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Comments

[<u>NOTE</u>: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the <u>Administrative Rules Procedures Manual</u>, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated January 2005.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. In s. Trans 130.03 (1) (i) 5., it appears that "<u>In application for</u>" should be "<u>If the application is for</u>" or "<u>In an application for</u>". In sub. (1) (k), first sentence, "in which" should be "during which."

b. In s. Trans 130.03 (2) (h), "as defined in s. Trans 130.02 (6)" should be deleted since sub. (6) defines "person" for purposes of the chapter.

c. In s. Trans 130.11, the note appears to apply to all of that section and not just to sub. (3). In addition, the note, with the amendments, should be set out in the manner in which it appears in the Code (see, for example, the format of the note after s. Trans 130.06 in the rule).

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

Section Trans 130.03 (2) (h) indicates that the language in that paragraph is "required in s. 343.51 (1m) (b), Stats." The statutory paragraph cited does not contain any such requirement. This provision should be clarified. Perhaps just deleting "As required in s. 343.51 (1m) (b), Stats.," and beginning the provision with "The organization" is appropriate.

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

In s. Trans 130.07 (4) (a), the comma after "notarized" should be deleted.