Section I Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

Sales and Use Tax

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:12A-1.0121Credits, Deductions, or Reimbursements
Taken on Sales and Use Tax Returns

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Department is considering the development of a proposed new rule (Rule 12A-1.0121, F.A.C., Credits, Deductions, or Reimbursements Taken on Sales and Use Tax Returns). The proposed rule will seek to provide clarification on how and when dealers may take credits, deductions or reimbursements on their Sales and Use Tax Returns and what documentation will be needed to substantiate the credits, deductions or reimbursements.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The subject area to be addressed is the taking of credits, deductions or reimbursements on Sales and Use Tax Returns and what documentation will be needed to substantiate the credits, deductions or reimbursements.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 212.17(6), 212.18(2), 213.06(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 212.06, 212.13, 212.17, 212.18, 213.35, 215.26 FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2015, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 2450 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Building One, Room 1220, Tallahassee, Florida. The public can also participate in this rule development workshop through a simultaneous electronic broadcast of this event by the Department of Revenue, using GoToMeeting and conference calling technology. The requirements to participate are access to the Internet and a telephone. Members of the public can participate in this electronic workshop by accessing the broadcast from their home or office. Specific information about how to participate in this electronic meeting from your home or office will be included in the Agenda for this workshop posted on the Department's Proposed Rule site at www.myflorida.com/dor/rules.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Tonya Fulford at (850)717-6799 If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Tammy Miller, Deputy Director, Technical Assistance and Dispute Resolution, Department of Revenue, P.O. Box 7443, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-7443, telephone (850)717-6309. THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

62-730.186 Universal Pharmaceutical Waste

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of the proposed rule development is to provide an opportunity for public input and to clarify, in response to an August 17, 2015, Notice of Unadopted Rule from Zenith Environmental Services, LLC, that the Department's Universal Pharmaceutical Waste rule does not relieve handlers of pharmaceutical waste, that is determined to be hazardous by the generator, from handling all such waste in accordance with state and federal hazardous waste requirements pursuant to Chapter 62-730, F.A.C.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The subject matter to be addressed in this rulemaking include clarifications to the Universal Pharmaceutical Waste Rule in Chapter 62-730, F.A.C.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 403.061, 403.151, 403.704, 403.72, 403.721 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.52, 120.54, 403.061, 403.151, 403.704, 403.72, 403.721 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Tim Bahr, Program Administrator, Permitting & Compliance Assistance Program, 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 4560, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400, Tim.Bahr@dep.state.fl.us, (850)245-8790.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69I-20.030	Definitions
69I-20.034	Report of Property Presumed Abandoned
69I-20.038	Late Annual Report(s), Late Payment(s),
	and Late Delivery of Abandoned Property
69I-20.040	Written Notice

69I-20.041 Unclaimed Property Reporting Instructions. PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed amendments will update and clarify the requirements for reporting and remitting unclaimed property to the Department.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Reporting and remitting of unclaimed property to the Department using the Holder Reporting Online System.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 717.117, 717.138 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 717.101, 717.102, 717.103, 717.1035, 717.104, 717.1045, 717.105, 717.106, 717.107, 717.1071, 717.108, 717, 109, 717.1101, 717.111, 717.112, 717.1125, 717.113, 717.115, 717.116, 717.117, 717.119, 717.1201, 717.122, 717.129, 717.1311, 717.134, 717.135, 717.1351, 717.138, 717.139 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: October 1, 2015, @ 10:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room B103, Fletcher Building, 101 Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Phillip Carlton at (850)413-5570 or Phillip.Carlton@myfloridacfo.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Phillip Carlton, Assistant Chief, Bureau of Unclaimed Property, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0358 (850)413-5570 or Phillip.Carlton@myfloridacfo.com. The text of the proposed rules is also available on the Department's website @

http://www.MyFloridaCFO.com/Division/LegalServices/Rule WorkshopMeetings

/default.asp.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

Section II

Proposed Rules

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:	
40E-41.033	Implementation	
40E-41.091	Publications, Rules and Interagency	
	Agreements Incorporated by Reference	
40E-41.133	Implementation	
40E-41.233	Implementation	
40E-41.333	Implementation	

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To repeal unnecessary rules in accordance with the Governor's express goal to reduce the size and scope of the Florida Administrative Code. The repeal of these rules is a result of the District's review of all of its rules in accordance with executive order 11-211.

SUMMARY: The Rules set forth in this chapter pertain to special basins within the South Florida Water Management District. The only information in Rules 40E-41.033, 40E-41.133, 40E-41.233, and 40E-41.333, F.A.C. is the date the rules went into effect. Therefore, these rules can be repealed because the implementation date is set forth in the history note of each of the other rules in the section. This means these rules are not necessary. Rule 40E-41.091 is also unnecessary because it merely refers to the publications, rules and interagency agreements incorporated by reference in Rule 40E-4.091, F.A.C. Since the information is already set forth in another rule, Rule 40E-41.091, Florida Administrative Code is also not necessary.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

Repeal of these rules will have no adverse impact on small business and will reduce regulatory burdens on the public by reducing the number of rules.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: Repeal of these rules do not meet the thresholds set forth in 120.541(2)(a), F.S.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 120.54(8), 373.044, 373.046, 373.113, 373.171, 373.4131, 373.414, 373.416, 403.812 FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.54(8), 373.046, 373.403, 373.413, 373.414, 373.416, 373.429 FS

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Susan Roeder Martin, Esq., Sr. Practice Expert, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, tel: (800)432-2045 ext. 6251 or (561)682-6251, email: smartin@sfwmd.gov. For procedural questions, contact Jan Sluth, Sr. Paralegal, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, tel: (800)432-2045 ext. 6299 or (561)682-6299, email: jsluth@sfwmd.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

40E-41.033 Implementation.

Repealed

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.416 FS. History–New 9-3-81, Formerly 16K-34.03, Amended 4-20-94, Repealed _____.

40E-41.091 Publications, Rules and Interagency Agreements Incorporated by Reference. Rulemaking Authority 120.54(8), 373.044, 373.046, 373.113, 373.171, 373.414, 403.812 FS. Law Implemented 120.54(8), 373.046, 373.403, 373.413, 373.414, 373.416, 373.429 FS. History– New 11-15-92, Amended 1-23-94, 4-20-94, 10-3-95, 40E-41.133 Implementation.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.416 FS. History–New 5-1-85. <u>Repealed</u>.

40E-41.233 Implementation.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 373.085, 373.413, 373.416 FS. History–New 5-15-87, Repealed______.

40E-41.333 Implementation.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.4131 FS. Law Implemented 373.413, 373.4131, 373.416 FS. History–New 10-21-01, Amended 10-1-13, Repealed _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Kirk L. Burns

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: South Florida Water Management District Governing Board

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 10, 2015

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Motor Pool

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60B-2.004 Delegation

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language for which the underlying authority was repealed.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The repeal of this rule does not directly or indirectly impose any costs on regulated entities, small business or government and, to the contrary, it will provide clarity which may reduce regulatory burdens.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 240.225 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 240.225 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: October 7, 2015; 10 a.m.

PLACE: 4050 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, FL, Conference Room 380k

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cherie Ferrell (850)488-5134. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Cherie Ferrell

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60B-2.004 Delegation.

Rulemaking Authority 240.225 FS. Law Implemented 240.225 FS. History–New 11-14-79, Formerly 13B-4.04, 13B-4.004. <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Cherie Ferrell

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Secretary Chad Poppell

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 09/03/2015

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60S-1.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-1.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.031 FS. History–New 1-1-72, Amended 10-20-72, Repromulgated 12-31-74, Formerly 22B-1.01, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22B-1.001, Repealed

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 4, 2015

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60S-2.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS. IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR. THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE

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THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-2.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.031 FS. History–New 1-1-72, Amended 10-20-72, Repromulgated 12-31-74, Formerly 22B-2.01, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22B-2.001, Repealed

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60S-3.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS. IF REOUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF

THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-3.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.031 FS. History–New 1-1-72, Amended 10-20-72, Repromulgated 12-31-74, Formerly 22B-3.01, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22B-3.001, Repealed

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 60S-4.001 Scope and Purpos

60S-4.001Scope and PurposePURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS. IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850) 414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-4.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.031 FS. History–New 1-1-72, Amended 10-20-74, Repromulgated 12-31-74, Formerly 22B-4.01, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22B-4.001, 4-5-12, <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60S-5.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-5.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.031 FS. History–New 1-1-72, Formerly 22B-5.01, 22B-5.001, Repealed______.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Retirement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60S-7.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.031 FS. IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60S-7.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.091(6)(b) FS. History–New 1-1-72, Repromulgated 12-31-74, Formerly 22B-7.01, 22B-7.001, Repealed______

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60V-1.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031(1), FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.055, FS. IF REOUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF

THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850) 414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60V-1.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.055 FS. History–New 7-22-87, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22V-2.001, Amended 4-5-15, Repealed_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60V-2.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.055 FS. IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60V-2.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.031 FS. Law Implemented 121.055 FS. History–New 7-22-87, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22V-2.001, Amended 4-5-15, Repealed_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Senior Management Service Optional Annuity ProgramRULE NO.:RULE TITLE:60V-3.001Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.031(1) FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.055 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60V-3.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031(1) FS. Law Implemented 121.055 FS. History–New 7-22-87, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22V-3.001, <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60V-4.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

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THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60V-4.001 Scope and Purpose.

Specific Authority 121.031(1) FS. Law Implemented 121.055 FS. History–New 7-22-87, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22V-4.001, <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

IFAS Supplemental Benefit Program

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60W-3.001 Scope and Purpose PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

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Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.40(13), FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.40, FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60W-3.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.40(13) FS. Law Implemented 121.40 FS. History–New 2-4-86, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22Q-3.001. <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

IFAS Supplemental Benefit Program

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60W-4.001 Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.40(13), FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.40, FS. IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

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THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60W-4.001 Scope and Purpose.

Rulemaking Authority 121.40(13) FS. Law Implemented 121.40 FS. History–New 2-4-86, Amended 9-8-92, Formerly 22Q-4.001, <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

IFAS Supplemental Benefit Program

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:60W-7.001Scope and Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The repeal of this rule.

SUMMARY: This repeal removes language that does not fit the definition of a rule.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: the economic review conducted by the agency. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 121.40(13) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 121.40 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Garry Green, Bureau Chief, Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement, 2450 Shumard Oak Blvd., Bldg. 2, Tallahassee, FL, (850)414-6349.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

60W-7.001 Scope and Purpose. Rulemaking Authority 121.40(13) FS. Law Implemented 121.40 FS. History–New 2-4-86, Formerly 22Q-7.001, <u>Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Dan Drake, Director

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Chad Poppell, Secretary DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: 9-4-15

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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62-600.740 Reporting, Compliance, and Enforcement

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) gives notice that it proposes to amend Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., to update, clarify, and eliminate redundancy in requirements applicable to domestic wastewater facilities. The proposed rules will simplify and clarify requirements, correct rule references, and will be consistent with recently adopted rules and statutory requirements. Rules are proposed for repeal where requirements are obsolete, duplicative of other rules or statutory requirements, or have been superseded by other rules or statutory requirements. As part of this rulemaking effort, some requirements from Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., Domestic Wastewater Treatment Plant Monitoring, are incorporated into Chapter 62-600, F.A.C. Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., is proposed for repeal simultaneously with the adoption of the proposed amendments to Chapter 62-600, F.A.C.

SUMMARY: Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., is being revised to simplify design, operation, monitoring, and reporting requirements applicable to domestic wastewater facilities. Requirements are also being revised to eliminate obsolete and redundant requirements and updated to be consistent with other DEP rules, including Chapters 62-520, 62-528, 62-610, and 62-640, F.A.C., Florida Department of Health Chapter 64-E-6, F.A.C., and ocean outfall legislation adopted in Section 403.086(9), F.S. Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., is proposed for repeal simultaneously with the adoption of the amendments to Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., which includes requirements moved from Chapter 62-601, F.A.C.

OTHER RULES INCORPORATING THIS RULE: 40D-4.051, 59A-4.133, 59A-11.023, 62-602.300, 62-340.700, 62-520.300, 62-521.400, 62-528.455, 62-528.615, 62-528.620, 62-601.200, 62-610.100, 62-610.200, 62-610.300, 62-610.310, 62-610.464, 62-610.610, 62-610.669, 62-610.850, 62-611.200, 62-611.650, 62-620.310, 62-620.350, 62-620.620, 62-620.630, 62-640.200, 62-640.300, 62-640.880, 62-650.200, 62-650.300, 64E-6.010, 64E-11.007, 64E-11.014, 64E-13.004, 64E-14.002, 64E-14.013, 64E-15.004, 64E-15.010, 64E-17.005, 64E-19.004, and 65E-12.106, F.A.C.

EFFECT ON THOSE OTHER RULES: Revision of Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., is not expected to have any significant impact on the following rules: 40D-4.051, 59A-4.133, 59A-11.023, 62-602.300, 62-340.700, 62-520.300, 62-521.400, 62-528.455, 62-528.615, 62-528.620, 62-601.200, 62-610.100, 62-610.200, 62-610.300, 62-610.310, 62-610.464, 62-610.610, 62-610.850, 62-611.200, 62-611.650, 62-620.310, 62-620.350, 62-620.620, 62-620.630, 62-640.200, 62-640.300, 62-640.880, 62-650.200, 62-650.300, 64E-6.010, 64E-11.007, 64E-11.014, 64E-13.004, 64E-14.002, 64E-14.013, 64E-15.004, 64E-15.010, 64E-17.005, 64E-19.004, and 65E-12.106. Rule 62-610.669, F.A.C. will need to be amended to reflect the reorganization and renumbering of secondary treatment criteria in Rule 62-600.420, F.A.C.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The rulemaking does not introduce any new or additional regulatory requirements for wastewater facilities. Requirements are being eliminated where they are obsolete, duplicative, or have been superseded by other rules or statutory requirements. No interested party submitted additional information regarding economic impact.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 369.318(1), 403.051, 369.318(1), 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 369.318(1), 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881, 403.121, 403.131, 403.161, 403.859 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: October 6, 2015, 10:00 a.m. until completion, but no later than 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Department of Environmental Protection, Bob Martinez Bldg., Rm. 609, 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2400

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Sharon Sawicki at (850)245-8606. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Sharon Sawicki, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Water Resource Management, 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 3540, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-2400. Telephone (850)245-8606. Email sharon.sawicki@dep.state.fl.us. Further information on this rule also may be obtained from the Department's Web Site at: http://www.dep.state.fl.us/water/rules_dr.htm (OGC No. 13-1439)

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

PART I GENERAL

62-600.100 Scope, Intent, Purpose, and Applicability.

