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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. Trans 134.03 (1) (a), insert “as” after “designated” and substitute “apply” for “make application.” In sub. (1) (c), insert “obtained” before “any necessary approvals.” In sub. (2) (b), it might be clearer if the word “clearly” is deleted and the phrase “after the initial review” is inserted after “not acceptable.” In sub. (2) (c), delete “the initial audit” and substitute “the department’s initial review.” Also, in that same paragraph, delete “will be made” and substitute “is necessary.” In sub. (2) (f), second sentence, substitute “shall be used to offset” for “offsets” since that amount will not necessarily offset the costs. In sub. (2) (g), delete “to purchase and issue plates” and substitute “of purchasing and issuing the plates.”

b. In s. Trans 134.04 (1), delete the comma after “authorized special group.” In sub. (2) (a), delete “clearly” and insert a requirement that the department inform the group why, after the initial screening, the application is not acceptable. In sub. (2) (c), delete the comma after “denial.”

c. In s. Trans 134.05 (2), the text should be rewritten as follows: “A special group plate shall display, on the left of the plate, a symbol representing the special group. The symbol shall not exceed 1/4 the width of the plate.” In sub. (5), the phrase “is responsible for” should be replaced by the phrase “shall pay.”

d. In s. Trans 134.06 (1) (b), delete “actually being.” In sub. (3), last sentence, “\$15.00” should be “\$15.” In sub. (4) (a), “authorized special groups” should be “authorized

special group.” Subsection (4) (c) is confusing and should be rewritten (for example, it could read as follows: “If an authorized special group plate is discontinued and the department continues to renew plates which have already been issued, the department, 5 years after plate sales began and when the department undertakes a general license plate reissuance, may decide either to reissue the authorized special group plate or to discontinue the plate.”) In sub. (4) (d), delete the commas after “discontinued” and “fee deposit.” In sub. (4) (e), first sentence, delete the comma after “any time.” In sub. (4) (f), delete “for messages” and substitute “if the plates contain messages.”