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Amended 11-16-11.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

33-302.1031 Correctional Probation Officers –

Appointment and Responsibility

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of the proposed rule is to generally update the responsibilities of correctional probation officers.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Responsibilities of Correctional Probation Officers

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 944.09 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 944.09 FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT IS: Kendra Jowers, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2500

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

33-302.1031 Correctional Probation Officers – Appointment and Responsibility.

- (1) Officers are appointed by the State of Florida under the authority of the Department of Corrections and are responsible for enhancing public safety through ensuring community supervision of offenders, initiating arrest of offenders under supervision as appropriate with or without a warrant, recommending proportionate, graduated sanctions when reporting violations in lieu of prison when to do so would be commensurate with the offender's violation and the threat to public safety, providing assistance to victims, conducting thorough investigations for the court, and reducing crime by assisting offenders in becoming law-abiding, self-sufficient citizens in the community supervision and control of offenders, including the enforcement of conditions of supervision, conducting investigations and initiating arrest of offenders under their supervision as appropriate with or without warrant. Officers enforce conditions of supervision imposed by the court or the Florida Parole Commission and will notify the sentencing or releasing authority whenever the officer has reasonable grounds to believe that a willful violation of a any condition of supervision has occurred. Officers assist offenders by making referrals to local resources available within the community.
- (2) Officers may utilize a motorcycle or other two-wheeled vehicle to travel to and from work and court appearances. Officers shall utilize an enclosed four-wheeled or greater vehicle in the field.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 944.09 FS. Law Implemented 944.09 FS. History–New 8-23-07, Amended 12-30-08,

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 40E-1.659 Forms and Instructions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To further the goals of Executive Order 11-211, to reduce regulatory burdens on the citizens of Florida, the District proposes to amend its rules and associated forms to reduce the number of copies applicants are required to submit to one. The District proposes to amend Forms 0971, 0972 and 0980 to reduce the number of required copies to one. Since this rule lists those forms, the District proposes to amend this rule to reflect the new effective date.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Forms 0971, 0972 and 0980 are proposed to be amended to reflect a reduced number of copies required. This rule which lists the forms is also proposed to be amended to reflect the new effective date of these forms.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 218.075, 373.044, 373.113, 373.4136, 373.416, 695.03, 704.06 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 218.075, 373.113, 373.4135, 373.4136, 373.416, 704.06 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 WEEKLY.

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: South Florida Water Management District Clerk, (800)432-2045, ext. 2087, or (561)682-2087. 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 IS: Anita R. Bain, Environmental Resource Permitting Bureau Chief, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, 1(800)432-2045, ext. 6866, or (561)682-6866, email: abain@sfwmd.gov. For procedural questions, contact Jan Sluth, Sr. Paralegal, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, (800)432-2045, ext. 6299, or (561)682-6299, email: jsluth@sfwmd.gov

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

40E-1.659 Forms and Instructions.

The following forms and instructions are incorporated by reference throughout the District's rules as specified below and are listed herein for convenience. Copies may be obtained without cost by contacting the South Florida Water Management District Clerk's Office, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, 1(800)432-2045, ext. 6436, or (561)682-6436 or online at www.sfwmd.gov.

Form No. 0050A through 0971	Date 0961	Title No change Joint Application for Environmental Resource Permit/Authorization to Use State Owned Submerged Lands/Federal Dredge and Fill Permit, incorporated by reference in paragraph
0972		40E-4.101(1)(b), F.A.C. Petition for a Formal Wetland
	12-11	and Surface Water Determination, incorporated by reference in paragraph 40E-4.091(1)(a), F.A.C.
0974 0980		No Change Notice of Intent to Use a
	12-11	Noticed General Environmental Resource Permit, incorporated by reference in subsection
1019 through	1318	40E-400.211(2), F.A.C. No change.

Rulemaking Authority 218.075, 373.044, 373.113, 373.4136, 373.416, 695.03, 704.06 FS. Law Implemented 218.075, 373.113, 373.4135, 373.4136, 373.416, 704.06 FS. History—New 9-3-81, Amended 12-1-82, 3-9-83, Formerly 16K-1.90, Amended 7-26-87, 11-21-89, 1-4-93, Formerly 40E-1.901, Amended 5-11-93, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 6-26-02, 8-14-02, 8-31-03, 9-16-03, 9-20-04, 2-12-06, 1-23-07, 8-7-07, 7-4-10, 12-15-11.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

RULE NOS.:	: RULE TITLES:
40E-4.021	Definitions
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40E-4.091	Publications, Rules and Interagency
	Agreements Incorporated by
	Reference
40E-4.101	Content of Permit Applications
40E-4.321	Duration of Permits
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PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To further the goals of Executive Order 11-211, to reduce regulatory burdens on the citizens of Florida, the District proposes to increase the duration of conceptual permits and reduce the number of copies applicants

are required to submit. Additionally, in accordance with the Executive Order, the District proposes to repeal definitions and exemptions that are duplicative of the Florida Statutes.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Definitions, exemptions, conceptual permits, Content of Permit Applications, Forms 0971 and 0972, and Sections 4.5.1 and 4.5.2 of the Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.016, 373.044, 373.103(8), 373.113, 373.171, 373.413, 373.416, 373.441, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50, 704.06 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.016, 373.019, 373.117, 373.403-.443, 403.031, 403.813(1), 668.003, 668.004, 668.50, 704.06 FS.

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THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

40E-4.021 Definitions.

The definitions set forth in Sections 258.37, 373,019, 373.403, 403.803, and 704.06, F.S., and Rule 40E-1.021, F.A.C., shall apply to When used in this chapter, Chapters 40E-40, 40E-41 and 40E-400, F.A.C. Additionally, as used in these chapters:

(1) No change.

(2) "Alter" means to extend a dam or works beyond maintenance in its original condition, including changes which may increase or diminish the flow or storage of surface water which may affect the safety of such dam or works.

- (3) "Appurtenant Works" means any artificial improvements to a dam which might affect the safety of such dam or, when employed, might affect the holding capacity of such dam or of the reservoir or impoundment created by such dam.
- (4) "Aquatic Preserve" means an exceptional area of submerged lands and its associated waters set aside for being maintained essentially in its natural or existing condition, as authorized by Chapter 258, F.S.

(2)(5) No change.

- (6) "Conservation Easement" means a right or interest in real property pursuant to Section 704.06, F.S., which is appropriate to retaining land or water areas predominantly in their natural, scenie, open, agricultural, or wooded condition; retaining such areas as suitable habitat for fish, plants, or wildlife; retaining the structural integrity or physical appearance of sites or properties of historical, architectural, archaeological, or cultural significance; or maintaining existing land uses and which prohibits or limits any or all of the following:
- (a) Construction or placing of buildings, roads, signs, billboards or other advertising, utilities or other structures on or above the ground;
- (b) Dumping or placing of soil or other substance or material as landfill or dumping or placing of trash, waste, or unsightly or offensive materials;
- (c) Removal or destruction of trees, shrubs, or other vegetation;
- (d) Excavation, dredging, or removal of loam, peat, gravel, soil, rock, or other material substance in such manner as to affect the surface;
- (e) Surface use except for purposes that permit the land or water area to remain predominantly in its natural condition;
- (f) Activities detrimental to drainage, flood control, water conservation, erosion control, soil conservation, or fish and wildlife habitat preservation;
- (g) Acts or uses detrimental to such retention of land or water areas; and
- (h) Acts or uses detrimental to the preservation of the structural integrity or physical appearance of sites or properties of historical, architectural, archaeological, or cultural significance.
 - (3) $\frac{(7)}{(7)}$ No change.
- (8) "Dam" means any artificial or natural barrier, with appurtenant works, raised to obstruct or impound, or which does obstruct or impound, any of the surface waters of the state.
- (9) "Department" means the Florida Department of Environmental Protection.
- (10) "Drainage Basin" means a subdivision of a watershed.