(1) Section 403.021(2), Florida Statutes, as amended, the Florida Air and Water Pollution Control Act, established that no wastes are to be discharged to any waters of the state without first being given the degree of treatment necessary to protect the beneficial uses of such water. Toward this end, Sections 403.085 and 403.086, Florida Statutes, set forth requirements for the treatment and reuse or disposal of domestic wastewater. Section 403.051(2)(a), Florida Statutes, requires that any Department planning, design, construction, modification, or operating standards, criteria, and requirements for wastewater facilities be developed as a rule. This chapter is promulgated to implement the provisions and requirements of Sections 120.53(1), 120.55, 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.064, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881, 403.101, 403.131, 403.161, 403.182, 403.859, and 403.918, Florida Statutes, concerning domestic wastewater facilities.

(2) The requirements of this chapter represent the specific requirements of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and of Local Pollution Control Programs approved and established pursuant to Section 403.182, Florida Statutes, where such authority has been delegated to those programs. It may be necessary for domestic wastewater facilities to conform with requirements of other agencies, established via interagency agreements (e.g., for mosquito control); the absence of reference to such arrangements in this chapter does not negate the need for compliance with those requirements.

(3) The purpose of Chapter 62 600, F.A.C., is to provide minimum standards for the design of domestic wastewater facilities and to establish minimum treatment and disinfection requirements for the operation of domestic wastewater facilities. All systems shall be designed in accordance with sound engineering practice. Supported by moderating provisions, it is intended that Chapter 62 600, F.A.C., establish a framework whereby design flexibility and sound engineering practice can be used in developing systems with which to manage domestic wastewater in an environmentally sound manner.

(4) As appropriate, Chapter 62 600, F.A.C., shall be used in conjunction with other Department rules relating to the design and operation and maintenance of domestic wastewater facilities.

(1)(5) Standards and requirements in this chapter shall apply only to domestic wastewater treatment, reuse, and disposal facilities (including <u>biosolids</u> residuals management facilities).

(a) Standards and requirements shall apply to all new facilities and modifications or expansions of existing facilities that submit complete permit applications to the Department after July 1, 1991.

(b) Standards and requirements shall apply to all existing facilities that submit complete applications for permit renewal after July 1, 1991.

(6) Domestic wastewater facilities that submit complete permit applications on or before July 1, 1991 may:

(a) Continue to comply with the rule requirements that were in effect at the time the permit was issued and with the conditions of the existing construction or operation permit until the expiration of such permit, or

(b) Opt to comply with the requirements of this revised chapter.

(2)(7) The standards and requirements of Parts Part II and <u>V</u> of Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., and <u>Rule Rules</u> 62-600.500 and 62.600.530, F.A.C., shall be applicable to septic tank drainfield systems and other <u>onsite closed-tank wastewater</u> onsite waste treatment systems with subsurface disposal regulated by this chapter. The reliability requirements of <u>paragraph</u> Rule 62-600.400(1)(b), F.A.C., shall not apply to such septic tank drainfield systems and other <u>onsite closed-tank wastewater</u> on-site waste treatment systems.

(3)(8) The discharge limitation of <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.510(5)(4), F.A.C., shall not be applicable to facilities permitted on or before January 1, 1982, that discharge into Class II waters or Class III waters which are subsequently reclassified as Class II waters.

(9) This chapter provides for exemptions, allowances for existing facilities and variations from standards and requirements. Unless specifically provided otherwise, no wastewater permit shall be issued or renewed unless the permit applicant demonstrates that the subject facility is in compliance with the applicable provisions of this chapter.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89, Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.100, Amended 12-24-96. <u>Amended</u>

62-600.120 Exemptions.

The following sources are exempted from the requirements of this chapter. Those sources in Subsections (3) (5) are only exempted from those requirements specifically stated therein upon order of the Secretary:

(1)<u>Onsite</u> Septic tank drainfield systems and other on site sewage treatment and disposal systems regulated by DOH are exempted from the requirements of this chapter. DOH regulates onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems in accordance with Section 381.0065, F.S. with subsurface disposal if

(a) The system serves the complete wastewater needs of an establishment with a design capacity of 10,000 gallons per day or less of domestic wastewater, or

(b) The system serves the complete wastewater needs of a commercial establishment with a design capacity of 5,000 gallons per day or less of commercial wastewater.

(2) Any single individual service connection from a single building to a pretreatment system, or any single individual gravity service connection, with no pretreatment, to a collection system sized and intended to serve a single building.

(3) Exemptions to Provide for the Experimental Use of Wetlands for Low Energy Water and Wastewater Recycling.

(a) To encourage experiments which are designed to lead to the development of new information regarding low energy approaches to the advanced treatment of domestic wastes and to encourage the conservation of wetlands and fresh waters, the Secretary shall, upon petition of an affected person, and after public notice in the Florida Administrative Weekly and in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the waters affected, and after opportunity for public hearing pursuant to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, issue an Order, for a period not to exceed five (5) years, specifically exempting certain sources of pollution which discharge into restricted areas of wetlands, as approved by the Secretary, from the water quality criteria contained in Chapter 62 302, F.A.C., provided that:

 the discharger affirmatively demonstrates that the wetlands ecosystem may reasonably be expected to assimilate the waste discharge without significant adverse impact on the biological community within the receiving waters; and,

2. granting the exemption is in the public interest and will not adversely affect public health or the cost of public health or other related programs; and,

 the public is restricted from access to the waters under consideration; and,

4. the waters are not used for recreation; and,

5. the applicant affirmatively demonstrates that presently specified criteria are unnecessary for the protection of potable water supplies or human health; and,

6. the exemption will not interfere with the designated use of contiguous waters; and,

7. scientifically valid experimental controls are provided by the applicant and approved by the Department to monitor the long term ecological effects and waste recycling efficiency.

(b) The Petitioner shall affirmatively demonstrate those standards which the Petitioner believes more appropriate apply to the waters for which the exemption is sought.

(c) The Secretary shall specify, by Order, only those criteria which the Secretary determines to have been demonstrated by the preponderance of competent substantial evidence to be more appropriate.

(d) The Department shall modify the Petitioner's permit consistent with the Secretary's Order.

(4) Exemption Providing Alternative Criteria for Existing Permitted Discharges Comprising the Principal Flow.

(a). The Secretary shall, upon the petition of one or more existing wastewater discharge sources for which a Department permit has been issued before August 30, 1988, after public notice in the Florida Administrative Weekly and in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the waters affected, and after opportunity for public hearing pursuant to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, issue an Order for the duration of the petitioner's permit exempting waters of the state which are not used for potable water supplies, or recreation, and contain no significant population of fish and wildlife, from one or more Class III or Class IV criteria specified in the petition and substituting appropriate alternative criteria where the discharge of the Petitioner(s) comprised a majority of the flow, excluding runoff from storm drains and other wastewater discharges, during a substantial portion of the year preceding August 30, 1988. Provided, however, that such Order shall be issued only after an affirmative demonstration by the Petitioner(s) of the following:

1. The waters for which exemption is sought are:

a. wholly artificial and not a modified or channelized natural stream; or,

b. intermittent watercourses which, in the absence of runoff from storm drains and wastewater discharges, acts as tributaries only following the occurrence of rainfall and which normally do not contain contiguous areas of standing water; or,

c. are channelized or modified natural watercourses which were historically intermittent as described in b. above.

2. The waters are not used for potable water supplies, or recreation, and do not contain a significant population of fish or wildlife. "Significant population of fish or wildlife" shall mean the presence of commercially or recreationally important species or significant quantities of organisms which provide food for such species.

3. Reasonable assurance has been provided that the alternative criteria will adequately protect the designated uses of adjacent downstream waters;

4. The alternative criteria are not less stringent than the minimum standards prescribed for all waters at all times in Rule 62 302.500, F.A.C.;

5. The alternative criteria are in the public interest and there is no reasonable relationship between the economic, social, and environmental costs of compliance with existing criteria and the economic, social and environmental benefits of compliance;

6. Compliance with the alternative criteria will adequately protect present and future potable water supplies and human health;

7. Compliance with the alternative criteria will adequately protect the population of animals, plants, or aquatic life then utilizing the waters;

8. The waters are not lakes or ponds; and,

9. Achievement of Class III standards would provide no reasonable expectation of future recreational use of the waters.

(b) The Secretary shall specify by Order the alternative criteria, if any, which the Secretary determines to have been demonstrated by the preponderance of the competent substantial evidence to be more appropriate than the Class III or Class IV criteria specified in the petition.

(c) The Department shall modify the Petitioner's permit consistent with the Secretary's Order.

(5) Exemption for Existing Effluent Ditches.

(a) The Secretary or a Deputy Assistant Secretary shall, upon the petition of a wastewater discharger for whom a Department permit has been issued before August 30, 1988, and after public notice and opportunity for public hearing, issue an order for the duration of the petitioner's permit exempting waters of the state in an effluent ditch from all water quality criteria except those specified in Rule 62-302.500, F.A.C. In order to qualify for this exemption, the petitioner shall affirmatively demonstrate that:

1. the ditch is a wholly artificial man made conveyance that was constructed as a part of the wastewater treatment process;

2. the ditch contains flowing water only when there is a discharge or immediately after rainfall;

3. the petitioner has legal control of the ditch and abutting land sufficient to restrict public access;

4. migration of indigenous aquatic organisms into the ditch will be prevented; and

5. the ditch is not used for recreation and contains no significant population of fish or wildlife. "Significant population of fish or wildlife" shall mean the presence of commercially or recreationally important species or significant quantities of organisms which provide food for such species.

(b) The Department shall modify the Petitioner's permit, consistent with the Secretary's or Deputy Assistant Secretary's Order.

(2)(6) Additional relief from the criteria established by this chapter may be provided through an exemption, pursuant to Rule 62-4.243, F.A.C., or a variance, pursuant to <u>Sections</u> 403.201 and 120.542, F.S. Rule 62 103.100, F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.120, Amended 12-24-96, Amended ______.

62-600.200 Definitions.

Terms used in this chapter shall have the meanings specified below.

(1) "Ammonia nitrogen (NH3-N)" means the quantity of elemental nitrogen present in water or wastewater as ammonia (NH₃), expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods. "Affected discharger" is an existing permitted wastewater discharger, or a proposed wastewater discharger which has either a pending permit application, is included in a 201 Facilities Plan, has a conceptually approved Development of Regional Impact, or otherwise can demonstrate a substantial likelihood of discharging the pollutant within five years.

(2) "Allowable loading" or "available assimilative capacity" is that portion of the loading capacity of a water body that is available for allocating to a point source discharger(s) through regulation by the Department. It is the difference between the loading capacity and the total loading of pollutants from other sources, such as background, stormwater, and exempt sources.

(2)(3) "Annual average daily flow (AADF)" means the arithmetic mean of the 12 monthly average daily flows calculated during any consecutive 12-month period, total volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during any consecutive 365 days, divided by 365 and expressed in units of mgd.

(3)(4) "Aquifer" means a geologic formation, group of formations, or part of a formation <u>capable of yielding a</u> <u>significant amount</u> that contains sufficient saturated permeable material to yield useful quantities of ground water to wells, springs, or surface water.

(5) "Aquitard" means a geological formation or stratum, or artificial barrier, of relatively low permeability which will not transmit water fast enough to furnish an appreciable supply; confining zone.

(4)(6) "Approved methods" means sampling and laboratory testing methods <u>conducted in accordance with Rule</u> 62-4.246, F.A.C., Part IV of this chapter, Chapter 62-160, F.A.C., and paragraph 62-620.100(3)(j), F.A.C., as appropriate approved by the Department, as specified by Chapter 62-601, F.A.C.

(5)(7) No change.

(8) "Assimilative capacity" means the capacity of a body of water or soil plant system to receive wastewater effluents, reclaimed water, or residuals without violating the provisions of Chapters 17 3, 62 4, 62 7, 62 302, 62 610, 62 611, and 62-640, F.A.C., and this Chapter.

(6)(9) No change.

(10) "Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD₅)" means the quantity of oxygen utilized in the biochemical oxidation of organic matter present in water or wastewater, reported as a five day value established as determined using approved methods.

(7) "Biosolids" means the solid, semisolid, or liquid residue generated during the treatment of domestic wastewater as defined in Chapter 62-640, F.A.C. Not included is the treated effluent or reclaimed water from a domestic wastewater treatment plant.

(11) through (12) renumbered (8) through (9) No change.

(10) "Coastal recreation waters" means those waters defined in 40 CFR 131.41(b).

(11)(13) No change.

(12)(14) "Collection/transmission systems" means sewers, pipelines, conduits, pumping stations, force mains, and all other facilities used for collection and transmission of wastewater from individual service <u>connections</u> connection laterals to facilities intended for the purpose of providing treatment prior to release to the environment.

(15) "Commission" means the Environmental Regulation Commission.

(13)(16) "Composite sample" means <u>a single sample that</u> <u>is</u> a combination of individual <u>sub-samples</u> samples of wastewater, effluent, or reclaimed water taken at selected intervals, <u>usually based on time or flow volumes</u> generally hourly or less for some specified time period, to minimize the effect of the variability of the individual <u>sub-samples</u> sample.

(17) "Conductivity" means the standardized numerical expression of the ability of water or wastewater to carry an electric current, as determined using approved methods.

(14)(18) No change.

(15) "DOH" means the State of Florida Department of Health.

(16)(19) "Design capacity" means that the average daily flow projected for the design year which serves as the basis for the sizing and design of the wastewater facilities. The design capacity is established by the permit applicant. The time frame associated with the design capacity (e.g., annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, three-month average daily flow) shall be specified by the permit applicant.

(17)(20) No change.

(18)(21) "Disinfection" means the selective destruction of pathogens in wastewater effluents, reclaimed water, and biosolids domestic wastewater residuals.

(19)(22) "Disposal system" means injection wells, effluent outfalls, <u>land application</u> subsurface drain systems, and other facilities utilized for the release of effluents into the environment.

(23) "District" means a water management district created pursuant to Chapter 373, Florida Statutes.

(20)(24) No change.

(21)(25) "Domestic wastewater" means wastewater derived principally from dwellings, business buildings, institutions, and the like, commonly referred to as; sanitary wastewater or; sewage. Where industrial wastewater from sources other than typical domestic sources (e.g., industrial sources) is combined with domestic wastewater for treatment and treated with wastes from domestic sources, the determination of whether or not the wastewater treatment plant is designated as "domestic" shall be made by the Department considering any or all of the following: biosolids wastewater residuals classification; whether wastewaters have been pretreated or contain constituents within 50-150%, by concentration, of typical domestic wastewater; and whether the permittee, when not required to provide more stringent or otherwise specific levels of treatment, can provide assurance of facility compliance with domestic wastewater treatment standards contained in this chapter.

