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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 17-054

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

The abbreviation “ch.” should be inserted before the citation to “PI 33” that appears in the introductory clause for the proposed rule and in the treatment clause for SECTION 1 of the proposed rule.

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

a. In s. PI 33.03 (title), consider revising the title to be more descriptive for the subject addressed in the rule section.

b. In s. PI 33.03, it appears that the defined term “district of residence” should replace the undefined term “resident school district”. Similarly, in the phrase “school district of attendance”, it appears that the word “school” should be removed in order to use the defined term “district of attendance”. Also, consider specifying that the reference to “requirements” under s. 118.50 (1) (intro.), Stats., refers to the requirements to enroll a “substantial portion of the pupils” in a grade for a “substantial portion of a school day”, if that is the intent of this provision.

c. In s. PI 33.04 (title), a period should be inserted after the section title.

d. In s. PI 33.04 (1), the second sentence should be edited for grammar. For example, consider revising the word “to” to “in” and deleting the final phrase “, in the pupil records”. Also, in the phrase “school district of attendance”, it appears that the word “school” should be removed in order to use the defined term “district of attendance”.

e. For grammatical consistency, s. PI 33.04 (2) (a) should be revised to begin the sentence with the “termination of” the whole grade sharing agreement.