- (11) "Dredging" means exeavation, by any means, in surface water or wetlands, as delineated by Section 373.4211, F.S. It also means the exeavation, or creation, of a water body which is, or is to be, connected to surface waters or wetlands, as delineated by Section 373.4211, F.S., directly or via an exeavated water body or series of water bodies.
- (12) "e Permitting website" means the District's website address for e Permitting at http://www.sfwmd.gov/ePermitting. After accessing the e Permitting website, the user clicks the start icon on the e Permitting homepage.
- (13) "Electronic filing" means filing or submission of an Environmental Resource, Surface Water Management, Consumptive Use, or Works of the District Permit Application; Response to Request for Additional Information; or Request for Permit Transfer at the District's e-Permitting website. Electronic filing is governed by the provisions of Chapter 668, F.S. If the applicant or sender of electronic data inhibits the ability of the District to store or print the electronic data, it shall not be considered filed with or received by the District. Filings received by the District after 5:00 p.m. shall be deemed filed on the next regular business day.
- (14) "Electronic mail" means an electronic or computer file that is transmitted between two or more telecommunications devices; computers; computer networks, regardless of whether the network is a local, regional, or global network; or electronic devices capable of receiving electronic messages, regardless of whether the message is converted to hard copy format after receipt, viewed upon transmission, or stored for later retrieval. Electronic mail received after 5:00 p.m. shall be deemed received on the next regular business day.
- (15) "Electronic record" means information that is stored in an electronic medium and is retrievable in a perceivable form, including public records as defined in Section 119.011, F.S.
- (16) "Electronic signature" means an electronic sound, symbol, or process attached to an electronic record and executed or adopted by a person with the intent to sign the record.
 - (17) through (20) renumbered (4) through (7) No change.
- (21) "Estuary" means a semi enclosed, naturally existing coastal body of water which has a free connection with the open sea and within which seawater is measurably diluted with fresh water derived from riverine systems.
- (22) "Filling" means the deposition, by any means, of materials in surface waters or wetlands, as delineated by Section 373,4211, F.S.

(8)(23) No change.

- (24) "Impoundment" means any lake, reservoir, pond, or other containment of surface water occupying a bed or depression in the earth's surface and having a discernible shoreline.
 - (25) through (27) renumbered (9) through (11) No change.

(28) "Lagoon" means a naturally existing coastal zone depression which is below mean high water and which has permanent or ephemeral communications with the sea, but which is protected from the sea by some type of naturally existing barrier.

(12)(29) No change.

- (30) "Maintenance" or "Repairs" means remedial work of a nature as may affect the safety of any dam, impoundment, reservoir, or appurtenant work or works, but excludes routine custodial maintenance.
- (31) through (36) renumbered (13) through (18) No change.
- (37) "Stormwater Management System" means a system which is designed and constructed or implemented to control discharges which are necessitated by rainfall events, incorporating methods to collect, convey, store, absorb, inhibit, treat, use or reuse water to prevent or reduce flooding, over drainage, environmental degradation, and water pollution or otherwise affect the quantity and quality of discharges from the system.
- (38) through (42) renumbered (19) through (23) No change.
- (43) "Watershed" means the land area which contributes to the flow of water into a receiving body of water.
- (44) "Wetlands" means those areas that are inundated or saturated by surface water or ground water at a frequency and a duration sufficient to support, and under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soils. Soils present in wetlands generally are classified as hydric or alluvial, or possess characteristics that are associated with reducing soil conditions. The prevalent vegetation in wetlands generally consists of facultative or obligate hydrophytic macrophytes that are typically adapted to areas having soil conditions described above. These species, due to morphological, physiological or reproductive adaptation, have the ability to grow, reproduce, or persist in aquatic environments or anaerobic soil conditions. Florida wetlands generally include swamps, marshes, bayheads, bogs, evpress domes and strands, sloughs, wet prairies, riverine swamps and marshes, hydric seepage slopes, tidal marshes, mangrove swamps and other similar areas. Florida wetlands generally do not include longleaf or slash pine flatwoods with an understory dominated by saw palmetto. The landward extent of wetlands is delineated pursuant to Rules 62-340.100 through 62 340.550, F.A.C., as ratified by Section 373.4211, F.S.

(24)(45) No change.

(46) "Works" means all artificial structures, including but not limited to ditches, canals, conduits, channels, culverts, pipes, and other construction that connects to, draws water from, drains water into, or is placed in or across the waters in the state.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. Law Implemented 373.019, 373.403-.443, 403.031, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50, 704.06 FS. History–New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 12-1-82, Formerly 16K-1.05(1), Amended 7-1-86, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 4-1-96, 10-1-06, 3-22-09, 11-11-09, 12-1-11.

40E-4.051 Exemptions From Permitting.

The District will exempt from regulation under Section 373, Part IV, F.S., those activities that the District determines will have only minimal or insignificant individual or cumulative adverse impacts on the water resources of the district. Exemptions from permitting under Chapters 40E-4, 40E-40 and 40E-400, F.A.C., are set forth below in addition to those set forth in Sections 373.406 and 403.813, F.S. The performance of activities pursuant to the provisions of the exemptions set forth in this section does not relieve the person or persons who are using the exemption or who are constructing or otherwise implementing the activity from meeting the permitting or performance requirements of other District rules. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the Department of Environment Protection from taking appropriate enforcement action pursuant to Chapter 403, F.S., to abate or prohibit any activity otherwise exempt from permitting pursuant to this section if the Department can demonstrate that the exempted activity has caused water pollution in violation of Chapter 403, F.S.

(1) Pipes or Culverts. The repair or replacement of existing functional pipes or culverts the purpose of which is the discharge or conveyance of stormwater. In all cases, the invert elevation, the diameter, and the length of the culvert shall not be changed. However, the material used for the culvert may be different from the original material. This exemption does not authorize the repair, replacement, or alteration of dam's spillways or appurtenant works, nor construction activities or procedures that cause violation of water quality standards as set forth in Chapter 62-302 and Rule 62-4.242, F.A.C.

(2) Maintenance of Systems.

(a) The performance of maintenance dredging of existing manmade canals, channels, basins, berths, and intake and discharge structures, where the spoil material is to be removed and deposited on a self-contained, upland spoil site which will prevent the escape of the spoil material and return water from the spoil site into wetlands or other surface waters, provided no more dredging is performed than is necessary to restore the canal, channels, basins, berths, and intake and discharge structures to original design specifications, and provided that control devices are used at the dredge site to prevent turbidity and toxic or deleterious substances from discharging into adjacent waters during maintenance dredging. This exemption shall apply to all canals constructed before April 3, 1970, and to those canals constructed on or after April 3, 1970, pursuant to all necessary state permits. This exemption shall not apply to the removal of a natural or manmade barrier separating a canal or canal system from adjacent wetlands or other surface waters. Where no previous permit has been issued by the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund, the Department, the District or the United States Army Corps of Engineers for construction or maintenance dredging of the existing manmade canal, channel, basin, berth or intake or discharge structure, such maintenance dredging shall be limited to a depth of no more than 5 feet below mean low water.

