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## **CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 98-088**

### **Comments**

**[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated October 1994.]**

#### **2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code**

a. In SECTIONS 1, 3 and 4, the section number, e.g., “DWD 80.60,” should be set forth preceding the text of the subsection, paragraph or subdivision that is being amended or created. [See s. 1.04 (2), Manual.]

b. In s. DWD 80.60 (3) (b) 2., “, Stats.” should be inserted at the end.

c. In s. DWD 80.60 (4) (b) 1., the parentheses should be replaced by commas. [See s. 1.01 (6), Manual.]

d. In s. DWD 80.60 (4) (b) 4., after “~~and~~,” the strike mark should be deleted from the comma.

e. In s. DWD 80.60 (4) (d) (intro.), “Compensation Rating Bureau” and “Commissioner of Insurance” should be lower case.

f. An effective date provision should be included in the rule-making order. [See s. 1.02 (4), Manual.]

#### **4. Adequacy of References to Related Statutes, Rules and Forms**

In the last sentence of s. DWD 80.60 (4) (a), “this section” should replace “DWD 80.60.” [See s. 1.07 (2), Manual.]

**5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language**

In s. DWD 80.60 (4) (b) 1., should “or audited” be inserted after the first “unaudited”? As drafted, the rule does not seem to allow an employer to submit audited quarterly statements if it chooses to do so.