(26) "Domestic wastewater residuals" means the solid semisolid, or liquid residue removed during the treatment of municipal wastewater. Not included is the treated effluent of reclaimed water from a domestic wastewater treatment plant.

(22)(27) "Effluent", unless specifically stated otherwise, means water that is not reused after flowing out of any <u>plant</u> wastewater treatment facility or other works used for the purpose of treating, stabilizing, or holding wastes.

(23)(28) "Effluent limitation" means the same as defined in Section 403.031(3), F.S. any restriction established by the Department on quantities, rates, or concentrations of chemical, physical, biological, or other constituents which are discharged from sources into waters of the State.

(29) "Establishment" means a housing, commercial, or institutional development, including, but not limited to, a place of business, assembly, or residence, whether multiple or single family. An establishment will include all buildings, structures, mobile homes, and appurtenant lands.

(30) "Estuary" means a semi enclosed naturally existing coastal body of water which has a free connection with the open sea and within which the chloride concentration at the surface is equal to or greater than 1,500 milligrams per liter.

(24)(31) No change.

(32) "Functionally complete" means that the wastewater facilities or one or more of its components have been constructed and are capable of functioning as intended and as described in the preliminary design report, construction application, or plans and specifications. Additional construction may be needed to fully meet the requirements of the construction contract documents.

(25) "Flow" shall mean the following:

(a) For wastewater facilities having a permitted capacity of 100,000 gallons per day or greater, flow values obtained from recording flow meters and totalizers, calibrated at least once every 12 months; and

(b) For wastewater facilities having a permitted capacity of less than 100,000 gallons per day, flow values obtained by one of the following methods:

<u>1. Elapsed time measurements on pumps where pumps</u> are responsible for the flow and where the pumping rate is calibrated at least once every 12 months;

2. Consumptive water use measurements based upon written approval by the Department where elapsed time measurement on pumps cannot be made:

3. Flow meters and weirs, calibrated at least once every 12 months; or

4. Other means using established engineering techniques.

(33) through (34) renumbered (26) through (27) No change.

(28)(35) "Ground water" means water beneath the surface of the ground within a zone of saturation, whether or not flowing through known and definite channels.

(29)(36) No change.

(37) "Hydrogeology" means the branch of hydrology that deals with ground water, its occurrence and movements, its replenishment and depletion, the properties of rocks that control ground water movement and storage, and the methods of investigation and use of ground water.

(30)(38) "Industrial wastewater" means process and nonprocess wastewater from manufacturing, commercial, mining, and silvicultural facilities or activities wastewater not otherwise defined as domestic wastewater, including the runoff and leachate from areas that receive pollutants associated with industrial or commercial storage, handling or processing, and all other wastewater not otherwise defined as domestic wastewater. Industrial wastewater does not include demineralization concentrate as stated in Rule 62-610.865, F.A.C.

(31)(39) "Land application" means the reuse of reclaimed water or the utilization or disposal of <u>effluent</u> effluents or wastewater residuals on, above, or into the surface of the ground through spray irrigation, <u>other irrigation techniques</u>, rapid-rate systems, absorption fields, overland flow systems, land spreading, or other methods.

(40) "Loading capacity" is the greatest amount of a pollutant loading (in terms of mass per time or mass per volume) that a water body can receive without violating water quality standards. Such loading shall be established at a level necessary to implement the applicable water quality standards with a margin of safety which takes into account any lack of knowledge concerning the relationship between effluent limitations and water quality.

(41)"Local program" means any county, municipality, or combination thereof that has established and administers a pollution control program approved by the Department in compliance with Section 403.182, Florida Statutes, as amended.

(42) "Maximum daily flow" means the largest volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during any consecutive 24 hour period, expressed in units or mgd; maximum 24 hour flow.

(43) "Maximum monthly average daily flow (MMADF)" means the largest volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during any calendar month, divided by the number of days in that month and expressed in units of mgd.

(32)(44) No change.

(45) "Milligrams per liter (mg/L)" means the quantity of material present in water or wastewater expressed on the basis of the weight (milligrams) per unit volume of solution (liter).

(46) "Milliliter (mL)" means the metric unit of capacity equal to one thousandth of the volume of a liter.

(47) "Minimum 24 hour flow" means the smallest volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during any consecutive 24 hour period, expressed in units of mgd.

(33)(48) No change.

(34)(49) "Monitoring well" means a strategically located well from which ground water levels are measured <u>or and</u> samples are withdrawn for water quality analysis.

(35)(50) "Monthly average daily flow" means the total volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during a calendar month, divided by the number of days in that month, and expressed in <u>units of mgd</u>.

(36)(51) No change.

(52) "NGVD" means National Geodetic Vertical Datum.

(37)(53) "Nitrate (NO₃)" means the nitrogen content present in water or wastewater attributable to the nitrate (NO₃) ion, and expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods.

(38)(54) "Nitrite (NO₂)" means the nitrogen content present in water or wastewater attributable to the nitrite (NO₂) ion<u>and</u> expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods.

(39) "Nutrients" shall mean the separately reported values of total nitrogen, total phosphorus, total ammonia, ammonia nitrogen, nitrate plus nitrite nitrogen, organic nitrogen, and ortho-phosphate.

(40)(55) "Ocean outfall" means the outlet or structure through which effluent is finally discharged to the marine environment which includes the territorial sea, contiguous zone, and the ocean.

(41) "Onsite sewage treatment and disposal system" means an onsite sewage treatment and disposal system as defined in Section 381.0065, F.S.

(42)(56) No change.

(43)(57) "Operator" means any person who is principally engaged in and is in <u>onsite</u> charge on site of the actual treatment plant operation, supervision, and maintenance of a domestic wastewater treatment plant and includes the person who is in <u>onsite</u> charge of treatment plant operation for a shift or period of operation during any part of the day. <u>Operator</u> also means any person operating an electronic control system. <u>Such persons shall be licensed</u>, as certified in accordance with Chapter 62-602, F.A.C.

(44) "Organic nitrogen" means nitrogen chemically bound in organic molecules such as proteins, amines, and amino acids; total Kjeldahl nitrogen minus ammonia nitrogen.

(45) "Ortho-phosphate" means the inorganic phosphorus present as phosphate ions or a salt of the phosphate ion in water or wastewater as determined using approved methods.

(46)(58) "Outfall" means the outlet, or structure, or designated location through which effluent is finally discharged to surface water, receiving water.

(59) through (60) renumbered (47) through (48) No change.

(61) "Percolation" means the generally vertical movement of water through soil or other unconsolidated medium to the water table and to lower aquifers where occurring.

(49)(62) "Permitted capacity" means the treatment, reuse, or disposal capacity for which a facility plant is approved by Department permit expressed in units of mgd. The permit shall specify the time frame associated with the permitted capacity (e.g., annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, three-month average daily flow).

(63) through (64) renumbered (50) through (51) No change.

(52)(65) "Pollution" means the <u>same as defined in Section</u> 403.031(7), F.S. presence in the outdoor atmosphere or waters of the state of any substances, contaminants, noise, or manmade or man induced alteration of the chemical, physical, biological, or radiological integrity of air or water in quantities or at levels which are or may be potentially harmful or injurious to human health or welfare, animal or plant life, or property, including outdoor recreation.

(53)(66) "Preapplication waste treatment" means that level of treatment provided prior to application of reclaimed water or effluent to a land application system.

(54)(67) "Reclaimed water," except <u>as specifically</u> provided in Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., means water that has received at least secondary treatment <u>and basic disinfection</u> and is reused after flowing out of a <u>domestic</u> wastewater treatment facility. (55)(68) "Reuse" means the deliberate application of reclaimed water, in compliance with Department and <u>Water</u> <u>Management</u> District rules, for a beneficial purpose. <u>Criteria</u> <u>used to classify projects as "reuse" or "effluent disposal" are contained in Rule 62-610.810, F.A.C.</u>

(a) Where appropriate, said uses may encompass:

1. Landscape irrigation (such as irrigation of golf courses, cemeteries, highway medians, parks, playgrounds, school yards, retail nurseries and residential properties);

2. Agricultural irrigation (such as irrigation of food, fiber, fodder and seed crops, wholesale nurseries, sod farms, and pastures);

3. Aesthetic uses (such as decorative ponds and fountains);

4. Ground water recharge (such as slow rate, rapid rate, and absorption field land application systems) but not including disposal methods described in (b), below.

5. Industrial uses (such as cooling water, process water, and wash waters);

6. Environmental enhancement of surface waters resulting from discharge of reclaimed water having received at least advanced wastewater treatment or from discharge of reclaimed water for wetlands restoration;

7 Fire protection; or

8. Other useful purpose.

(b) Overland flow land application systems, rapid rate land application systems providing continuous loading to a single percolation cell, other land application systems involving less than secondary treatment prior to application, septic tanks, and ground water disposal systems using Class I wells injecting effluent or wastes into Class G IV waters shall be excluded from the definition of reuse.

(56)(69) "Secondary treatment" means wastewater treatment to a level that will achieve the effluent limitations specified in <u>subsection Rule</u> 62-600.420(1), F.A.C.

(57)(70) "Secretary" means the <u>same as defined in Section</u> 403.803(12), F.S. Secretary of the Department of Environmental Protection.

(58)(71) "Septic system tank" means a system that contains a standard subsurface, filled, or mound drainfield system; a septic tank; a pump tank; or a solids or effluent pump that is installed or proposed to be installed beyond the building sewer on land of the owner or on other land to which the owner has the legal right to install a system. The term includes any item placed within, or intended to be used as part of or in conjunction with, the watertight receptacle constructed to promote separation of solid and liquid components of wastewater to provide limited digestion of organic matter, to store solids, and to allow clarified liquid to discharge for further treatment and disposal in a soil absorption system. (72) "Service connection lateral" means the sewer which connects the point(s) at which wastewater leaves an establishment which is its source and the point at which it enters a collection or pretreatment system.

(73) "Subsurface drain" means an underground conduit system (which may include one or more vertical water wells) made of various construction materials (e.g., tile) installed to collect unconfined ground waters and applied reclaimed waters or effluents, and provide conveyance to the treatment plant or discharge point; underdrain.

(59)(74) "Surface water" means <u>surface water as defined</u> in Section 373.019(21), F.S.water upon the surface of the earth, whether contained in bounds created naturally or artificially or diffused. Water from natural springs shall be classified as surface water when it exits from the spring onto the earth's surface.

(60)(75) "Technology_based effluent limitation (TBEL)" means a minimum waste treatment requirement, established by the Department, based on treatment technology. The minimum treatment requirements may be set at levels more stringent than that which is necessary to meet water quality standards of the receiving water body as set out specifically in other sections of this chapter.

(<u>61</u>)(76) "Three-month average daily flow" means the arithmetic mean of the three monthly average daily flows calculated during any consecutive total volume of wastewater flowing into a wastewater facility during a period of three consecutive months, divided by the number of days in this three-month period, and expressed in units of mgd. The three month average daily flow also can be calculated by adding the three monthly average daily flows observed during this three-month period and dividing by three.

<u>(62)(77)</u> "Total ammonia" means the sum of nitrogen content present as un-ionized ammonia (NH₃) and the nitrogen content present as ammonium (NH₄+), and expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods.

(63)(78) No change.

(79) "Total dissolved solids (TDS)" means the amount of dissolved constituents present in water or wastewater, usually expressed in milligrams per liter and analyzed as filtrable residue, as determined using approved methods.

(64)(80) "Total Kjeldahl nitrogen (TKN)" means the sum of free ammonia <u>nitrogen</u> and organic nitrogen compounds in water or wastewater, and expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods.

(65)(81) "Total nitrogen (TN)" means the total content of the nitrogen species of organic nitrogen, ammonia, nitrate and nitrite present in water or wastewater, and expressed as elemental nitrogen, N, as determined using approved methods. (82) "Total organic carbon (TOC)" means the carbon content in water or wastewater that is present in the form of organic material, as determined using approved methods.

(83) through (84) renumbered (66) through (67) No change.

(68)(85) "Treatment" means any method, technique, or process which changes the physical, chemical, or biological character or composition of wastewater and thereby reduces its potential for polluting waters of the <u>S</u>state.

(69)(86) "Treatment plant" means the same as domestic wastewater treatment plant as defined in Section 403.866(2), F.S. any plant or other works used for the purpose of treating, stabilizing, or holding wastes.

(87) though (89) renumbered (70) through (72) No change.

(90) "Unconfined aquifer" means an aquifer that has a water table.

(73)(91) No change.

(92) "Vector" means a carrier organism that is capable of transmitting a pathogen from one organism to another.

(93) "Virus" means an ultra microscopic, obligate, intracellular, parasitic pathogen consisting of a single type nucleic acid (either RNA or DNA) and a protein coat.

(74)(94) "Wastes" means the same as defined in Section 403.031(12), F.S. sewage, industrial wastes, and all other liquid, gaseous, solid, radioactive, or other substances which may pollute or tend to pollute any waters of the State.

(75)(95) No change.

(76)(96) "Wastewater facility" or "facility" means any facility which discharges wastes into waters of the State or which can reasonably be expected to be a source of water pollution and includes any or all of the following: the collection and transmission system, the wastewater treatment works, the reuse or disposal system, and the <u>biosolids</u> residuals management facility.

(77)(97) "Waters" means the same shall be as defined in Section 403.031(13), F.S., Florida Statutes.

(78)(98) No change.

(79)(99) "Water quality__based effluent limitation (WQBEL)" means an effluent limitation, which may be more stringent than a technology_based effluent limitation, that has been determined necessary by the Department to ensure that water quality standards in a receiving body of water will not be violated.

(80)(100) "Water quality standards" means standards composed adopted by the Environmental Regulation Commission pursuant to Chapter 403, Florida Statutes, including standards comprised of designated present and future most beneficial uses (classification of waters), the numerical and narrative criteria applied to the specific water uses use or classification, the Florida anti-degradation policy, and the moderating provisions contained in Chapters 17-3, 62- 4_7 and 62-302, F.A.C., adopted pursuant to Chapter 403, F.S.

(101) "Water table" means the upper surface of the zone of saturation where ground water pressures are equal to atmospheric pressure, except where that surface is formed by an impermeable stratum.

(81)(102) "Zone of mixing" or "mixing zone" means a volume of surface water containing the point or area of discharge and within which an opportunity for the mixture of wastes with receiving surface waters has been afforded; mixing zone.

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62-600.300 General Technical <u>Documents</u> Guidance and Related Rules.

(1) The technical standards and criteria contained in the following standard manuals and technical publications listed in <u>subsection 62-600.300(4)</u>, F.A.C., below and those referenced throughout this chapter are hereby incorporated by reference and shall be applied, if applicable, in determining whether permits allowing construction or modification of domestic wastewater facilities shall be issued or denied. Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., shall be applied to reuse of reclaimed water systems and to land application projects.