- (b) The maintenance of functioning insect control structures, and the maintenance of functioning dikes and functioning irrigation and drainage ditches, including roadway drainage ditches, provided:
- 1. The spoil material is deposited on a self-contained upland spoil site which will prevent the escape of the spoil material and return water into wetlands or other surface waters.
- 2. In the case of insect control structures, if the cost of using a self-contained upland spoil site is so excessive as determined by the Department of Health, pursuant to subsection 403.088(1), F.S., that it will inhibit the proposed insect control, existing spoil sites or dikes may be used, upon notification to the District. In the case of insect control where upland spoil sites are not used pursuant to this exemption, turbidity control devices shall be used to confine the spoil material discharge to that area previously disturbed when the receiving body of water is used as a potable water supply, is designated as approved, conditionally approved, restricted or conditionally restricted waters for shellfish harvesting by the Department, or functions as a habitat for commercially or recreationally important shellfish or finfish.
- 3. In all cases, no more dredging is to be performed than is necessary to restore the dike or irrigation or drainage ditch to its original design specifications.
- 4. This exemption shall apply to manmade trenches dug for the purpose of draining water from the land or for transporting water for use on the land and which are not built for navigational purposes.
- (e) Maintenance of minor silvicultural surface water management systems as described in subsection 40E-400.500(4), F.A.C., which were permitted under Part IV of Chapter 373, F.S., or were constructed prior to the requirements for a permit under this part, provided such maintenance is conducted in accordance with the performance standards set forth in subsection 40E-400.500(5), F.A.C.
- (d) The restoration of less than 100 feet in length of existing insect control impoundment dikes and the connection of such impoundments to tidally influenced waters. Such impoundments shall be connected to tidally influenced waters for at least 6 months each year, beginning September 1 and ending February 28. The connection shall be of sufficient cross sectional area to allow beneficial tidal influence. Restoration shall involve no more dredging than needed to restore the dike to original design specifications, and the final elevation of the dredge area shall be within two feet of

immediately adjacent bottom elevations. For the purposes of this paragraph, restoration shall not include maintenance of impoundment dikes of insect control impoundments.

(1)(3) No change.

(2)(4) No change.

(a) No change.

(b) The restoration of a seawall or riprap at its previous location or upland of or within 18 inches waterward of its previous location, as measured from the face of the existing seawall slab to the face of restored seawall slab or from the front slope of the existing riprap to the front slope of the restored riprap. No filling can be performed except in the actual restoration of the seawall or riprap. No construction shall be undertaken without necessary title or leasehold interest, especially where private and public ownership boundaries have changed as a result of natural occurrences such as accretion, reliction and natural erosion. This exemption shall be limited to functioning seawalls or riprap. This exemption shall not affect the permitting requirements of Chapter 161, F.S.

(3)(5) No change.

- (e) The construction of seawalls or riprap in wetlands or other surface waters, where such construction is between and adjoins at both ends existing seawalls or riprap, follows a continuous and uniform construction line with the existing seawalls or riprap, is no more than 150 feet in length, does not violate state water quality standards, impede navigation, or adversely affect flood control. However, this exemption shall not affect the permitting requirements of Chapter 161, F.S. In estuaries and lagoons, construction of vertical seawalls is limited to the circumstances and purposes stated in Sections 373.414(5)(b)1.4., F.S.
- (a) The installation of subaqueous transmission and distribution lines laid on, or embedded in, the bottoms of wetlands or other surface waters, except in Class I and Class II waters and aquatic preserves, provided that no dredging or filling is necessary.
- (b) The replacement or repair of subaqueous transmission and distribution lines laid on, or embedded in, the bottoms of wetlands or other surface waters.
 - (c) through (d) renumbered (a) through (b) No change.
 - (4)(6) No change.
- (a) The replacement or repair of existing open-trestle foot bridges and vehicular bridges that are 100 feet or less in length and two lanes or less in width, provided:
- 1. No more dredging or filling in wetlands or other surface waters is performed than that necessary to replace or repair pilings;
- 2. The structure to be replaced or repaired is the same length, the same configuration, and in the same location as the original bridge; and
- 3. No debris from the original bridge shall be allowed to remain in wetlands or other surface waters.

(a)(b) No change.

(7) through (12) renumbered (5) through (10) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 373.406, 373.413, 373.416, 373.813(1), 403.813(1) FS. History—New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 3-9-83, Formerly 16K-4.02, Amended 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 5-28-00, 9-2-01, 4-14-03, 9-9-07, 12-1-11.

- 40E-4.091 Publications, Rules and Interagency Agreements Incorporated by Reference.
- (1) The following publications, rules and interagency agreements are incorporated by reference into this chapter, Chapters 40E-40, 40E-41 and 40E-400, F.A.C.:
- (a) "Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District, effective date ______ December 15, 2011, which incorporates the following forms by reference:
- 1. Form No. 0972, Petition for a Formal Wetland and Surface Water Determination, _______ December 2011 (referenced in Section 4.5.1) http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-00066;
 - 2. through 19. No change.
 - (b) through (k) No change.
 - (2) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.103(8), 373.113, 373.171, 373.413, 373.441, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50, 704.06 FS. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.4135, 373.4137, 373.414, 373.4142, 373.416, 373.418, 373.421, 373.426, 373.441, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50, 704.06 FS. History—New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 12-1-82, Formerly 16K-4.035(1), Amended 5-1-86, 7-1-86, 3-24-87, 4-14-87, 4-21-88, 11-21-89, 11-15-92, 1-23-94, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 1-7-97, 12-3-98, 5-28-00, 8-16-00, 1-17-01, 7-19-01, 6-26-02, 6-26-02, 4-6-03, 4-14-03, 9-16-03, 12-7-04, 2-12-06, 10-1-06, 11-20-06, 1-23-07, 7-1-07, 7-22-07, 11-11-09, 7-1-10, 7-4-10, 12-15-11,

Amendment to Basis of Review for Environmental Resource Permit Applications within the South Florida Water Management District as follows:

4.5.1 Procedure

To petition for a formal determination, the petitioner must submit to the District the following:

- 4.5.2 Types of Formal Determinations

A petitioner can request a formal determination consisting of a certified survey, an approximate delineation, or combinations thereof, as described below.

- (a) The survey of the extent of wetlands and other surface waters shall be certified pursuant to Chapter 472, F.S., to meet the minimum technical standards in chapter 61G17-6, F.A.C. A petitioner seeking a certified surveyed delineation shall have a land surveyor registered in the State of Florida survey the verified boundaries of wetlands and other surface waters, and shall have the surveyor or surveyor's representative accompany the District representative on the delineation verification described in subsection 4.5.3. The certified survey shall also contain a legal description of, and acreage contained within, the boundaries of the property for which the determination is sought. The boundaries of wetlands and other surface waters shall be witnessed to the property boundaries, and shall be capable of being mathematically reproduced from the survey. The petitioner shall submit one copy five copies of the survey, along with one copy five copies of the survey depicted on aerial photographs, to the District to complete the petition.
- (b) An approximate delineation shall consist of a boundary produced by using global positioning system (GPS), a boundary drawn on rectified aerial photographs, a geo-reference image produced from a boundary drawn on a non-rectified aerial photograph, or any combination thereof.
 - 1. through 2. No change.
- 3. Following any verification and adjustment as required in subsection 4.5.3, the petitioner shall submit one copy five eopies of the following to complete the petition: a hand drawn delineation on a rectified aerial photograph; the geo-referenced image of the delineation and aerial photograph with the delineation; or the GPS depiction of the delineation on an aerial photograph.
 - 4. No change.
 - 40E-4.101 Content of Permit Applications.
 - (1) through (a) No change.
- (b) If an applicant chooses not to submit an application electronically via the District's ePermitting website at www.sfwmd.gov/ePermitting, oOne original and one four copy copies of Joint Water Management District/Department of Environmental Protection/U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Environmental Resource Permit Application Form No. 0971 must be submitted as well as one copy and five copies of drawings, calculations, environmental information, and engineering details sufficient to define the nature, scope, intent and functioning of the work proposed. This information must include at a minimum: flood protection, water quality, environmental impacts, proposed mitigation, water supply, and water conservation elements. Applicants who file an application electronically are not required to submit copies. Form No. 0971, December 2011, http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-00065, is incorporated by reference herein and available at no cost by

contacting the South Florida Water Management District Clerk's Office, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, 1(800)432-2045, ext. 6436 or (561)682-6436.

