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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 10-031

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated September 2008.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

- a. In SECTIONS 1 and 3 of the rule-making order, the existing text of the amended rule provisions is not shown accurately.
- b. The material in SECTION 2 of the rule-making order should not be underscored. Underscoring is not used when creating an entire rule unit. See s. 1.06 (1), Manual.
- c. The treatment clause of SECTION 9 of the rule-making order should be rewritten to repeal and recreate s. NR 46.30 (2). Also, the recreated material should be shown as it will appear after promulgation, without strikethroughs and underscores. See s. 1.06 (5), Manual.

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

- a. In SECTION 2 of the rule-making order, "par." should be changed to "pars." and a comma should be inserted after "(c)."
- b. Section NR 46.16 (7), as amended, should be reviewed and rewritten since the language resulting from the rule treatment does not result in a grammatical sentence.
- c. In s. NR 46.18 (5) (c), the introduction should be renumbered as subd. 1. and the remaining subdivisions should be renumbered accordingly.