(2) Deviations from the standards and criteria contained in the publications listed in <u>subsection 62-600.300(4)</u>, <u>F.A.C.</u>, <u>below shall may be approved by the Department provided that:</u>

(a) The preliminary design <u>or engineering</u> report provides reasonable assurance that the proposed design will provide collection, transmission, treatment, and reuse or disposal meeting the requirements of this chapter; and either:

(b) through (c) No change.

(3) <u>In cases where</u> The Department may require deviation from the standards and criteria contained in the publications listed in <u>subsection 62-600.300(4)</u>, F.A.C., conflict with below upon a finding that conformance to them will not assure compliance with the remainder of this chapter or other rules of the Department, the other rules shall apply. (4) Standard Manuals and Publications

(a) Water Pollution Control Federation, 1977. Manual of Practice No. 8. Wastewater Treatment Plant Design. W.P.C.F.,
601 Wythe Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-1994. http://www.wef.org

(b) Great Lakes/Upper Mississippi River Board of State Sanitary Engineers, 1978 edition. Recommended Standards for Sewage Works. Health Education Service, Inc., P. O. Box 7126 , Albany, New York 12224. http://www.healthresearch.org/store

(c) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1987. Phosphorus Removal-Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-87-001.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(d) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1973. Carbon Absorption-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-71-002a.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(e) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1975. Suspended Solids Removal-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-75-003a.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(f) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1974. Upgrading Existing Wastewater Treatment Plants-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-71-004a.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(g) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1985. Odor and Corrosion Control in Sanitary Sewerage Systems and Treatment Plants-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-85-018.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index</u>

(h) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1975. Nitrogen Control-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-75-007.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(i) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1981. Land Treatment of Municipal Wastewater-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-81-013.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u> (j) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1977. Wastewater Treatment Facilities for Sewered Small Communities-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-77-009.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(k) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1979. Sludge Treatment and Disposal-Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-79-011.</u> EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(1) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1974. Design Criteria for Mechanical, Electric, and Fluid System and Component Reliability-MCD-05. <u>EPA-430/99-74-001.</u> Environmental Quality Instructional Resources Center, The Ohio State University, 1200 Chambers Road, Room 310, Columbus, Ohio 43212. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(m) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1974. Protection of Shellfish Waters-MCD-06. <u>EPA-430/9-74-010</u>. Environmental Quality Instructional Resources Center, The Ohio State University, 1200 Chambers Road, Room 310, Columbus, Ohio 43212. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(n) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1977.
 Procedures Manual for Groundwater Monitoring at Solid
 Waste Disposal Facilities. <u>EPA-530/SW-611.</u> National
 Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road,
 Springfield Virginia 22161.
 <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(o) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1980. Design Manual-Onsite Wastewater Treatment and Disposal Systems. <u>EPA-625/1-80-012</u>. EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(p) U.S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, 1973. Drainage of Agricultural Land. Water Information Center, Inc., 125 East Bethpage Road, Plainview, New York 11803. <u>http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/</u>

(q) Florida Department of Transportation, 1985. Florida Land Use, Cover and Forms Classification System. Procedure No. 550-010-001-A. Florida Department of Transportation, Maps and Publications Sales, Mail Station 12, 605 Suwannee Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0450. http://www.dot.state.fl.us/surveyingandmapping/

(r) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1976. Direct Environmental Factors at Municipal Wastewater Works-MCD-20. <u>EPA-430/9-76-003.</u> Environmental Quality Instructional Resources Center, The Ohio State University, 1200 Chambers Road, Room 310, Columbus, Ohio 43212. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u> (s) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. 1984. Land Treatment of Municipal Wastewater-Supplement on Rapid Infiltration and Overland Flow Process Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-81-013a</u>. EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(t) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. 1986. Municipal Wastewater Disinfection-Design Manual. <u>EPA-625/1-86-021</u>. EPA Center for Environmental Research Information, 26 West Martin Luther King Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(5) Members of the public may request and obtain copies of the publications listed in <u>subsection 62-600.300(4), F.A.C.</u>, above by contacting the appropriate publisher at the address indicated. Copies of the above publications are on file with the Florida Secretary of State and the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee. Copies <u>of the above publications</u> are also on file and available for review in the Department's Tallahassee offices (including the Information Center) and in the Department's district and branch offices where they may be reviewed during normal business hours.

(6) Related rules. The following Department rules may be applicable to domestic wastewater facility projects. This listing is provided solely for the purpose of noting other Department rules which the applicant may need to consult and comply with during the planning, design, construction, and operation of domestic wastewater facility projects. This listing is not intended to be a comprehensive listing of every rule which may be applicable.

(a) Collection system, transmission system, and low pressure sewer system requirements are contained in Chapter 62 604, F.A.C.

(b) Industrial pretreatment requirements are contained in Chapter 62 625, F.A.C.

(c) Requirements for disposal or land application of domestic wastewater residuals are contained in Chapters 62-2, 62-640, and 62-701, F.A.C.

(d) Underground injection control requirements are contained in Chapter 62 528, F.A.C.

(e) Reuse and land application system requirements are contained in Chapter 62 610, F.A.C.

(f) Surface water discharge requirements are contained in Chapter 62–650, F.A.C.

(g) Wetland discharge requirements are contained in Chapter 62 611, F.A.C.

(h) Antidegradation policy requirements are contained in Rules 62 4.242 and 62 302.300, F.A.C.

(i) Surface water quality standards are contained in Chapter 62 302, F.A.C.

(j) Ground water quality standards are contained in Chapter 62–520, F.A.C.

(k) Drinking water standards are contained in Chapter 62-550, F.A.C.

(1) Wellhead protection requirements are contained in Chapter 62 521, F.A.C.

(m) Monitoring requirements are contained in Chapter 62-601, F.A.C. Requirements for ground water monitoring plans are contained in Chapter 62-522, F.A.C.

(n) Operator staffing requirements are contained in Chapter 62 699, F.A.C.

(o) Permitting requirements and associated forms are contained in Chapter 62 620, F.A.C.

(p) Fees related to permitting are listed in Chapter 62-4, F.A.C.

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PART II

TREATMENT FACILITIES

62-600.400 Design Requirements.

(1) Facilities

(a) New wastewater <u>facilities</u> treatment plants and modifications of existing <u>facilities</u> plants shall be designed in accordance with sound engineering practice. General technical <u>documents are</u> guidance is provided by references listed under Rule 62-600.300, F.A.C.

(b) For new facilities and modifications of existing facilities, it shall be the design objective to select treatment processes and equipment that will efficiently and reliably meet required reclaimed water or effluent limitations. Unless otherwise stated, new, expanded, or modified wastewater treatment and biosolids domestic wastewater residuals treatment, handling, and dewatering facilities shall be designed to provide Class III reliability as described in paragraph Rule 62-600.300(4)(1), F.A.C. The minimum Class III reliability requirement shall apply to new, expanded, and modified facilities for which the Department received complete construction permit applications after July 1, 1991, but Class III reliability requirements shall only apply to the new, expanded, or modified portions of the facilities. Facility reliability shall be addressed in the preliminary design or engineering report as required by subsection 62-620.410(3) Rules 62 600.710(2) and 62 600.715, F.A.C. The Department shall approve other methods of providing Class I, II, or III reliability if the permittee provides reasonable assurances in the preliminary design or engineering report that the level of reliability provided is equivalent to the class of reliability required (i.e., Class I, II, or III, whichever applies).

(c) Innovative or alternative treatment processes for Type I and Type II facilities shall be reviewed on their merit. When sufficient supporting information has been presented to the Department, installation may be allowed on an experimental basis for the period of time necessary to evaluate the new technology. A Except as provided in Section 403.088(3)(a), Florida Statutes, an operation permit shall not be issued unless the permittee has provided supporting information which demonstrates to the Department that the technology is capable of consistently and reliably producing effluent or reclaimed water meeting the requirements of standards of Chapters 17-3 and 62-302, F.A.C., and this chapter.

(d) For Type III conventional wastewater treatment plants utilized for domestic wastewater treatment in smaller communities, residential areas, institutions, commercial establishments, recreational areas, or similar areas:

1. Generally, it shall be a design objective to select proven treatment processes and equipment that will efficiently and reliably meet required effluent limitations, while minimizing the amount and complexity of routine operation and maintenance requirements for the system.

2. The design shall be conservative and shall sufficiently provide for alternative process adjustments necessary for adequately treating widely varying (shock) hydraulic, organic, or toxic loadings often experienced with these types of plants.

(2) Plant Sites

(a) New treatment plants and modifications to existing plants shall be designed and located on the site so as to minimize adverse effects resulting from odors, noise, aerosol drift and lighting. The permittee shall give reasonable assurance that the treatment plant or modifications to an existing plant shall not cause odor, noise, aerosol drift or lighting in such amounts or at such levels that they adversely affect neighboring residents, in commercial or residential areas, so as to be potentially harmful or injurious to human health or welfare or unreasonably interfere with the enjoyment of life or property, including outdoor recreation. Reasonable assurance may be based on such means as aeration, landscaping, treatment of vented gases, buffer zones owned or under the control of the permittee setback distances, chemical additions, prechlorination, ozonation, innovative structural design or other similar techniques and methods. All such design measures shall be included in the preliminary design or engineering report.

(b) No change.

(c) The potential for damage or interruption of operation because of flooding shall be considered by the permittee when siting new treatment plants and expansions of existing plants at inland or coastal locations. The treatment plant structures essential for the purpose of treating, stabilizing, conveying, or holding incompletely treated waste and electrical and mechanical equipment shall be protected from physical damage by the 100-year flood. The treatment plant shall be designed to remain fully operational and accessible during the 25-year flood; lesser flood levels may be designed for, if justified in the preliminary design or engineering report based on local conditions, water surface elevations, forces arising from water movement, wave heights, flood protection measures provided, and provisions for wastewater storage such that applicable water quality standards will be met; but in no case shall less than a 10-year flood be used. Design for flood protection shall include considerations for wave action as appropriate. These flood protection considerations shall be addressed in the preliminary design or engineering report and shall be based upon available information; where site-specific information is unavailable, sound engineering practices shall be used in siting and design of treatment plant facilities.

(3) Permitted Capacity

(a) The permittee shall establish the design capacity of a wastewater facility in the permit application and shall specify the time frame (e.g., annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, three month average daily flow). The time frame selected shall reflect seasonal variations in flows, if any.

(b) The Department shall include the permitted capacity in the facility permit and shall specify the time frame (e.g., annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, three-month average daily flow). The permitted capacity shall not exceed the design capacity. The Department shall establish a permitted capacity less than the design capacity if:

1. The total available reuse and disposal permitted capacity is less than the design capacity; or

 The preliminary design report does not provide reasonable assurances that the proposed wastewater facility technology will function as intended at the design capacity requested by the permittee.

(c) When the permit includes the treatment facilities and reuse or disposal systems, different permitted capacities may be established for the treatment, reuse, and disposal systems.

(4) Sampling Points

(a) Provisions shall be made in the design for easy access points for the purpose of obtaining representative influent and effluent samples. These access points shall be dry points which can be reached safely. (b) Provisions for flow measurements shall be in accordance with Chapter 62 601, F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.400, Amended 12-24-96, Amended

62-600.405 Planning for Wastewater Facilities Expansion.

(1) The permittee shall provide for the timely planning, design, and construction of wastewater facilities necessary to provide proper treatment and reuse or disposal of domestic wastewater and management of <u>biosolids</u> domestic wastewater residuals.

(2) The permittee shall routinely compare flows being treated at the wastewater facilities with the permitted capacities of the treatment, <u>biosolids</u> residuals, reuse, and disposal facilities.

(3) When the three-month average daily flow for the most recent three consecutive months exceeds 50% percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant or reuse and disposal systems, the permittee shall submit to the Department a capacity analysis report.

(4) The initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted according to the following:

(a) For new or expanded wastewater facilities for which the

Department received a complete construction permit application after July 1, 1991, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted within 180 days after the last day of the last month in the three-month period referenced in <u>subsection Rule</u> 62-600.405(3), F.A.C., or with the permittee's application for permit renewal, whichever occurs first.

(b) For wastewater facilities for which the Department received a complete construction permit application on or before July 1, 1991, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted when the next application for a permit to construct or operate wastewater facilities is submitted to the Department unless:

1. The three month average daily flow for any three consecutive months during the period July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991 exceeds 90 percent of the permitted capacity. In such cases, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department no later than January 1, 1992.

2. The three month average daily flow for any three consecutive months during the period July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991 exceeds 75 percent of the permitted capacity. In such cases, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department no later than July 1, 1992.

(c) n no case shall the initial capacity analysis report be required to be submitted before July 1, 1991 or before the three-month average daily flow exceeds 50 percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant or reuse or disposal systems, as described in Rule 62 600.405(3), F.A.C.

(5) The permittee shall submit updated capacity analysis reports to the Department according to the following:

(a) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will not be equaled or exceeded for at least 10 years, an updated capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department at five-year intervals or with at each time the permittee's application for permittee applies for an operation permit or renewal of an operation permit, whichever occurs first.

(b) No change.

(6) The initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report shall evaluate the capacity of the treatment plant and reuse or disposal systems and contain data showing the permitted and design capacities capacity; monthly average daily flows, three-month average daily flows, and annual average daily flows for the past 10 years or for the length of time the facility has been in operation, whichever is less; seasonal variations in flow; flow projections based on local population growth rates and water usage rates for at least the next 10 years; an estimate of the time required for the three-month average daily flow to reach the permitted capacity; recommendations for expansions; and a detailed schedule showing dates for planning, design, permit application submittal, start of construction, and placing new or expanded facilities into operation. The report shall update the flow-related and loading information contained in the preliminary design report submitted as part of the most recent permit application for the wastewater facilities pursuant to Rules 62 600.710 and 62 600.715, F.A.C.

(7) No change.

(8) Documentation of timely planning, design, and construction of needed expansions shall be submitted according to the following schedule:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next three years, the permittee shall submit a complete construction permit application <u>for the necessary expansion</u> to the Department within 30 days of submittal of the <u>initial</u> capacity analysis report or the update of the capacity analysis report. (d) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted eapacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next six months, the permittee shall submit to the Department an application for an operation permit for the expanded facility. The operation permit application shall be submitted no later than the submittal of the initial capacity analysis report or the update of the capacity analysis report.

(9) <u>The Secretary or Secretary's designee shall adjust the</u> schedule specified in subsection 62-600.405(8), F.A.C., if If requested by the permittee requests and documents, and if justified in the initial <u>or updated</u> capacity analysis report <u>that</u> adequate capacity will be available at the wastewater facility. <u>Documentation shall include</u> or an update to the capacity analysis report based on design and construction schedules, population growth rates, flow projections, and the timing of new connections to the <u>collection/transmission</u> sewerage system such that adequate capacity will be available at the wastewater facility, the Secretary or Secretary's designee shall adjust the schedule specified in Rule 62 600.405(8), F.A.C. <u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087,

403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881 FS. History - New 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.405, Amended_____.