(2) through (4) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.016, 373.044, 373.113, 373.171, 668.003, 373.416, 668.004, 668.50 FS. Law Implemented 373.016, 373.117, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. History–New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 12-1-82, Formerly 16K-4.03(2), 16K-4.07(2), 16K-4.09(2), Amended 7-1-86, 11-21-89, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 5-28-00, 4-14-03, 8-14-03, 2-12-06, 10-1-06, 12-1-11,

40E-4.321 Duration of Permits.

- (1) Unless revoked or otherwise modified the duration of an environmental resource permit issued under this chapter or Chapter 40E-40, F.A.C., is as follows:
- (a) For a conceptual approval, <u>five</u> two years from the date of issuance or the date specified as a condition of the permit, unless within that period an application for an individual or standard general permit is filed for any portion of the project. If an application for an environmental resource permit is filed, then the conceptual approval remains valid until final action is taken on the environmental resource permit application. If the application is granted, then the conceptual approval is valid for an additional two years from the date of issuance of the permit. Conceptual approvals which have no individual or standard general environmental resource permit applications filed for a period of <u>five</u> two years shall expire automatically at the end of the <u>five</u> two year period.
- (b) For a conceptual approval filed concurrently with a development of regional impact (DRI) application for development approval (ADA) and a local government comprehensive plan amendment, the duration of the conceptual approval shall be <u>five</u> two years from whichever one of the following occurs at the latest date:
 - 1. through 4. No change.
 - (c) through (e) No change.
 - (2) through (3) No change.
- (4) Substantial modifications to Conceptual Approvals will extend the duration of the Conceptual Approval for <u>five</u> two years from the date of issuance of the modification. For the purposes of this section, the term "substantial modification" shall mean a modification which is reasonably expected to lead to substantially different water resource or environmental impacts which require a detailed review.
 - (5) through (7) No change.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 373.044, 373.113, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.416, 373.419, 373.426, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. History—New 9-3-81, Amended 1-31-82, 12-1-82, Formerly 16K-4.07(4), Amended 7-1-86, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 5-28-00, 10-1-06.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES: 40E-400.021 Definitions

40E-400.211 Processing Procedures for Noticed

General Permits

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To further the goals of Executive Order 11-211, to reduce regulatory burdens on the citizens of Florida, the District proposes to reduce the number of copies applicants are required to submit. Additionally, in accordance with the Executive Order, the District proposes to repeal definitions duplicative of Florida Statutes.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Definitions and Form 0980.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.044, 373.113, 373.118, 373.171 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.109, 373.118, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 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 WEEKLY.

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: South Florida Water Management District Clerk, 1(800)432-2045, ext. 2087, or (561)682-2087. 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 IS: Anita R. Bain, Environmental Resource Permitting Bureau Chief, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, 1(800)432-2045, ext. 6866, or (561)682-6866, email: abain@sfwmd.gov. For procedural questions, contact Jan Sluth, Sr. Paralegal, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, (800)432-2045, ext. 6299, or (561)682-6299, email: jsluth@sfwmd.gov.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

40E-400.021 Definitions.

The definitions set forth in Sections 258.37, 373,019, 373.403, 403.803, and 704.06, F.S., Rules 40E-1.021 and 40E-4.021, F.A.C., shall apply to this chapter. Additionally, as used in this chapter:

- (1) "Canal" means a trench, the bottom of which is normally covered by water, with the upper edges of its two sides normally above water.
- (2) "Channel" means a trench, the bottom of which is normally covered entirely by water, with the upper edges of one or both of its sides normally below water.

(1)(3) No change.

- (4) "Drainage ditch" or "irrigation ditch" means a man-made trench which is dug for the purpose of draining water from the land or for transporting water for use on the land and which is not built for navigational purposes.
 - (5) through (6) renumbered (2) through (3).
- (7) "Insect control impoundment dikes" means artificial structures, including earthen berms, constructed and used to impound wetlands or other surface waters for the purpose of insect control.
 - (8) through (9) renumbered (4) through (5) No change.
 - (10) "Swale" means a man-made trench which:
- (a) Has a top width-to-depth ratio of the cross-section equal to or greater than 6:1, or side slopes equal to or greater than 3 feet horizontal to 1 foot vertical:
- (b) Contains contiguous areas of standing or flowing water only following a rainfall event;
- (e) Is planted with or has stabilized vegetation suitable for soil stabilization, stormwater treatment, and nutrient uptake; and
- (d) Is designed to take into account the soil erodibility, soil percolation, slope, slope length, and drainage area so as to prevent erosion and reduce pollutant concentration of any discharge.

<u>Rulemaking Specifie</u> Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.118, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 373.118, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426 FS. History–New 10-3-95, Amended 4-14-03,

40E-400.211 Processing Procedures for Noticed General Permits.

- (1) No change.

available at no cost by contacting the South Florida Water Management District Clerk's Office, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406.

(3) through (5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.118, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. Law Implemented 373.109, 373.118, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426, 668.003, 668.004, 668.50 FS. History–New 10-3-95, Amended 7-2-98, 10-1-06, 12-1-11.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59G-4.100 Federally Qualified Health Center

Services

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the amendment to Rule 59G-4.100, F.A.C., is to incorporate by reference the Florida Medicaid Federally Qualified Health Center Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook, March 2012. The amendment will change the reimbursement by increasing the number of individual recipient visits to a Federally Qualified Health Center (FOHC).

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Federally Qualified Health Center Services

An additional area to be addressed during the workshop will be the potential regulatory impact the amendment to Rule 59G-4.100, F.A.C., will have as provided for under Sections 120.54 and 120.541, F.S.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 409.919 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.902, 409.905, 409.906, 409.908, 409.9081, 409.912, 409.913 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: Monday, January 9, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room B, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407

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: Kathy Canfield at the Bureau of Medicaid Services, (850)412-4207. 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 IS: Kathy Canfield, Medicaid Services, 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 20, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407, telephone: (850)412-4207, e-mail: kathy.canfield@ahca.myflorida.com

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

59G-4.100 Federally Qualified Health Center Services.

(1) No change.

(2) All federally qualified health center services providers enrolled in the Medicaid program must be in compliance with the Florida Medicaid Federally Qualified Health Center Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook, March 2012, January 2007, updated April 2008, which is incorporated by reference, and the Florida Medicaid Provider Reimbursement Handbook, CMS-1500, which is incorporated by reference in Rule 59G-4.001, F.A.C. The Both handbooks is are available from the Medicaid fiscal agent's Web site Portal at www. http://mymedicaid-florida.com. Select Cliek on Public Information for Providers, then on Provider Support, and then on Provider Handbooks. A Paper copy copies of the handbooks may be obtained by calling the Provider Contact Center at (800)289-7799 and selecting Option 7.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 409,919 FS. Law Implemented 409.902, 409.905, 409.906, 409.908, 409.9081, 409.912, 409.913 FS. History-New 6-27-93, Formerly 10P-4.100, Amended 4-16-95, 5-28-96, 6-24-98, 12-31-01, 11-17-03, 2-19-07, 9-29-08,

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59G-6.080 Payment Methodology for Federally

Qualified Health Center and Rural

Health Center Services

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed amendment is to consider changes to the Florida Title XIX Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) Reimbursement Plan payment methodology.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Florida Medicaid Federally Qualified Health Centers (FOHC) reimbursement methodology.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 409.919 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.908 FS.

