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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 December 2014.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. In the introductory clause for the proposed rule, the reference to “Wis. Admin. Code §” could be removed. The citation to “PSC 135.019 (1)” includes the designation “PSC”, which can only be found in the Wisconsin Administrative Code. [ss. 1.02 (1) (Example) and 1.07 (2), Manual.]

b. A heading and entry should be inserted in the rule analysis for the summary of factual data and analytical methodologies, and for the analysis and supporting documents used to determine the effect on small business. If there is no information, the text should state that there is no information. [s. 1.02 (2) (a) (intro.) and 8. and 9., Manual.]

c. In s. PSC 135.019 (1), the proposed rule revises the incorporation by reference of material that was previously incorporated by reference from the Code of Federal Regulations. In the rule analysis, the agency should comment on its compliance with s. 227.21 (2), Stats., and s. 2.08 (4), Manual. [See also s. 2.08 (5) (Note), Manual.]