62-600.410 Operation and Maintenance Requirements.

(1) All domestic wastewater <u>facilities</u> treatment plants shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and <u>related regulations</u> so as to attain, at a minimum, the reclaimed water or effluent quality required by the <u>wastewater facility permit</u> operational criteria specified in this chapter, and to meet the appropriate domestic wastewater residuals management criteria specified in Chapters 62 2, 62 7, 62 640, and 62 701, F.A.C.

(2) All reuse and land application systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and the provisions of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.

(3) All underground injection effluent disposal systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and the provisions of Chapter 62-28, F.A.C.

(4) Wetlands application systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and provisions of Chapter 62 611, F.A.C.

(2)(5) The operation of all treatment plants shall be under the supervision of an operator <u>licensed</u> certified in accordance with Chapter <u>62-602</u> 61E12 41, F.A.C. All facility operations shall provide for the minimum care and maintenance of the facility in accordance with Chapters <u>62-602</u> 61E12 41 and 62-699, F.A.C. (3)(6) All facilities and equipment necessary for the treatment, reuse, and disposal of domestic wastewater and <u>biosolids</u> domestic wastewater residuals shall be maintained, at a minimum, so as to function as intended.

(4)(7) All treatment plant permittees shall be responsible for making all facilities safe in terms of public health and safety at all times, including periods of inactivation or abandonment. The permittee shall give the Department written notice at least 60 days before inactivation or abandonment of a treatment plant and shall specify what steps will be taken to safeguard public health and safety.

(5)(8) In the event that the <u>wastewater</u> treatment facilities or equipment no longer function as intended, are no longer safe in terms of public health and safety, or odor, noise, aerosol drift, or lighting adversely affect neighboring developed areas at the levels prohibited by <u>paragraph</u> Rule 62-600.400(2)(a), F.A.C., corrective action (which may include additional maintenance or modifications of the treatment plant) shall be taken by the permittee. Other corrective action may be required to ensure compliance with rules of the Department.

(9) All treatment plant permittees shall provide the operating data, records, and analytical results as required to document the operational results of the treatment plant, reuse system, and disposal system. These records shall be transmitted to the appropriate district office of the Department, in accordance with Chapters 62 601 and 62 620, F.A.C.

(10) Copies of the Department permit; record drawings pursuant to Rule 62 600.717 and 62 600.730(4)(b), F.A.C.; the approved operation and maintenance manual pursuant to Rules 62 600.720 and 62 600.730(4)(c), F.A.C.; schedules; logs; and all recorded operating data shall be kept available at all facilities or other acceptable sites approved by the Department for use by plant operators and inspection by the Department.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.101 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.410, Amended 12-24-96, Amended

(Substantial rewording of Rule 62-600.420 follows. See Florida Administrative Code for present text.)

62-600.420 Minimum Treatment Standards - Technology Based Effluent Limitations (TBELs).

Except as specifically required by other Department rules, all domestic wastewater facilities shall provide, at a minimum, secondary treatment of wastewater prior to reuse or disposal. Secondary treatment requirements are specified below:

(1) <u>Surface water disposal (excluding discharges to open</u> <u>ocean outfalls, but including discharges to Class III coastal</u> waters)

(a) CBOD₅

1. The annual average shall not exceed 20.0 mg/L;

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 25.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 40.0 mg/L;

4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L; and

5. The monthly average percent removal shall not be less than 85%.

(b) Total Suspended Solids

1. The annual average shall not exceed 20.0 mg/L;

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 30.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 45.0 mg/L;

4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L; and

5. The monthly average percent removal shall not be less than 85%.

(2) Surface water disposal via open ocean outfalls (a) CBOD₅

(<u>a) CBOD</u>5

1. The annual average shall not exceed 25.0 mg/L:

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 25.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 40.0 mg/L;

<u>4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single</u> sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L; and

5. The monthly average percent removal shall not be less than 85%.

(b) Total Suspended Solids

1. The annual average shall not exceed 30.0 mg/L;

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 30.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 45.0 mg/L;

4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L; and

5. The monthly average percent removal shall not be less than 85%.

(3) Reuse, land application, or groundwater discharge (including underground injection)

(a) CBOD₅

1. The annual average shall not exceed 20.0 mg/L;

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 30.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 45.0 mg/L; and

<u>4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single</u> <u>sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L.</u>

(b) Total Suspended Solids

1. The annual average shall not exceed 20.0 mg/L;

2. The monthly average shall not exceed 30.0 mg/L;

3. The weekly average shall not exceed 45.0 mg/L; and

<u>4. The maximum-permissible concentration in any single</u> sample shall not exceed 60.0 mg/L.

(4) Disinfection and pH control shall be provided in accordance with Rules 62-600.440 and 62-600.445, F.A.C.

62-600.430 Additional Treatment - Water Quality_-Based Effluent Limitations (WQBELs).

(1) Surface water discharge

(a) In addition to the minimum treatment standards (TBELs) specified in Rule 62-600.420, F.A.C., the design of facilities shall may be required to provide for additional treatment when necessary to meet satisfy water quality standards for receiving surface waters <u>pursuant to Chapter 62-302, F.A.C.</u>

(b) The WQBELs shall be determined by the Department in accordance with <u>Chapters 62-304 and Chapter</u> 62-650, F.A.C., and shall be based upon the characteristics of the discharge, the receiving water characteristics, and the criteria and standards of Chapters 17 3, 62-4, and 62-302, F.A.C., and this chapter. Requests for zones of mixing and any previous approved zones of mixing will be taken into consideration when determining WQBELs. No zone of mixing, as contained in Rule 62-4.244, F.A.C., shall be provided for any parameters for which the permittee fails or declines to provide the necessary characteristics of the discharge. WQBELs shall be met after disinfection.

(c) The WQBELs shall be determined by application of accepted scientific methods. It is recognized that models and other scientific methods of predicting the concentrations of pollutants result in estimated values of concentrations. Such estimates shall be acceptable for the purpose of determining reclaimed water or effluent limitations provided that the most reliable and complete data reasonably available to the Department have been applied. Accepted scientific methods shall be based upon, but not limited to, a consideration of the following:

1. An analysis of the condition of the receiving body of water, including reasonably expected ambient water quality, present and future flow conditions, and present and future characteristics of the discharge, under which the cumulative impact of discharge is reasonably expected to be a maximum; and

2. The nature, volume, and frequency of the proposed discharge of waste, including any possible synergistic effects with other pollutants or substances which may be present in the receiving body of water.

3. Nothing in 1. or 2. above, shall preclude the Department from establishing WQBELs that vary on a seasonal or other basis.

(2) Ground water discharge

(a) In addition to <u>the any</u> TBELs specified in Rule 62-600.420, F.A.C., the design of facilities <u>shall may be required</u> to provide for additional treatment <u>when needed</u> to satisfy water quality standards for receiving ground waters.

(b) Such limitations shall be established based on the provisions of <u>Chapters 62-304</u>, 62-528, and 62-650, F.A.C., and subsection 62-610.850(2), Rules 62 28.700, and 62-650.600, F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.430, Amended ______.

62-600.440 Disinfection <u>Requirements</u>- Design and Operational Criteria.

(1) All wastewater treatment facilities shall be designed and operated to provide the level of disinfection necessary such that disinfection to the extent necessary to protect public health such that is provided and the microbiological pollutants shall not violate the criteria contained in <u>Chapter Chapters 17</u>-<u>3 and</u> 62-302, F.A.C., <u>are not exceeded</u> for any receiving waters.

(2) The Department is aware of the possible harmful effects of chlorine used in conjunction with wastewater treatment and encourages the use of alternative disinfection methods.

(a) Criteria Residual levels, or similar criteria for establishing disinfection requirements for σ alternative disinfectants, shall be accepted by the Department if the information provided by the permittee in the preliminary design <u>or engineering</u> report demonstrates that appropriate microbiological criteria will be met and provides reasonable assurance that public health is protected.

(b) Dechlorination shall be required by the Department to ensure that applicable water quality standards will be met and other appropriate reclaimed water or effluent limitations imposed pursuant to this chapter will be achieved.

(c) Maximum permissible residual levels in the reclaimed water or effluent immediately following chlorination and the need for dechlorination shall be established as appropriate based upon information provided by the permittee and are subject to Department approval. Residual levels shall be established in the preliminary design or engineering report based on regarding effects on the receiving surface or ground water and effects on reuse and land application systems; such residual levels are subject to Department approval. (3) For ultraviolet disinfection, the impact of short-term interruptions in electrical service shall be evaluated in the preliminary design or engineering report along with the possible need for an uninterrupted power supply to ensure reliable and effective disinfection.

Treatment requirements for disinfection (4)(3)Disinfection design standards and operational criteria are specified below for discharges from all facilities. Applicability of the requirements criteria to reuse or effluent disposal alternatives shall be as contained in Rule 62 600.530, F.A.C., and Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., for reuse and land application systems alternatives; Rule 62-600.540, F.A.C., for ground water disposal by underground injection; Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., for ground water recharge using injection wells; Rule 62-600.510, F.A.C., for surface water discharges (excluding coastal and open ocean waters outfalls and wetlands); Rule 62-600.520, F.A.C., for coastal and open ocean waters outfalls; Rule Rules 62-611.100 and 62-611.600, F.A.C., for wetland discharges; and subsection 62-600.100(2) Rule 62 600.630, F.A.C., for septic tank systems and other closed-tank wastewater treatment systems permitted by the Department not exempted by Rule 62 600.120, F.A.C.

(5)(4) Basic disinfection

(a) Facilities <u>required</u> to provide basic disinfection shall <u>meet the following criteria (using either MF or equivalent MPN methods):</u>

<u>1. The arithmetic mean of the monthly geometric means</u> of the fecal coliform values collected during an annual period shall not exceed 200 per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample;

2. The geometric mean of the fecal coliform values for a minimum of 10 samples of reclaimed water or effluent, each collected on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly), shall not exceed 200 per 100 mL of sample;

<u>3. No more than 10% of the samples collected during a</u> period of 30 consecutive days shall exceed 400 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample; and

4. Any one sample shall not exceed 800 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample be designed to result in not more than 200 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample.

(b) Regardless of the number of samples collected, the monthly geometric means of the fecal coliform values shall be calculated and reported on the Discharge Monitoring Report, and the arithmetic mean shall be calculated using the monthly geometric mean. (c)(b) Where chlorine is used for disinfection, the design shall include provisions for rapid and uniform mixing, and a total chlorine residual of at least 0.5 mg/L milligram per liter shall be maintained after at least 15 minutes contact time at the peak hourly flow. Higher residuals or longer contact times shall be provided may be needed to meet the operational criteria for basic disinfection as described in paragraph 62-600.440(5)(a), F.A.C. The chlorine residual and contact time selected for design shall be justified in the preliminary design or engineering report. Rapid and uniform mixing shall be provided.

(c) To determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the basic disinfection level, the following operational criteria (using either MF or equivalent MPN methods) are applicable.

1. The arithmetic mean of the monthly fecal coliform values (computed as per 2., below) collected during an annual period, as described in Rule 62-600.740(1)(a)1., F.A.C., shall not exceed 200 per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample.

2. The geometric mean of the fecal coliform values for a minimum of 10 samples of reclaimed water or effluent, each collected on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly), shall not exceed 200 per 100 mL of sample.

3. No more than 10 percent of the samples collected during a period of 30 consecutive days shall exceed 400 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

4. Any one sample shall not exceed 800 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

(6)(5) High-level disinfection

(a) Except as provided in paragraphs 62-600.440(6)(e) and (f), F.A.C., facilities required Facilities to provide highlevel disinfection shall meet the following criteria (using MF or equivalent MPN methods):

<u>1. Over a 30 day period (monthly), 75% of the fecal</u> coliform values shall be below the detection limits;

2. Any one sample shall not exceed 25 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample; and

<u>3. Any one sample shall not exceed 5.0 mg/L of TSS at a point before application of the disinfectantinclude additional TSS control (beyond secondary treatment levels) to maximize disinfection effectiveness and shall be designed to result in a reclaimed water or effluent in which fecal coliform values (per 100 mL of sample) are below detectable limits, except as provided in Rule 62 600.440(5)(g), F.A.C., or Rule 62-600(5)(h), F.A.C..</u>

(b) Where chlorine is used for disinfection, the design shall include provisions for rapid and uniform mixing; and a total chlorine residual of at least 1.0 $\underline{\text{mg/L}}$ milligram per liter shall be maintained at all times. The minimum acceptable contact time shall be 15 minutes at the peak hourly flow.

Higher residuals or longer contact times <u>shall be provided</u> may be needed to meet the design and operational criteria for highlevel disinfection as described in <u>paragraphs</u> Rules 62- $600.440(\underline{6})(\underline{a})$ and $(\underline{c})(\underline{5})(\underline{c})$ and $\underline{62}$ $600.440(\underline{5})(\underline{f})$, F.A.C. <u>The chlorine</u> residual Residuals and contact <u>time selected</u> times to be used for design shall be justified in the preliminary design or engineering report. <u>Rapid and uniform mixing shall be</u> provided.

(c) <u>Where chlorine is used for disinfection, new New</u> or expanded treatment facilities for which the Department received a complete permit application for construction of new or expanded facilities after July 1, 1991, and which are using chlorine for disinfection, shall use the following design criteria for total chlorine <u>residual</u> residuals and contact <u>time</u> times:

1. For a reclaimed water or effluent containing 1,000 fecal coliforms, or less, per 100 mL₂ before disinfection, the product of the total chlorine residual used for design (expressed in mg/L) and the contact time at peak hourly flow (expressed in minutes) shall be at least 25.

2. For a reclaimed water or effluent containing greater than 1,000 and up to and including 10,000 fecal coliforms per 100 mL_{\star} before disinfection, the product of the total chlorine residual used for design (expressed in mg/L) and the contact time at peak hourly flow (expressed in minutes) shall be at least 40.

3. No change.

(d) Alternate combinations of chlorine residuals and contact times used to meet the operational criteria in paragraph 62-600.440(6)(c), F.A.C., for high level disinfection shall be accepted by the Department for design purposes if justified in the preliminary design or engineering report.

(e) Facilities shall be designed to reduce TSS to 5.0 milligrams per liter or less before the application of the disinfectant. This requirement does not preclude an additional application of disinfectant prior to filtration for the purpose of improving filter performance.

(f) To determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the high level disinfection level, the following operational criteria (using MF or equivalent MPN methods) shall be applicable:

1. Fecal coliform samples shall be obtained as specified in Chapter 62 601, F.A.C. Over a 30 day period, 75 percent of the fecal coliform values shall be below the detection limits.