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

DATE AND TIME: January 9, 2012, 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, 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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Edwin Stephens, (850)412-4077, edwin.stephens@ahca.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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Edwin Stephens, (850)412-4077, edwin.stephens@ahca.myflorida.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Auctioneers

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61G2-2.004 Licensure by Endorsement or

Reciprocity

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

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Licensure by Endorsement or Reciprocity.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 468.384(2), 468.387 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 468.384(2), 468.387 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 WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Anthony Spivey, Executive Director, Board of Auctioneers, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0754

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 Auctioneers

RULE TITLE: RULE NO.: 61G2-4.003 Change of Sponsor

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

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Change of Sponsor. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 468.384(2) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 468.382(3), 468.385 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 WEEKLY.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Children's Medical Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64C-4.003 Diagnostic and Treatment Facilities

or Services – Specific

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed revision to Children's Medical Services Rule Section 64C-4.003 updates and reflects the CMS required standards for Diagnostic and Treatment Facilities or Services that provide care to CMS participants. This Rule incorporates by reference the CMS Pediatric Cardiac Facilities Standards, November 2011.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Standards for Diagnostic and Treatment Facilities or Services that are provided to CMS participants.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 391.026 (18), 391.035 (1) FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 391.026 (10), 391.035 (1) 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 WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Norma Hill, CMSN Registered Nursing Consultant, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #A-06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1707, telephone number (850)245-4200, ext. 2213

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

Family Safety and Preservation Program

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
65C-22.001	General Information
65C-22.002	Physical Environment
65C-22.003	Training
65C-22.004	Health Related Requirements
65C-22.005	Food and Nutrition
65C-22.006	Record Keeping
65C-22.007	Evening Child Care
65C-22.008	School Age Child Care
65C-22.009	Gold Seal Quality Care Program
65C-22.010	Enforcement

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule modifications were implemented based on the passage of House Bill 5311. This bill eliminated the Department of Health's ability to conduct food service inspections in child care settings. In an effort to protect the health and safety of children in child care, sections of the administrative code have been revised to incorporate standards for the continued regulation of food safety in licensed child care facilities. Background screening modifications were also implemented based new screening requirements set forth with the passage of Senate Bill 7069. Additional rule modifications are being made in the areas of training and fire safety. Training modifications are due to the redesign of mandated child care training courses. Fire safety modifications are to provide clarifying language regarding fire/emergency drills and to establish requirements pertaining to reunification provisions for parents and children, and provisions for children with special needs in emergency situations.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas addressed in the proposed changes include: food hygiene, sanitation, training, and fire safety.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 402.305 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Chapter 2010-114, Chapter 2010-161 Sections 17 & 18, Laws of Florida.

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

DATES AND TIME: Workshop 1: January 9, 2012, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon; Workshop 2: January 11, 2012, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Workshop 1: 1317 Winewood Blvd., Bldg. 4, Tallahassee, Florida 32399; Workshop 2: 400 W. Robinson Street, Suite 1006 South Tower, Orlando, Florida 32801

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: Dinah Gallon, Child Care Program, 1317 Winewood Blvd., Bldg. 6, 3rd Floor, Room 388, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0700 or call (850)488-4900. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 67-59.001 Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this Rule is to establish the procedures by which the Corporation shall develop eligibility criteria, administer the Application process, determine loan amounts, make mortgage loans for existing homeowners.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The Rule Development workshop will be held to receive comments and suggestions from interested persons relative to the development of eligibility and program requirements for the Hardest Hit Fund Program.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 420.507 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 420.507 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 WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Donna R. Phillips, Federal Home Loan Programs Senior Analyst, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329, (850)488-4197 or donna.phillips@floridahousing.org.

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 68A-1.004 Definitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development is to provide definitions for language in rules of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, during calendar year 2012.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rule include rule language definitions. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution. 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 WEEKLY.

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agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The ADA Coordinator at (850)488-6411. 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: Michael Yaun, Deputy General Counsel, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, 620 South Meridian Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1600, (850)487-1764

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES: 68A-4.001 General Prohibitions

68A-4.002 Possession of Gun While Using a

Light Prohibited

68A-4.007 Exclusion of Certain Areas from

Open Season

68A-4.008 Taking Wildlife on Roads and

Rights-of-Way Prohibited

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purposes and effects of this rule development effort are to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with general prohibitions pertaining to wildlife and freshwater fish resources, the use of and possession of a gun while using a light, exclusion of certain areas from open season, and the take of wildlife on roads and rights-of-way.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rule include general prohibitions pertaining to wildlife and freshwater fish, the use of and possession of a gun while using a light, exclusion of certain areas from open season, and the take of wildlife on roads and rights-of-way.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution: 379.1025 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.2223, 379.3015, 379.404 FS.

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-9.002	Permits to Take Wildlife or
	Freshwater Fish for Justifiable
	Purposes
68A-9.004	Permits for Hunting or Other
	Recreational Use on Wildlife
	Management Areas
68A-9.005	Falconry
68A-9.006	Wildlife Rehabilitation Permit
68A-9.007	Special-use Permits; Short-term Use
	Permits; Fees; Special-Opportunity
	Hunting and Fishing
68A-9.008	Permits for Physically Disabled
68A-9.010	Taking Nuisance Wildlife
68A-9.012	Taking of Wildlife on Airport
	Property

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with wildlife management area permits, recreational use permits and related fees on Wildlife Management Areas; falconry; special-use permits, short-term use permits, special-opportunity hunting and fishing permits, and any related fees; permits for the physically disabled; and to clarify and simplify regulations relating to nuisance wildlife and wildlife on airport property.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include recreational use permits; falconry; special-use permits, short-term use permits, special-opportunity hunting and fishing, and related fees; permits for wildlife rehabilitation and the physically disabled; and taking of nuisance wildlife and wildlife on airport property.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.571, 379.1025 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.313, 375.571, 379.1025, 379.2223, 379.354 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 WEEKLY.

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-11.003 Use of Motorboats on Certain

Waters: Permits

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with the use of motorboats on certain waters.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include use of motorboats on certain waters.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; Chapters 65-1841 and 85-361, Laws of Florida. LAW IMPLEMENTED: Chapters 65-1841 and 85-361, Laws of Florida.

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 WEEKLY.

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-12.002	General Methods of Taking Game;
	Prohibitions
68A-12.007	Hunting Dogs; Molesting Game in
	Closed Season; Training; Field
	Trials; Prohibited for Certain
	Hunting
68A-12.008	Use of Pen-raised Quail for Training
	Bird Dogs

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purposes and effects of the proposed rule development are to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with general methods of taking game, the use of dogs for taking game, and the use of pen-raised quail for training bird dogs.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rule include general methods of taking game, the use of dogs for taking game, and the use of pen-raised quail for training bird dogs.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution. 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 WEEKLY

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Michael Yaun, Deputy General Counsel, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, 620 South Meridian Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1600, (850)487-1764

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-13.001	Open Season for Taking Game; Bag and Possession Limits
68A-13.002	Migratory Birds; Adoption of Federal Statutes and Regulations (Transferred to 68A-16.001)
68A-13.003	Hunting Regulations for Ducks, Geese, and Coots
68A-13.004	Open Season for Taking and Bag Limits for Non-Migratory Game and Issuance of Antlerless Deer Permits
68A-13.006	Hunting on National Wildlife Refuges
68A-13.007	Hunting Regulations on Public Small-Game Hunting Areas
68A-13.008	Hunting Regulations for Migratory Birds Other than Ducks and Coots

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is, during calendar year 2012, to (1) establish open seasons, statewide management zones, bag limits and possession limits for taking game; (2) establish hunting regulations for ducks, geese, coots, and other migratory birds; (3) provide for adoption of Federal statutes and regulations pertaining to migratory birds and hunting on National Wildlife Refuges; (4) update taxonomic changes; (5) establish hunting regulations for public small-game hunting areas; and (6) provide for the issuance of antlerless deer permits to private landowners.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include regulations for taking game including waterfowl and other migratory birds, issuance of antlerless deer permits to private landowners, public small-game hunting area regulations, adoption of Federal statutes and regulations, and hunting on National Wildlife Refuges.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.1025 FS.

