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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 15-074

Comments

[<u>NOTE</u>: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the <u>Administrative Rules Procedures Manual</u>, prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated December 2014.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. In the treatment clause for SECTION 3 of the proposed rule, the citation for the affected rule provision should be "NR 25.09(1) (am) 3. f.".

b. Proposed s. NR 25.13 (2) (f) should be reviewed to determine if the requirements in that paragraph are unnecessarily duplicative of other requirements in the rule.

c. In the treatment clause for SECTION 4, only s. NR 25.13(1) and (2) should be "repealed and recreated". An additional SECTION should be added to the proposal in order to repeal s. NR 25.13(3), (4), and (5).

d. The introductory clause that enumerates the rule provisions that are treated by the proposed rule should be updated to reflect any revisions made in accordance with comments a. to c. of this section.

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

a. In s. NR 25.13 (1) (c) and (f) 2., it is not clear what is meant by: "After a trip's information has been recorded, the report may not be transported for the rest of the day in such a way that it can be altered except to record information pertaining to additional fishing trips taken that day.". The purpose of this sentence should be stated more simply.

b. In s. NR 25.13 (2) (c) and (e), how will the phone number and email address be designated and how will a person access that information? This should be specified.