2. Any one sample shall not exceed 25 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

3. Any one sample shall not exceed 5.0 milligrams per liter of TSS at a point before application of the disinfectant.

(e)(g) The requirements in <u>subsection 62-600.440(7)</u> Rule 62 600.440(6), F.A.C., shall serve as the high—level disinfection criteria if all of the following conditions are met:

1. Wetlands are used for the discharge or treatment of reclaimed water or effluent:-

2. Public access to the wetlands is shall be restricted; and-

3. The reclaimed water produced is not used in a reuse system permitted under Part III of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.

 (\underline{f}) The requirements in <u>subsection 62-600.440(7)</u> Rule 62-600.440(6), F.A.C., shall serve as the high-level disinfection criteria if <u>all of the following conditions are met</u>:

1. The discharge is to surface waters;

2. The discharge is serving as a back-up disposal system associated with a reuse system permitted under Part III of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C. $\frac{1}{2}$, and

3. The discharge is not subject to regulation by <u>subsection</u> Rules 62-600.510(2) or 62 600.510(3), F.A.C., as a discharge to Class I waters or <u>waters contiguous to or tributary</u> tributaries to Class I waters: and-

4. The discharge is not subject to regulation by subsection 62-610.510(7), F.A.C., as a discharge to surface waters which are directly connected to Class F-I, G-I, or G-II ground water.

(7)(6) Intermediate disinfection

(a) Facilities <u>required</u> to provide intermediate disinfection shall <u>meet the following criteria (using either MF or</u> equivalent MPN methods):

1. The arithmetic mean of the monthly medians of the fecal coliform values collected during an annual period shall not exceed 14 per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample;

2. The median value of the fecal coliform values for a minimum number of 10 samples of reclaimed water or effluent, each collected on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly), shall not exceed 14 per 100 mL of sample;

3. No more than 10% of the samples collected during a period of 30 consecutive days shall exceed 43 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample; and

4. Any one sample shall not exceed 86 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample be designed to result in not more than 14 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample.

(b) <u>Regardless of the number of samples collected, the</u> monthly medians of the fecal coliform values shall be calculated and reported on the Discharge Monitoring Report, and the arithmetic mean shall be calculated using the monthly medians. (c) Where chlorine is used for disinfection, the design shall include provisions for rapid and uniform mixing, and a total chlorine residual of at least 1.0 mg/L milligram per liter shall be maintained after at least 15 minutes contact time at the peak hourly flow. Higher residuals or longer contact times shall be provided may be needed to meet the operational criteria for intermediate disinfection as described in paragraph 62-600.440(7)(a), F.A.C. The chlorine residual and contact time selected used for design shall be justified in the preliminary design or engineering report. Rapid and uniform mixing shall be provided.

(c) To determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the intermediate disinfection level, the following operational criteria (using either MF or MPN methods) are applicable:

1. The arithmetic mean of the monthly fecal coliform values (computed as per 2., below) collected during an annual period, as described in Rule 62-600.740(1)(a)1., F.A.C., shall not exceed 14 per 100 mL of reclaimed water or effluent sample.

2. The median value of the fecal coliform values for a minimum number of 10 samples of reclaimed water or effluent, each collected on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly) shall not exceed 14 per 100 mL of sample.

3. No more than 10 percent of the samples collected during a period of 30 consecutive days shall exceed 43 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

4. Any one sample shall not exceed 86 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

(8)(7) Low-level disinfection

(a) Facilities <u>required</u> to provide low-level disinfection, allowable under highly controlled conditions for overland flow systems and certain underdrained slow rate land application systems as specified in <u>Part VI</u> applicable portions of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., shall <u>meet be designed to result in</u> an effluent <u>criteria of</u> containing not more than 2,400 fecal coliform values per 100 mL of sample.

(b) <u>The effluent or reclaimed water discharged from an</u> overland flow system shall meet the applicable disinfection criteria specified in subsection 62-600.440(5), (6), or (7), <u>F.A.C.</u> To determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the low level disinfection criteria, the design eriteria in (a), above, shall apply as operational criteria at all times.

(c) Other operational criteria in this section shall be applicable to effluent involving low level disinfection preapplication treatment upon release of the effluent from operational control in order to determine compliance with other requirements of this chapter. <u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.440, Amended 12-24-96, Amended ______.

62-600.445 pH <u>Requirements</u> – Standards and Operational Criteria.

All facilities shall be designed and operated to maintain the pH in the reclaimed water or effluent, after disinfection, within the range of 6.0 to 8.5, except as provided in <u>Chapters 62-610</u> and <u>Chapter 62-611</u>, F.A.C., and in Rule Rules 62-600.430, 62 600.510(3), and 62 600.540(2), F.A.C., and subsection 62-600.445(2), F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.445, <u>Amended</u>.

PART III TREATMENT REQUIREMENTS

62-600.500 General.

Generally, the waste treatment standards contained in this chapter shall be met before discharge into holding ponds (if applicable), reuse systems, disposal systems, or surface waters classified pursuant to Chapter 62-302, F.A.C. Treatment Waste treatment, at a minimum, shall consist of secondary treatment and, to the extent necessary, disinfection and pH control. Additional levels of treatment (beyond secondary) may be required pursuant to provisions contained in this chapter or in other Department rules Chapter 62 610, F.A.C. These treatment requirements shall be enforceable pursuant to the operational compliance criteria in this part, and in Rules 62-600.420, 62-600.430, 62-600.440, 62-600.445, F.A.C., and 62-600.740, F.A.C. General technical guidance is provided by references listed in Rule 62-600.300, F.A.C. Discharges which would not result in the protection of surface and ground water quality criteria shall not be allowed. Effluent or reclaimed water limitations shall be achieved at the appropriate locations specified pursuant to both this part and Part II of Chapter 62-600, F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.500, Amended

62-600.510 Discharge to Surface Waters (Excluding <u>Coastal and Open</u> Ocean Outfalls).

(1) Outfalls for all facilities shall not discharge reclaimed waters or effluents which do not meet, at a minimum, applicable secondary treatment, basic disinfection and pH levels contained in Part II of Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., prior to discharge to the receiving surface waters <u>or (as appropriate)</u> additional WQBELs.

(2) Outfalls for facilities permitted to discharge to, tributary or contiguous to, or upstream of Class I waters on or before August 8, 1999 shall meet the discharge requirements of subsections 62-600.510(3) or (4), F.A.C., as applicable, or shall meet at a minimum the discharge requirements of the rules that were in effect at the time of permit issuance. Effluent limitations shall be no less stringent than contained in the previous permit unless allowed by subsection 62-620.620(4), F.A.C. Outfalls for facilities permitted for construction before January 1, 1982 or modifications of facilities existing prior to January 1, 1982 shall not discharge reclaimed waters or effluents to Class I waters unless the reclaimed water or effluent meets the appropriate additional treatment standards (beyond secondary) and high level disinfection criteria contained in Rules 62 600.420(2) and 62-600.440(5), F.A.C., respectively, prior to discharge to the receiving surface water. Outfalls for such facilities shall discharge not less than 500 feet from any existing or approved (but not yet constructed) potable water intake. However, all facilities, whether new or existing, shall provide for high level disinfection as specified in Rule 62 600.440(5), F.A.C., or an alternative to this requirement shown by the applicant to give reasonable assurance of providing equivalent protection from pathogens.

(3) <u>Discharge of reclaimed water to Class I surface</u> waters, or For outfalls potentially discharging to waters contiguous to or tributary to Class I waters, <u>shall meet the</u> requirements of Rules 62-610.550 through 62-610.575, F.A.C., unless otherwise established in subsection 62-600.510(2), F.A.C. the necessity for treatment, in addition to that required in (2), above, shall be dependent upon the extent of travel time. Travel time shall be the elapsed time from the point of final reclaimed water or effluent monitoring to reclaimed water or effluent arrival at the boundary of Class I waters or at the 500 foot no discharge zone surrounding potable water intakes (if any), as referenced in (2), above, whichever results in the shorter elapsed time. Travel time determinations shall be based upon the expected flow of the receiving water during the typically wettest month of the year. Information available from public or private scientific or engineering firms may be utilized; velocity data from other waters may be used provided it is documented in the preliminary design report that the water body from which such data is derived is hydrologically similar to the receiving water at issue.

(a) Effluent or reclaimed water discharged from all facilities to waters tributary or contiguous to Class I waters, regardless of whether travel time is greater than 4 hours, shall be subject to technology based or water quality based limitations imposed for the specific receiving waters in accordance with Rule 62 600.420 or 62 600.430, F.A.C.

(b) Whenever travel time of the reclaimed water or effluent is less than or equal to 4 hours, new facilities and modifications of existing facilities discharging to waters tributary or contiguous to Class I waters, shall be required to provide wastewater treatment such that the drinking water criteria set by Chapter 62 550, F.A.C., will not be violated at the edge of the mixing zone (which shall not extend into Class I waters). However, Chapter 62 550, F.A.C., criteria shall be modified up to the level of ambient receiving surface water quality (but in no case violate the water quality criteria for Class III waters) where ambient water quality is lower than the criteria stipulated in Chapter 62 550, F.A.C., or to reflect the quality of drinking water reaching the sewer system which may violate community drinking water standards prior to further contamination (if any) resulting from the introduction of domestic and/or industrial wastes. Enforcement of community drinking water standards shall be pursuant to Chapter 62-550, F.A.C.

1. Class I reliability, as described in Rule 62-600.300(4)(I), F.A.C., shall be provided, at a minimum, for new facilities and modification of existing facilities. Provisions for automatic notification of downstream potable water treatment facilities and effluent recirculation to ensure adequate wastewater treatment shall be included for reliability assurance. The Department shall approve other methods of providing facility reliability (as provided by Rule 62-600.400(1)(b), F.A.C.) if the permittee provides reasonable assurances in the preliminary design report that the level of reliability provided is equivalent to the class of reliability required.

2. Effluent or reclaimed water storage prior to discharge to receiving waters shall be required. Storage volume requirements shall be equal to the average daily flow (at which adequate treatment can be provided or for which reuse/disposal is permitted, whichever is less) of the facility multiplied by the sum of the number of full (24 hours) days per week when the operator is not on site. The operator may be on site more often than required pursuant to Chapter 62-602, F.A.C.; where on-site attendance is provided in lieu of storage capacity, such attendance schedules shall be stipulated by permit.

(4) Discharge of reclaimed water upstream of Class I surface water (between 4 and 24 hours travel time) that is considered indirect potable reuse in accordance with paragraph 62-610.550(2)(b), F.A.C., shall meet the requirements of Rules 62-610.550 through 62-610.575, F.A.C., unless otherwise established in subsection 62-600.510(2), F.A.C.

(5)(4) No change.

(6)(5) Discharge of reclaimed water or effluent Limitations beyond the minimum secondary treatment, basic disinfection and pH levels that are required, or (as appropriate) additional WQBELs, on new facilities which would discharge to waters tributary to or contiguous to Class II waters shall <u>meet the following requirements</u> be required when the travel time of effluent or reclaimed water (the elapsed time from the point of final disinfection monitoring to arrival at Class II waters during maximum expected surface water velocities) is less than or equal to 72 hours:

(a) At a minimum, secondary treatment, intermediate disinfection, and required pH control, or (as appropriate) additional WQBELs;

(b) At a minimum, Intermediate disinfection, as described in Rule 62 600.440(6), F.A.C., shall be required for all new and existing facilities. Class I reliability, as described in paragraph Rule 62-600.300(4)(1), F.A.C., shall be provided at a minimum. The Department shall approve other methods of providing facility reliability (as provided by paragraph Rule 62-600.400(1)(b), F.A.C.) if the permittee provides reasonable assurances in the preliminary design or engineering report that the level of reliability provided is equivalent to Class I the elass of reliability; and required.

<u>(c) Storage</u> Additionally, storage of the disinfected reclaimed water or <u>effluent</u> effluents in a holding pond <u>or</u> <u>storage tank with</u> and recirculating capability (for additional treatment) shall be required as follows:

<u>1.(a)</u> Where the travel time is less than or equal to 24 hours, storage volume requirements shall be equal to the average daily flow (at which adequate treatment can be provided or for which reuse/disposal is permitted, whichever is less) of the facility multiplied by the sum of the number of full days per week when the operator is not onsite plus an additional 24-hour period:. The operator may be on site more often than required pursuant to Chapter 62-602, F.A.C.; where on site attendance is provided in lieu of storage capacity, such attendance schedules shall be stipulated by permit.

2.(b) Where the travel time is greater than 24 hours, but less than or equal to 72 hours, storage volume requirements shall be equal to the average daily flow (at which adequate treatment can be provided or for which reuse/disposal is permitted, whichever is less) of the facility multiplied by the number of full days per week when the operator is not onsite; and-

<u>3.</u> The operator may be onsite more often than required pursuant to Chapter <u>62-699</u> 62-602, F.A.C.; where onsite attendance is provided in lieu of storage capacity, such attendance schedules shall be stipulated by permit.

(7) Discharge of reclaimed water to surface waters that are directly connected to Class F-I, G-I, or G-II ground waters shall meet the requirements of Rules 62-610.550 through 62-610.575, F.A.C.

(8) Discharge of reclaimed water or effluent to wetlands shall meet the requirements of Chapter 62-611, F.A.C.

(9)(6) No change.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.510, <u>Amended</u>______.

62-600.520 Discharge to Surface Waters —(Coastal and Open Ocean) Outfalls.

(1) Outfalls for all facilities shall not discharge reclaimed water or effluent to coastal or open ocean waters which does not meet, at a minimum, applicable secondary treatment and pH criteria contained in Rules 62-600.420 and 62-600.445, F.A.C. Where applicable, discharges to coastal waters shall be subject to the limitations of Rule 62-4.242, F.A.C., regarding Outstanding Florida Waters, and <u>subsections 62-600.510(5)</u> and 62-600.510(6) Rules 62 600.510(4) and 62 600.510(5), F.A.C., regarding discharges to Class II waters and waters contiguous to <u>or tributary to</u> Class II waters, respectively.

(2) Outfalls for all facilities shall not discharge effluent or reclaimed water to Class III coastal waters which has not also received basic disinfection prior to the discharge. Outfalls for all facilities shall not discharge effluent to open ocean waters without also being disinfected to the extent necessary to achieve Class III microbiological standards at the edge of the mixing zone established pursuant to <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.520(3), F.A.C. If basic disinfection is not provided, the preliminary design report shall affirmatively demonstrate the level of disinfection that is more appropriate.

(3) Mixing zones for effluent discharges via ocean outfalls may be established as follows:

(a) and (b) No change.