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RULE NOS · RULE TITLE: 68A-14.001 **Establishment Orders**

68A-14.0011 Opening or Closing Areas Other

Than Restricted Hunting Areas or

Bird Sanctuaries; General

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with the establishment of areas as wildlife management areas, wildlife and environmental areas, refuges, bird sanctuaries, restricted hunting areas, critical wildlife areas, fish management areas, or miscellaneous areas; and the opening or closing of areas other than restricted hunting areas, bird sanctuaries or critical wildlife areas.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include the establishment of areas as wildlife management areas, wildlife and environmental areas, refuges, bird sanctuaries, restricted hunting areas, critical wildlife areas, fish management areas, or miscellaneous areas; and the opening or closing of areas other than restricted hunting areas, bird sanctuaries or critical wildlife areas.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.121 FS.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-15.004	General Regulations Relating to
	Wildlife Management Areas
68A-15.005	Quota Permits; Antlerless Deer
	Permits; Special-Opportunity
	Permits
68A-15.006	Regulations Relating to
	Miscellaneous Areas
68A-15.061	Specific Regulations for Wildlife
	Management Areas – Southwest
	Region
68A-15.062	Specific Regulations for Wildlife
	Management Areas – North Central
	Region
68A-15.063	Specific Regulations for Wildlife
	Management Areas – Northwest
	Region
68A-15.064	Specific Regulations for Wildlife
	Management Areas – South Region
68A-15.065	Specific Regulations for Wildlife
	Management Areas – Northeast
	Region

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, to (1) establish or revise general regulations relating to Wildlife Management Areas (WMAs) and specific regulations related to Miscellaneous Areas (MAs); (2) establish or adjust hunter quotas for WMAs; (3) establish or modify specific area regulations for WMAs and MAs; and (4) adjust hunting season dates on WMAs and MAs to conform with proposed 2012-2013 hunting season dates for the appropriate management zone.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include general regulations, quota hunt permits, hunting season dates and specific area regulations pertaining to WMAs.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.313, 379.2223 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.313, 379.2223, 379.354 FS.

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RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

68A-16.001 Migratory Birds; Adoption of

Federal Statutes and Regulations

68A-16.002 Bald Eagle (Haliaeetus

leucocephalus)

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of the proposed rules is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with birds.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include adoption of Federal statutes and regulations regarding migratory birds. The subject area also includes rules associated with the conservation of bald eagles.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.1025 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.2292 FS.

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RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

68A-17.004 General Regulations Relating to
Wildlife and Environmental Areas
68A-17.005 Specific Regulations for Wildlife and

Environmental Areas

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, to (1) establish general regulations relating to Wildlife and Environmental Areas (WEAs); (2) establish or modify specific area regulations for WEAs; and (3) adjust hunting season dates on WEAs to conform with proposed 2012-2013 hunting season dates for the appropriate management zone.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include hunting season dates, general regulations and specific area regulations pertaining to WEAs

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE TITLE: RULE NO.:

68A-18.004 Regulations in Wildlife Refuges

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with wildlife refuges.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject area covered in the proposed rules includes regulations in wildlife refuges.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.2223 FS.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-19.005 General Regulations Relating to

Critical Wildlife Areas

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions related to the establishment and protection of critical wildlife areas (CWAs) during calendar year 2012.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Proposed changes would establish or revise rule provisions related to the establishment and protection of CWAs.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**

68A-20.004 Regulations in Fish Management

Areas

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for regulations in Fish Management Areas (FMA).

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in proposed rules include regulations in Fish Management Areas.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-20.005 Specific Fish Management Area

Regulations

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, specific to Fish Management Area (FMA) regulations.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in proposed rules include specific area regulations pertaining to individual FMAs.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-23.002 General Methods of Taking

Freshwater Fish

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for the general methods of taking of freshwater fish.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in proposed rules include general methods of taking freshwater fish.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-23.003 Commercial Fishing Devices;

Provision for Use in Certain Waters

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for commercial fishing devices and provisions for their use in certain waters.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in proposed rules include commercial fishing devices and provisions for their use in certain waters.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-23.004 Lawful Methods for Using Trotlines and Bush Hooks or Set Lines

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for lawfully utilizing trotlines, bush hooks, or set lines.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in proposed rules include lawful use of trotlines and bush hooks or set lines.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-23.005 Bag Limits, Length Limits, Open

Season: Freshwater Fish

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for bag limits, length limits, open season for freshwater fish.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered by proposed rules include bag limits, length limits, and open seasons for freshwater fish.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution. 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 WEEKLY.

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RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
68A-24.002 Methods of Taking Fur-Bearing
Animals; Possession; Open Season
68A-24.005 Transporting and Shipping Live

Raccoons

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with methods of taking, possession of, and open season for furbearing animals; and transporting and shipping live raccoons.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include methods of taking, possession of, and open season for furbearing animals; and transporting and shipping live raccoons.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-25.001	Feeding or Enticement of Alligators
	or Crocodiles Unlawful
68A-25.002	General Provisions for Taking
	Possession and Sale of Reptiles
68A-25.003	Taking and Disposal of
	Nuisance-Alligators Statewide
68A-25.004	Regulations Governing the Operation
	of Alligator Farms
68A-25.031	Regulations Governing Alligator Egg
	and Hatchling Collections on Lands
	Not Included in Alligator
	Management Programs
68A-25.032	Regulations Governing the
	Establishment of Alligator
	Management Programs
68A-25.042	Regulations Governing Statewide
	Alligator Trapping, Permitting,
	Taking and Sale
68A-25.052	Regulations Governing the
	Processing of Alligators and the
	Sale of Alligator Meat and Parts

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, for taking and possessing alligators that will ensure conservation of alligator populations while providing for realization of their potential aesthetic, recreational, and economic values.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include requirements for taking and possessing alligators and other reptiles.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.26, 379.3012, 379.303, 379.304, 379.305, 379.372, 379.373, 379.374, 379.3751, 379.3752, 379.3761, 379.3762 FS.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-26.002 Regulations Relating to the Taking of

Amphibians

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development effort is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with methods of take and open season for amphibians.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include methods of take and open season for amphibians.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.363 FS.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68A-27.0001	Purpose and Intent
68A-27.001	Definitions
68A-27.0011	Killing Endangered Species
68A-27.0012	Procedures for Listing and Removing
	Species from Florida's Endangered
	and Threatened Species List
68A-27.0021	Designation of Candidate Species;
	Prohibitions; Permits
68A-27.003	Designation of Endangered Species;
	Prohibitions
68A-27.0031	Marine Endangered and Threatened
	Species
68A-27.005	Designation of Species of Special
	Concern; Prohibitions; Permits
68A-27.006	Reward Program
68A-27.007	Permits and Authorizations for the
	Take of Florida Endangered and
	Threatened Species

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of the proposed rules is to establish or revise rule provisions, during calendar year 2012, associated with species classified as Candidate Species, Endangered Species, Threatened Species and Species of Special Concern lists.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rules include listing, delisting, and reclassifying procedures; designation of Candidate Species, Endangered Species, Threatened Species and Species of Special Concern; and prohibitions, permits, and rewards associated with such species.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.1025 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 379.2292 FS.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-31.001 Regulations Related to Commission

Managed Shooting Ranges

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule development effort is to establish regulations for Commission managed shooting ranges in calendar year 2012 that would address public safety, access, and activities. The effect of the proposed rule will be to enable the agency to better manage public use of Commission managed shooting ranges.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas covered in the proposed rule include requirements for access, activities, and public safety on Commission managed shooting ranges.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.313, 379.2223 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution; 375.313, 379.2223 FS.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

68B-5.002 John Pennekamp Coral Reef State
Park: Prohibition on Harvest of
Certain Species, Size Limit;
Trappers to Comply with Rule

68B-24.0065, F.A.C.

