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# WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RULES CLEARINGHOUSE

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## CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 01-088

### 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 September 1998.]**

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

a. In s. Tax 61.03 (1), on line 4., and in numerous other locations throughout the rule, words lack the necessary spacing. The entire rule should be reviewed for occurrences of this problem.

b. In s. Tax 61.08 (13) (b), “Wisconsin lottery” should follow all of the stricken material.

c. Section Tax 61.08 (15) (c) is repealed, rather than amended, as the treatment section to SECTION 10 indicates. That provision should be repealed in a separate SECTION.

d. In SECTION 20, s. Tax 63.04 (2) (a) and (b) are repealed. Is the intent to also repeal sub. (2) (intro.)? If so, the treatment language should just indicate that s. Tax 63.04 (2) is repealed.

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

The statement of statutory authority in the analysis refers to s. 565.10, Stats. This statute in turn refers to rules promulgated under s. 565.02 (3) (b) and (4) (a), Stats. Should those statutes be mentioned too?

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

a. In s. Tax 61.04 (4) (c), is it the administrator who approves the contract? If so, that should be stated.

b. In s. Tax 61.07 (1), on line 5., the phrase “of the mailing of the denial” could be inserted after the word “days” for clarification.

c. In s. Tax 61.08 (21) (intro.), the word “one” on line 3 could be deleted. Also, in sub. (21) (c), the phrase “each month” seems redundant, following the phrase “a monthly minimum.”