1. Appropriate dimensions of the mixing zone, for effluents having received treatment in accordance with <u>subsections Rules</u> 62-600.520(1) and 62-600.520(2), F.A.C., and discharged from new facilities or modifications of existing facilities, shall be established by the permittee pursuant to the provisions of <u>subsection Rule</u> 62-600.520(5), F.A.C.

2. Mixing zone criteria currently applicable to existing facilities shall be modified if necessary to meet Department rules by order of the Secretary, pursuant to <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.520(5), F.A.C.

(4) Outfalls for facilities permitted for construction after January 1, 1982 and modifications of facilities existing prior to January 1, 1982 shall be designed in accordance with sound engineering practice. General technical guidance is provided by applicable references listed under Rule 62 600.300, F.A.C.

(a) Outfalls shall be designed with respect to depth and location so as to minimize adverse effects on public health and environmental quality. The design shall address the initial dilution, dispersion, and decay rates of the effluent wastes in surrounding waters in order to accomplish these objectives.

(b) Outfalls shall be designed to ensure structural integrity so as to minimize potential damage from natural occurrences (e.g., wave action) or human activities (e.g., anchorage).

(4)(5) Alternative levels of treatment shall may be allowed for ocean outfall discharges to open ocean waters from any facility, whether new or existing, as provided the following are met: below.

(a) The Secretary <u>issues</u> may issue an order, upon petition of an affected permittee and after public hearing, that specifies alternatives to treatment requirements of <u>subparagraph</u> Rules 62-600.420(1)(b)2. and <u>Rule</u> 62-600.520, F.A.C.; and mixing zone requirements of Rule 62-4.244, F.A.C.; and

(b) No change.

(c) Such order shall be issued only after affirmative demonstration by the Petitioner of the following:

1. No change.

2. Compliance with minimum treatment standards and requirements in <u>subparagraph</u> Rules 62-600.420(1)(b)2. and <u>Rule</u> 62-600.520, F.A.C., for these discharges is not required to assure adequate protection of public health and the marine environment; and

3. through 7. No change.

(5)(6) No change.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.520, Amended 10-11-13. Amended ______.

62-600.530 Reuse of Reclaimed Water and Land Application.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.530, <u>Repealed</u>.

62-600.540 Ground Water Disposal by Underground Injection.

(1) All facilities using Class I wells discharging domestic effluent into Class G-IV waters must meet the secondary treatment and pH limitations specified in <u>paragraph</u> Rules 62-600.420(1)(c), F.A.C., and <u>Rule</u> 62-600.445, F.A.C. Disinfection is not required before disposal via any Class I well, whether from any new or existing facility <u>except as provided in subsection 62-600.540(2), F.A.C.</u>; however, all Class I well permittees must maintain capability to disinfect at a level that is consistent with the alternate discharge mechanism pursuant to Rule <u>62-528.415</u> 62-28.230(4)(c), F.A.C. Deviations from minimum waste treatment requirements for such discharges shall only be approved pursuant to Rule <u>62-600.540(5), F.A.C.</u>

(2) All facilities using Class I municipal injection wells shall meet the requirements of Rules 62-528.440, 62-528.450, and 62-528.455, F.A.C. New facilities and modifications of existing facilities using Class V wells discharging domestic effluent or reclaimed water into Class G II waters (except as provided in Rule 62 600.540(3), F.A.C.) shall be designed and operated to achieve pollutant reduction to levels beyond that specified by secondary treatment. Class I reliability, as described in Rule 62 600.300(4)(1), F.A.C., shall be provided for the treatment. The Department shall approve other methods of providing facility reliability (as provided by Rule 62 600.400(1)(b), F.A.C.) if the permittee provides reasonable assurances in the preliminary design report that the level of reliability provided is equivalent to the class of reliability required. Effluent or reclaimed water limitations shall be met at compliance monitoring location(s) established on a case bycase basis; however, the TSS limitation associated with highlevel disinfection requirements specified in (b) below, shall be met prior to disinfection. The following requirements shall be met:

(a) Effluent or reclaimed water shall contain not more than the concentration set for CBOD₅ (and TSS) via secondary treatment criteria in Rule 62 600.420(1)(a), F.A.C.; and

(b) Effluent or reclaimed water shall meet the high level disinfection requirements contained in Rule 62 600.440(5), F.A.C., or as an alternative other methods for ensuring protection from pathogens shall be approved by the Department if these methods provide at least equivalent levels of public health protection; and

(c) Adequate justification for the use of any specific disinfection process and the identification of resulting public health effects shall be provided to the Department; and

(d) Effluent or reclaimed water shall, at a minimum, meet the Class G-II ground water quality standards as established in Rule 62 520.420, F.A.C.

(e) Additional reduction of pollutants which otherwise would be discharged in quantities which would reasonably be anticipated to pose risk to public health or the environment because of acute or chronic toxicity shall be required; and

(f) Storage capability and recirculation of stored reclaimed water or effluent, or provisions for alternative disposal systems, shall be established.

(3) <u>All facilities using Class V wells for the injection of</u> reclaimed water to Class F-I, G-I, or G-II ground water for ground water recharge or for salinity barrier control shall meet the requirements of Rules 62-610.550 through 62-610.575, <u>F.A.C.</u> Facilities permitted for construction after January 1, 1982 and modifications of facilities existing prior to January 1, 1982 using Class V wells discharging domestic effluent or reclaimed water into Class G II waters of the Biscayne or Floridan Aquifers containing total dissolved solids of 500 milligrams per liter or less shall be designed and operated to achieve pollution reduction as specified below.

(a) The Environmental Regulation Commission shall hold a public hearing following the conclusion of any pilot test or the full-scale operational test of any project approved pursuant to Section 403.859(7), <u>F.S.</u> Florida Statutes, and shall modify the requirements of this paragraph, as necessary or appropriate, based on the results of the test data. The reclaimed water or effluent standards described below shall be revised if the test data demonstrate that alternative parameters or levels would more effectively control pollutants hazardous to public health and the environment, such as the priority pollutants identified by the United States Environmental Protection Agency and certain lipid soluble organics.

(b) Injected wastewater shall meet the following reclaimed water or effluent standards or such other standards as are adopted by rule in accordance with Rule 62-600.540(3)(a), F.A.C.

1. Total organic carbon (as the arithmetic average of any 21 consecutive samples of injected wastewater) shall not exceed 5 milligrams per liter or the background concentration of total organic carbon, whichever is less; no single sample shall exceed 9 milligrams per liter. 2. Total organic halogen shall not exceed 0.2 milligrams per liter (as Cl) as the arithmetic average of any 21 consecutive samples of injected wastewater; no single sample shall exceed 0.3 milligrams per liter.

(c) A biological testing procedure approved by the Department shall be conducted to determine the mutagenicity of the injected reclaimed water or wastewater.

(d) The treatment process prior to injection shall include activated carbon adsorption unless the applicant provides reasonable assurance to the Department that the use of alternative technologies will not result in a discharge of wastes in contravention of the standards described in this paragraph.

(e) Alternative and standby disposal or storage facilities shall be provided such that any wastewater not meeting the requirements of this section may be stored for further treatment or disposed of by alternative means approved by the Department.

(f) Any project approved pursuant to Section 403.859(7), Florida Statutes, shall submit an interim report to the Department one year after the commencement of its full scale operational test. If a pilot test is conducted prior to the fullscale operational test, an interim report is also required one year after its commencement. The interim report shall describe the technical performance and cost effectiveness of the test project, as indicated by the test data accumulated during the year. The report shall also discuss the technical and economic feasibility of complying with more and less stringent reclaimed water or effluent standards than those specified in this paragraph. The Department shall promptly review the report and present its analysis to the Environmental Regulation Commission.

(g) No permit shall be issued for the underground injection of reclaimed water or wastewater pursuant to this paragraph until a minimum two year, full scale operational test of the project has been concluded, the test data have been reviewed by experienced national authorities, and the reports of the review have been considered by the Department.

(h) The requirements of this subsection are additive and supplement all other requirements imposed by Department rules on the construction and operation of wastewater treatment, reuse, and disposal facilities, including compliance with the ground water quality standards referenced in Rule 17– 3.404, F.A.C.

(4) Reclaimed water aquifer storage and recovery shall meet the requirements of Rule 62-610.466, F.A.C.

(5)(4) Surface equipment for all injection well facilities shall be such that manual backup capability to monitor wellhead pressure and flow is provided for systems utilizing automatic and continuous recording equipment. The design of new facilities and modifications of existing facilities shall incorporate additional surface equipment considerations such that:

(a) through (g) No change.

(h) Equipment with sufficient reliability and redundancy is provided in accordance with appropriate references contained in <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.300(4), F.A.C.

(5) Alternative treatment levels may be allowed for Class I well discharges to Class G IV waters from any facility as provided below.

(a) The Secretary may issue an order, upon petition of an affected permittee and after public hearing, that specifies an alternative to the treatment requirements specified in Rule 62-600.420(1)(d)1., F.A.C.; and

(b) Such order shall remain in effect as long as applicable water quality criteria specified in Chapter 17 3, F.A.C., are met and the effluent meets statutory treatment requirements; however,

(c) Such order shall be issued only after affirmative demonstration by the Petitioner of the following:

1. Granting the order is in the public interest;

2. Compliance with minimum treatment requirements in Rule 62 600.420(1)(d)1., F.A.C., for these discharges is not required to assure adequate protection of fresh water storage areas or industrial or utilities supplies, or for present and future potable water supplies;

3. Granting the order will not interfere with existing uses or the designated uses of the waters or contiguous waters;

4. The facility complies with all of the requirements for Class I wells in Chapter 62 28, F.A.C.;

5. There is no reasonable relationship between the economic, social, and environmental costs of compliance with the treatment requirements and the benefits associated therewith;

6. The facility will be constructed (where applicable) and operated so that there is no occurrence of inadequately treated wastewater reaching other aquifers or surface waters;

7. An acceptable monitoring program for the discharge has been proposed and will be implemented by the permittee;

8. The receiving aquifer is of sufficient transmissivity to preclude clogging of the formation with the effluent;

9. The injection well system has sufficient built in redundancy to assure an alternate disposal method (such alternate disposal shall be limited to emergency events); and

10. The surface equipment for multi well systems is designed to provide continued partial operation in the event of damage to or failure of a pipeline or well. (6) All facilities injecting reclaimed water or effluent to underground injection wells shall comply with the permitting requirements of Chapter 62-528, F.A.C.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.089 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.859 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.540, <u>Amended</u>.

62-600.550 Wastewater Management Requirements for the Wekiva Study Area.

(1) As authorized in Section 369.318, F.S., this rule implements the specific recommendations related to the establishment of Protection Zones and wastewater management requirements set forth in sections c.2. and c.4. of the Department report entitled "A Strategy for Water Quality Protection: Wastewater Treatment in the Wekiva Study Area" ("Report"), dated December 2004. The purpose of this rule is to achieve nitrogen reductions protective of surface and ground water quality in the Wekiva Study Area, as defined in Section 369.316, F.S. This rule also provides an opportunity for relief from certain wastewater management requirements if the permittee or permit applicant can affirmatively demonstrate that the discharge of treated wastewater is protective of surface water and ground water quality with respect to nitrate-nitrogen as set forth in section c.1. of the Report. This rule does not relieve the permittee from complying with other applicable Department rules.

(1)(2) No change.

(2)(3) For the purpose of determining the applicability of wastewater management requirements for the Wekiva Study Area, Protection Zones shall be as delineated in Figure 15 of the Report of Investigations No. 104, "Wekiva Aquifer Vulnerability Assessment," Florida Geological Survey, June 2005, adopted and incorporated herein. Copies may be obtained from form The Florida Geological Survey, Publications Office, 3000 Commonwealth Boulevard, Suite 1 903 W. Tennessee Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32303 32304-7700. For reuse and land application systems, determinations of which protection zone applies shall be based upon the wetted area. For reuse and land application systems located in two or more protection zones, the protection zone featuring the most stringent control measures shall apply to the entire reuse or land application system.

(a) through (c) No change.

(3)(4) The following wastewater management requirements apply to land application and reuse systems located within the Primary Protection Zone:

(a) through (e) No change.

(f) Land application of Class A or B <u>biosolids</u> wastewater residuals is prohibited. Application of Class AA <u>biosolids</u> residuals that are distributed and marketed in accordance with Chapter 62-640, F.A.C., is permissible.

(4)(5) The following wastewater management requirements apply to land application and reuse systems located within the Secondary Protection Zone:

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) Land application of Class A or B <u>biosolids</u> wastewater residuals is prohibited. Application of Class AA <u>biosolids</u> residuals that are distributed and marketed in accordance with Chapter 62-640, F.A.C., is permissible.

(6) through (8) renumbered (5) through (7) No change. <u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 369.318(1), 403.051(2)(a), 403.061(7), 403.087(2) FS. Law Implemented 369.318(1), 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 4-13-06, <u>Amended</u>.

PART IV

MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OTHER WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT FACILITIES

62-600.650 General.

(1) The frequencies of analysis, sample types, and monitoring locations for parameters to be monitored by a wastewater facility shall be specified in the wastewater facility permit.

(2) Wastewater treatment facilities shall provide safe access points for obtaining representative samples which are required by this chapter.

(3) The minimum requirements for parameters, frequencies of analysis, sample types, and monitoring locations required by this chapter may be increased or reduced by the Secretary or the Secretary's designee depending upon site-specific requirements, the water quality of surface and ground water, the hydrogeology of the area, the levels of treatment, the reliability of the facility, and the levels of disinfection provided. Where a reduction has been made, written justification shall be provided describing the reduction and its technical justification shall be available for public inspection at the Department's Tallahassee office and applicable district and branch offices.

(4) Monitoring requirements included in the wastewater permit are effective on the first day of the second month following the effective date of the permit. Until such time, the permittee shall continue to monitor and report in accordance with previously effective permit requirements, if any.

(5) The owner, manager, or operator of a domestic wastewater facility, or agent or employee thereof, shall not submit misleading, false, or inaccurate information or operational reports to the Department, either knowingly or through neglect. (6) No owner or permittee of a wastewater treatment plant shall knowingly allow or encourage any operator in his employ to violate any rule, regulation, or law related to treatment plant operation.

Rulemaking Authority 403.061(7) FS. Law Implemented 403.061(13) FS. History – New_____.

62-600.660 Treatment Facility Monitoring.

(1) Wastewater treatment facilities shall monitor the flow, the influent for $CBOD_5$ and TSS, and the reclaimed water or effluent for all reclaimed water or effluent parameters as required by the permit. The minimum schedule for sampling and testing parameters to be monitored at a wastewater treatment plant is specified in Figure 1 below.

Figure 1., Minimum Schedule for Sampling and Testing of Domestic Wastewater Treatment Plant Monitoring Parameters by Permitted Capacity

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¹ Hourly measurements during the period of required operator attendance may be substituted for continuous measurement.