68B-5.003 Warren Bayou (Bay County) Special

Seasonal Harvest Closure

68B-5.005 Divers: Fish Feeding Prohibited;

Prohibition of Fish Feeding for

Hire; Definitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments in the 2012 calendar year for miscellaneous marine fisheries rules such as John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park, Warren Bayou or fish feeding as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management and enforcement requirements.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas addressed in the rule development notice include size limits, bag limits, gear restrictions and other subjects encompassed by the above-cited rules.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION **COMMISSION**

Marine Fisheries RULE TITLES: RULE NOS.: 68B-12.001 King Mackerel Gulf-Atlantic Fishery; Resource Renewal Policy; Designation as Restricted Species 68B-12.002 **Definitions** Size Limit 68B-12.0035 68B-12.004 **Bag Limits** 68B-12.0045 Recreational Season; Season Closure Commercial Fishing Season for King 68B-12.0046 Mackerel in the Gulf-Atlantic Fishery; Commercial Season Segments, Vessel and Landing Limits 68B-12.006 Other Prohibitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule changes in the 2012 calendar year for Gulf/Atlantic king mackerel fisheries as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management and enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries	
RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-14.001	Purpose and Intent, Designation as
	Restricted Species
68B-14.002	Definitions
68B-14.0035	Size Limits: Amberjacks, Black Sea
	Bass, Gray Triggerfish, Grouper,
	Hogfish, Red Porgy, Snapper
68B-14.00355	Size Limits for Importation and Sale
68B-14.0036	Recreational Bag Limits: Snapper,
	Grouper, Hogfish, Black Sea Bass,
	Red Porgy, Amberjacks, Tilefish,
	Exception, Wholesale/Retail
	Purchase Exemption
68B-14.0038	Recreational Snapper Seasons
68B-14.0039	Recreational Grouper Seasons
68B-14.004	Recreational Amberjack Season
68B-14.0045	Commercial Harvest Requirements;
	Licenses, Season Closures, Bag and
	Trip Limits
68B-14.0046	Transit Through State Waters During
	Closed Seasons
68B-14.005	Regulation and Prohibition of
	Certain Harvesting Gear: Allowable
	Gear, Incidental Bycatch, Violation
68B-14.006	Other Prohibitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule changes for reef fish in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 68B-15.001 Sturgeon, Statewide

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for sturgeon in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES: 68B-17.002 Definitions

68B-17.003 Hard Clams, Minimum Size Limits 68B-17.004 Hard Clams, Hours of Taking and

Transporting

68B-17.005 Regulation of Vessels and

Harvesting Gear

68B-17.007 Recreational Bag Limit

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for hard clams in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION **COMMISSION**

Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-18.002	Definitions
68B-18.003	Statewide Open and Closed Seasons
	and Areas for Harvesting Bay
	Scallops
68B-18.004	Allowable Gear for Harvesting Bay
	Scallops
68B-18.005	Bag Limit
68B-18.0055	Prohibition of Sale and Commercial
	Harvest

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for bay scallops in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-19.001	Definitions
68B-19.002	Cobia, Size Limit

68B-19.004 Designation as Restricted Species;

Bag and Possession Limits

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for cobia in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE TITLES: RULE NOS.: 68B-21.0015 Definitions

Designation of Snook as a Protected 68B-21.002

Species

68B-21.003 Prohibition of Sale of Snook

68B-21.004	Seasons
68B-21.005	Size Limits
68B-21.006	Bag and Possession Limits
68B-21.007	Restrictions on Gear and Methods
	Used to Take Snook

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for snook in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries	
RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-22.001	Purpose and Intent; Repeal of Certain
	Laws; Designation as Protected
	Species
68B-22.002	Definitions
68B-22.003	Size Limits
68B-22.005	Bag and Possession Limits; Sale
	Prohibited
68B-22.006	Other Prohibitions; Applicability
68B-22.007	Catch-Hold-and-Release
	Tournament Exemption

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for red drum (redfish) in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-24.001	Purpose and Intent
68B-24.002	Definitions
68B-24.003	Minimum Size Limits
68B-24.0035	Special Recreational Crawfish
	License
68B-24.004	Bag Limit
68B-24.0045	Importation of Spiny Lobster;
	Documentation and Other
	Requirements
68B-24.005	Seasons
68B-24.0055	Commercial Requirements; Appeals
68B-24.006	Gear: Traps, Buoys, Identification
	Requirements, Prohibited Devices

68B-24.0065	Special Provisions for John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park in Monroe County: Closure During Two-day Sport Season; Closure of
COD 24 007	Coral Formation Protection Zones
68B-24.007	Other Prohibitions
68B-24.008	Slipper Lobster; Prohibitions
	Relating to Eggbearing Slipper
	Lobster (Repealed)
68B-24.009	Trap Reduction Schedule

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for spiny lobster in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION **COMMISSION**

Marine Fisheries

RULE TITLES: RULE NOS.: 68B-26.002 Definitions

68B-26.003 Live Shellfish, Regulation

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for Southwest Florida shells in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-27.013	Definitions
68B-27.014	Statewide Bag Limits on Oyster
	Harvesting
68B-27.015	Oyster Size Limit
68B-27.016	Oyster Harvest Monitoring
68B-27.017	Apalachicola Bay Oyster Harvesting
	Restrictions
68B-27.018	Statewide Harvesting Restrictions
68B-27.019	Seasons
68B-27.020	Applicability to Oysters on Leased
	Parcels

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for oysters in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-28.002	Definitions
68B-28.003	Diving: Open and Closed Areas
68B-28.0035	Commercial Sponge Size Limit and
	Gear
68B-28.0036	Recreational Bag Limit; Commercial
	Licensing Requirements
68B-28.004	Biscayne National Park: Harvest of
	Sponges Prohibited

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for sponges in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-29.002	Definitions
68B-29.003	Commercial Fishing Season and
	Harvest Limits for Sardines in the
	West Central Florida Region;
	Extraordinary Harvest Limitations
68B-29.004	Prohibition of Commercial Sardine
	Harvest in Tampa Bay Area

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for sardines in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-30.001	King Mackerel Atlantic Fishery;
	Purpose and Intent; Designation as
	Restricted Species
68B-30.002	Definitions
68B-30.0025	Size Limit
68B-30.003	Commercial Harvest Limits;
	Recreational Bag Limit; Gear
	Specifications
68B-30.004	Seasons
68B-30.006	Other Prohibitions
PURPOSE AND EFFEC	CT: The purpose and effect of this rule
development notice is to	address possible rule amendments for
Atlantic king mackerel i	n the 2012 calendar year as a result of
stock assessments, fe	deral regulatory actions or other
management or enforcer	nent requirements.
SUBJECT AREA TO	BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas
addressed in the rule de	evelopment notice include size limits,
bag limits, gear restriction	ons and other subjects encompassed by
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Marine Fisheries	
RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-31.001	Northeast Florida Live Bait Shrimp Fishery; Purpose and Intent
68B-31.002	Definitions
68B-31.003	Live Bait Shrimp Trawl Gear Specifications
68B-31.0035	Trawls: Allowed Use; Maximum Square Footage of Mesh Area; Definitions
68B-31.004	Trawl Gear Specifications: Turtle Excluder Devices Required; Exceptions; Definitions
68B-31.0045	Trawl Gear Specifications: Bycatch Reduction Devices
68B-31.005	Purpose and Intent; Repeal of Certain General and Special Acts; Designation of Shrimp as Restriction Species
68B-31.006	Definitions
68B-31.007	Statewide Recreational Shrimping Restrictions
68B-31.008	Statewide Live Bait Shrimp Production Restrictions
68B-31.009	Statewide Food Shrimp Production Restrictions
68B-31.010	Northwest Region Food Shrimp

Production Gear Specifications

68B-31.011	Big Bend Region Food Shrimp
68B-31.012	Production Gear Specifications Southwest Region Food Shrimp
(OD 21 012	Production Gear Specifications
68B-31.013	Southeast Region Food Shrimp Production Gear Specifications
68B-31.0135	Southeast Region: Biscayne Bay (Dade County) Food Shrimp Production Season and Weekly
	Closures
68B-31.0136	Southeast Region: Food Shrimp Production Closed Area (Portion of Monroe County)
68B-31.014	Northeast Region Food Shrimp
00B 31.011	Production Gear Specifications
68B-31.015	Northeast Florida Shrimping: Definition
68B-31.0155	Northeast Florida Shrimping: Closed Season; Definition of Term "Legal State Holidays" for Purposes of Section 379.247(8)(a), F.S.; Closed Areas
68B-31.0156	Florida East Coast Shrimp Bed: Repeal of Section 370.156, Florida Statutes; Seasonal Food Shrimp Production Closure; Exception; Definition
68B-31.0157	East Coast: Night Trawling Prohibited; Exception
68B-31.016	Tortugas Shrimp Beds: Repeal of Section 370.151(2), F.S. (1991); Redescription of Tortugas Shrimp
(OD 21 017	Beds; Closed Areas
68B-31.017	Big Bend Region Closed Areas; Seasonal Closures
68B-31.018	Northwest Region Closed Areas; Repealed Special Acts
68B-31.019	Regulation of Shrimp Fishing in
DUDDOCE AND PEPP	Tampa Bay; License Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for shrimp in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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68B-32.002	Definitions
68B-32.003	Tarpon Tags: Required for
	Possession; Report; Annual
	Issuance; Taxidermy; Limitation on
	Number of Tags Issued Annually;
	Limitation on Number of Tags
	Issued to Professional Fishing
	Guides
68B-32.004	Bag Limit and Gear Restriction

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68B-32.006 Sale Prohibited, Transport Regulated PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for tarpon in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock

assessments or other management or enforcement

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-33.001	Purpose and Intent
68B-33.002	Definitions
68B-33.003	Marlin and Sailfish Possession
	Limits; Prohibition of Harvest for
	Spearfish; Prohibition of Sale;
	Exception; Gear Restrictions
68B-33.0034	Swordfish: Recreational Bag and
	Possession Limits
68B-33.0035	Swordfish: Federal Permit Required
	for Sale
68B-33.004	Size Limits
68B-33.005	Billfish and Swordfish: Recreational
	Catch Reporting

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for billfish and swordfish in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-34.002	Definitions
68B-34.003	Bonefish Gear Restriction; Harvest
	Prohibited
68B-34.004	Temporary Possession of Bonefish
68B-34.005	Bonefish Tournaments, Exemptions
PURPOSE AND EF	FFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule
development notice	is to address possible rule amendments for
bonefish in the 20	012 calendar year as a result of stock
assessments or	other management or enforcement
requirements.	

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-35.001	Purpose and Intent; Repeal of Certain
	Laws; Designation as Restricted
	Species, Aquaculture Exemption
	for Pompano
68B-35.002	Definitions
68B-35.003	Size Limits; Prohibition of Sale;
	Landing in Whole Condition
68B-35.0035	Bag Limits
68B-35.004	Gear Specifications and Prohibited
	Gear
68B-35.005	Pompano Endorsement Regulations
68B-35.006	Closed Season

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for pompano, African pompano and permit in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-36.001	Purpose and Intent
68B-36.002	Definitions
68B-36.003	Size Limits; Prohibition of Sale of
	Larger Black Drum
68B-36.004	Bag and Commercial Limits
68B-36.005	Other Prohibitions
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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-37.001	Purpose and Intent; Repeal of Other
	Laws; Designation as Restricted
	Species
68B-37.002	Definitions
68B-37.003	Size Limits
68B-37.004	Regional Bag Limits; Closed
	Seasons
68B-37.005	Commercial Season and Daily
	Harvest Limit
68B-37.006	Gear Specifications and Prohibited
	Gear: Bycatch Allowance

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for spotted seatrout in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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the above-cited rules.

RULE N	IOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-41.0	002	Definitions
68B-41.0	003	Size Limit, Prohibition of Sale
68B-41.0	004	Recreational Bag and Possession
		Limits; Commercial Trip Limits
68B-41.0	005	Gear Specifications and Prohibited
		Gear; Bycatch Allowance
68B-41.0	006	Commercial Permit Requirements
PURPOS	SE AND EFFE	CT: The purpose and effect of this rule
developr	nent notice is to	address possible rule amendments for
dolphin	and wahoo in	the 2012 calendar year as a result of
stock a	ssessments, fe	ederal regulatory actions or other

management or enforcement requirements.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas addressed in the rule development notice include size limits, bag limits, gear restrictions and other subjects encompassed by

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-42.001	Purpose and Intent; Designation of
	Restricted Species; Definition of
	"Marine Life Species"
68B-42.002	Definitions
68B-42.003	Prohibition of Harvest: Longspine
	Urchin, Bahama Starfish
68B-42.0035	Live Landing and Live Well
	Requirements

68B-42.004 Size Limits
68B-42.005 Recreational Bag Limit
68B-42.006 Commercial Season, Harvest Limits
68B-42.0065 Commercial Requirements;

Closed Areas

Endorsements; Requalifying;
Appeals; Leasing; Transferability
68B-42.007 Gear Specifications and Prohibited

Gear

68B-42.008 Live Rock: Harvest in State Waters

Prohibited; Aquacultured Live Rock Harvest and Landing Allowed

68B-42.009 Prohibition on the Taking,

Destruction, or Sale of Marine Corals Sea Fans, and Non-erect,

Encrusting Octocorals; Exception

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for marine life in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-47.001	Definitions
68B-47.002	Size Limits
68B-47.003	Recreational Bag Limits
68B-47.004	Gear Restriction
68B-47.005	Commercial Harvest Limits
68B-47.006	Weakfish, Regulation

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for weakfish in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE TITLES: RULE NOS.:

68B-48.001 Purpose and Intent; Repeal of

Section 370.11(2)(a)2., F.S.;

Designation as Restricted Species,

Aquaculture Exemption

68B-48.002 **Definitions**

Size and Bag Limits 68B-48.003

Gear Specifications and Prohibited 68B-48.004

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for sheepshead and flounder in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE TITLES: RULE NOS.: 68B-49.001 Definitions

68B-49.002 Size and Bag Limits, Daily

Commercial Vessel Limit,

Designation as Restricted Species

Gear Specifications and Prohibited 68B-49.003

Gear

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for tripletail in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments, federal regulatory actions or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68B-52.001 Shad and River Herring: Repeal of

Section 370.11(3), F.S., and Repeal of Chapter 21417, Laws of Florida (1941), Chapter 29466, Laws of Florida (1953), and Chapter 59-1771, Laws of Florida (1959); Prohibited Gear; Bag Limits;

Definitions

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RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES: 68B-53.001 Definitions 68B-53.002 Size Limit

68B-53.003 Harvest Requirements: Harvest for

Commercial Purposes; Gear Specifications; Closed Areas

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for calico scallops in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock assessments or other management or enforcement requirements.

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Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-54.001	Definitions
68B-54.002	Statewide Open and Closed Seasons
	for Harvesting Blue Land Crabs
68B-54.003	Allowable Gear for Harvesting Land
	Crabs
68B-54.004	Bag Limit
68B-54.005	Other Prohibitions, Exception

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for blue land crabs in the 2012 calendar year as a result of stock or other management or enforcement requirements.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
68B-55.001	Definitions
68B-55.002	Retrieval of Trap Debris
68B-55.003	Trap Retrieval Program Funded
	Pursuant to Section 370.143,
	Florida Statutes
68B-55.004	Retrieval of Derelict Traps and Traps
	Located in Areas Permanently
	Closed to Trapping
68B-55.005	Recovery of Traps in Area of Major
	Natural Disaster

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for the trap retrieval program in the 2012 calendar year as a result of management or enforcement requirements.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas addressed in the rule development notice include modifications to the trap retrieval program encompassed by the above-cited

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