² Total chlorine residual measured for disinfection effectiveness (after chlorine contact). Hourly measurements during the period for required operator attendance may be substituted for continuous measurement except for systems permitted under Parts III and V of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., Continuous measurement shall be provided for all systems permitted under Parts III and V of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., regardless of permitted capacity.

³ Reuse and land application facilities (which include rapidrate, slow-rate, absorption fields and other systems pursuant to Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.) less than 100,000 gpd, may sample monthly. (This reduction does not apply to injection wells pursuant to Chapter 62-528, F.A.C., and reuse systems requiring high-level disinfection.)

⁴ For reuse systems requiring high-level disinfection, samples shall be obtained and reported daily, 7 days per week for systems of 0.5 mgd and greater, 4 days per week for systems of at least 50,000 gpd but less than 0.5 mgd, and 3 days per week for systems less than 50,000 gpd; or daily during the period required for operator attendance, whichever is less. At permit renewal, reduction to 4 days per week for systems of 0.5 mgd and greater or to 3 days per week for systems of at least 50,000 gpd but less than 0.5 mgd may be requested if no violations for these parameters have occurred in the last 12 months. For systems requiring high-level disinfection, the reduction allowed by note 3 does not apply.

⁵ Total chlorine residual measured for dechlorination effectiveness.

⁶ Not applicable to reuse systems discharging to Class I waters or waters contiguous to or tributary to Class I waters or to reuse systems injecting into Class F-I, G-I, or G-II ground waters. These systems shall monitor 7 days per week for total coliform, regardless of permitted capacity, as specified in Parts III and V of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.

⁷ The daily frequency shall be 2, 3, or 5 days per week consistent with the required operator attendance specified in paragraph 62-699.310(2)(a), F.A.C.

(2) Wastewater treatment facilities with a permitted capacity of 100,000 gallons per day or greater that discharge to ground water via reuse and land application systems shall monitor the reclaimed water or effluent for the primary and secondary drinking water standards contained in Chapter 62-550, F.A.C., (except for asbestos, total coliforms, color, odor, and residual disinfectants) annually.

(3) Sample types.

(a) Grab samples shall be used to test pH, chlorine residual, dissolved oxygen and other dissolved gases, fecal coliforms and other microbiological parameters, cyanide, oil and grease, dissolved constituents in field-filtered samples (ortho-phosphorus, metals, etc.), specific conductance, unionized ammonia, volatile organic compounds, total recoverable petroleum hydrocarbons, and temperature.

(b) Grab samples shall be used to test CBOD₅. TSS, and nutrients at facilities with a permitted capacity less than 100,000 gallons per day. Except as provided in paragraphs 62-600.660(3)(c) and (d), F.A.C., all other samples for CBOD5, TSS, and nutrients shall be flow proportioned, composite samples and compositing periods shall be 24, 16, or 8 hours based on the facility's staffing requirement. In no case shall the compositing period be less than 8 hours.

(c) Grab samples shall be used to test for TSS where a facility is required to meet the 5.0 mg/L TSS limitation associated with high-level disinfection for a reuse system permitted under Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.

(d) Except for the parameters listed in paragraph 62-600.660(3)(a), F.A.C., 24 hour flow proportioned, composite samples shall be used to analyze reclaimed water or effluent for the primary and secondary drinking water standards.

(e) Grab samples shall be collected during periods of minimal treatment plant pollutant removal efficiencies or maximum organic loading in the reclaimed water or effluent. The actual time and flow conditions during which such samples are taken shall be recorded.

(4) Sampling locations.

(a) Influent samples shall be collected so they do not contain digester supernatant or returned activated sludge, or any other plant process recycled waters.

(b) Reclaimed water or effluent analyses shall generally be performed on samples collected after final treatment and:

<u>1. Before discharge to holding ponds for reuse and land</u> application systems pursuant to Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.;

2. After holding ponds, if applicable, and immediately before discharge to surface waters for treatment plants (including overland flow and wetland treatment systems) discharging to surface waters; and

<u>3. After holding ponds, if applicable, and immediately</u> before discharge to ground water for treatment plants discharging to ground water via underground injection.

(c) For systems involving high-level disinfection, compliance with the TSS limitations shall be achieved, and sampled for, after the filter and before application of the disinfectant.

Rulemaking Authority 403.061(7) FS. Law Implemented 403.061(13) FS. History – New____.

62-600.670 Ground Water Monitoring.

(1) Wastewater treatment facilities which are designed so that some or all of the reclaimed water or effluent may enter ground waters shall conduct ground water monitoring in accordance with Chapter 62-520, F.A.C., and this chapter.

(2) Where reclaimed water is applied to multiple sites permitted under Part III of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., one or more of the sites (representative of each site's hydrogeological characteristics, soil characteristics, vegetative cover, and reclaimed water application method, etc.) shall be selected by the applicant and approved in writing by the Department as the model site(s) for monitoring the ground water.

(3) The minimum schedule for ground water monitoring is specified in Figure 2 below

Figure 2., Minimum Sampling Frequency for Ground Water Monitoring

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¹ In accordance with subsection 62-520.600(10), F.A.C., new facilities are facilities which have filed a complete permit application after July 1, 1994.

² As specified in Rules 62-520.420 and 62-520.460, F.A.C.

(4) Grab samples shall be used to test for all ground water parameters.

(5) Monitoring wells shall be purged prior to sampling to obtain a representative sample.

Rulemaking Authority 403.061(7) FS. Law Implemented 403.061(13) FS. History - New _____

62-600.680 Reporting.

(1) As required by the permit, the permittee shall submit monitoring results on Discharge Monitoring Report, Form 62-620.910(10), F.A.C., in accordance with subsection 62-620.610(18), F.A.C., as follows: (a) Discharge Monitoring Reports shall be mailed to the Department at the address specified in the permit or electronically submitted using the Department's Business Portal at http://www.fldepportal.com/go/. Reports shall be submitted in accordance with the frequencies specified on the Discharge Monitoring Report forms attached to the wastewater permit and be postmarked or entered electronically by the 28th day of the month following the month of operation; and

(b) Discharge Monitoring Reports shall be submitted for each required monitoring period including periods of no discharge.

(2) Monitoring results required by subsection 62-600.660(2), F.A.C., shall be reported to the Department annually on the Discharge Monitoring Report, Form 62-620.910(10), F.A.C. Except as provided in paragraphs (a) and (b) below, the Discharge Monitoring Report shall be submitted so as to be received by the Department by January 28 of each year.

(a) During years when an application for permit renewal is submitted, the Discharge Monitoring Report shall be submitted with the permit application.

(b) During years when an application for permit renewal is not submitted, a certification stating that no new nondomestic wastewater dischargers have been added to the collection system since the last reclaimed water or effluent analysis was conducted may be submitted with the Discharge Monitoring Report. Monitoring not required this period should be noted on the Discharge Monitoring Report.

Rulemaking Authority 403.061(7) FS. Law Implemented 403.061(13) FS. History – New_____.

PART V PERMITTING

62-600.700 General.

(1) Construction, modification, or operation of domestic wastewater treatment and effluent disposal or reuse facilities requires an appropriate permit from the Department in accordance with Chapter 62-620, F.A.C. and with this chapter. The permittee shall comply with applicable design and performance criteria pursuant to this chapter and the permitting requirements of Chapter 62 620, F.A.C.

(1)(2) Applicants for a wastewater permit shall At the time of application for a wastewater treatment plant permit, the applicant must have applied for a reuse or disposal system permit from the Department for no less than 75 percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant up to and including one million gallons per day or no less than 50 percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant greater than one million gallons per day, unless the applicant can demonstrate
sufficient disposal <u>or and</u> reuse capacity to satisfy the demand during the term of the operation permit. Permit applications for a treatment facility may be made separately or in conjunction with applications for effluent disposal or reclaimed water reuse systems.

(2) Permitted Capacity

(a) The permittee shall establish design capacities for the wastewater facilities, including capacities for all treatment, reuse, or disposal options, in the permit application and shall specify the associated time frames (e.g., annual average daily flow, monthly average daily flow, three-month average daily flow). The time frames selected shall reflect seasonal variations in flows, if any.

(b) The Department shall include the permitted capacities in the facility permit and shall specify the associated time frames (e.g., annual average daily flow, monthly average daily flow, three-month average daily flow). The permitted capacities shall not exceed the design capacities. The Department shall establish a permitted capacity less than the design capacity if:

<u>1. The total available reuse and disposal permitted</u> capacity is less than the treatment facility design capacity; or

2. The preliminary design or engineering report does not provide reasonable assurances that the proposed wastewater facility technology will function as intended at the design capacity requested by the permittee.

(c) The permitted capacities for the treatment, reuse, and disposal systems are not required to be the same.

(3) Classification of Projects as "Reuse" or "Disposal." All domestic wastewater permits issued by the Department shall include designation of each portion of the project as either "reuse" or "effluent disposal" and shall list the permitted capacity associated with each portion of the project. <u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.700, Amended 12-24-96, <u>Amended</u>

62-600.720 Operation and Maintenance Manual.

(1) In accordance with Rule 62-620.630, F.A.C., permittees of newly constructed or modified domestic wastewater treatment plants and effluent disposal or reuse facilities shall provide notification to the Department that a draft operation and maintenance manual is available prior to placing the newly constructed or modified portion of the facility into operation. Within six months after placing the new or modified facilities into operation, the permittee shall provide notification that a current operation and maintenance

manual is available. Permittees of existing domestic wastewater treatment plants and effluent disposal or reuse facilities shall maintain and make available for inspection copies of current operation and maintenance manuals for the facilities, in accordance with Rule 62-620.350, F.A.C. The manual shall provide for the reliable and efficient operation and maintenance of the facilities as follows:

(a) No change.

(b) The manual shall include basic hydraulic and engineering design criteria for the facility, as well as information and procedures required for normal control and distribution of wastewater, <u>biosolids</u> residuals, and effluent within the facility. In addition, information concerning process control and performance evaluation for the facility, as well as equipment and procedural descriptions (including any notification/reporting requirements of appropriate agencies) for emergency operating conditions and listing of spare parts to have on hand shall be included. Regular maintenance and repair instructions for all equipment; laboratory testing equipment and monitoring procedures; safety and personnel requirements; and a "trouble shooting" problem guide shall be included in the manual.

(c) No change.

(d) Operation and maintenance manual requirements for underground injection well facilities are set forth in <u>subsection</u> <u>62-528.415(3)</u> Rule 62 28.230(3), F.A.C.

(e) No change.

(2) through (3) No change.

(4) Technical References.

(a) Water Pollution Control Federation, 1976. Manual of Practice No. 11 - Operation of Wastewater Treatment Plants. Water Pollution Control Federation, 601 Wythe Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-1994. http://www.wef.org

(b) California State University, Department of Civil Engineering, Third Edition 1988. Operation of Wastewater Treatment Plants - Volumes 1 and 2. California State University, 6000 J Street, Sacramento, California 95819-6025. <u>http://www.ecs.csus.edu/ce/</u>

(c) California State University, Department of Civil Engineering, First Edition 1987. Advanced Waste Treatment. California State University, 6000 J Street, Sacramento, California 95819-6025. <u>http://www.ecs.csus.edu/ce/</u>

(d) New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, 1980. Manual of Instruction for Wastewater Treatment Plant Operators - Volumes I, II. Health Education Service, P. O. Box 7126, Albany, New York 12224. <u>http://www.healthresearch.org/store</u> (e) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1977. Aerobic Biological Wastewater Treatment Facilities - Process Control Manual.; EPA-430/9-77-006. Environmental Quality Instructional Resources Center, Ohio State University, 1200 Chambers Road - Room 310, Columbus, Ohio 43212. http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html

(f) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1977. Package Treatment Plants Operations Manual. <u>EPA-430/9-77-005.</u> Environmental Quality Instructional Resources Center, Ohio State University, 1200 Chambers Road - Room 310, Columbus, Ohio 43212. <u>http://www.epa.gov/nscep/index.html</u>

(5) Members of the public may request and obtain copies of the references listed in (4) above by contacting the appropriate publisher at the address indicated. Copies of the above publications are on file with the Florida Secretary of State; copies are also on file and available for review in the Department's Tallahassee offices (including the Information Center) and in the Department's district <u>and branch</u> offices where they may be reviewed during normal business hours.

<u>Rulemaking Specific</u> Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.720, Amended 12-24-96, Amended _____.

62-600.735 Operation and Maintenance Performance Report.

(1) All applications to renew permits for treatment, reuse, or disposal facilities <u>as required by Form 62-620.910(2)</u>, <u>F.A.C.</u>, shall include a detailed operation and maintenance performance report. This report will be used, in part, to establish reasonable assurances that these facilities will meet permit limitations during the period for which the permit is requested.

(2) through (3) No change.

(4) The report shall:

(a) through (c) No change.

(d) Evaluate the following components, systems, and processes, if included in the facilities being considered for permit renewal:

1. Pumping facilities (raw wastewater, intermediate, recirculation, <u>biosolids</u> residuals, effluent, or reclaimed water pump stations).

2. No change.

3. Primary, intermediate, and final clarifiers (structures, scum and <u>biosolids</u> residuals removal equipment, baffles, weirs, sand and grit accumulation).

4. through 10. No change.

11. <u>Biosolids</u> Residuals treatment and handling (thickeners, chemical conditioning, aerobic digesters, anaerobic digesters, <u>biosolids</u> residuals collection equipment, heat exchange facilities, gas collection equipment).

12. <u>Biosolids</u> Residuals dewatering (drying beds, filter presses, vacuum filters).

13. through 21.No change.

(5) through (6) No change.

<u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.087, 403.088 FS. History - New 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.735, Amended 12-24-96, Amended _____.

62-600.740 Reporting, Compliance, and Enforcement.

(1) Operational Criteria

(1)(a) General

(a)1. The Department uses the information submitted on Discharge Monitoring Reports required by Part IV of this chapter to may establish facility compliance, or noncompliance, with the waste treatment standards of this rule using the information submitted pursuant to self monitoring operational reports required by Chapter 62 601, F.A.C. For such evaluations, the appropriate reclaimed water or effluent compliance concentrations contained in subsection Rule 62-600.740(2)(1)(b), F.A.C., shall be applicable. Whenever the Department uses the results of a year's operational reports, the annual reclaimed water or effluent compliance concentrations given in Rule 62 600.740(1)(b), F.A.C., shall be used for compliance determinations. The annual concentrations obtained from self monitoring operational reports shall be the average of data from consecutive reporting periods (whether daily, monthly, quarterly, or any other basis) which collectively comprise one year; additional compliance determinations may be made for each successive sampling period.

a. For pollutants which are required to be sampled on a semimonthly or more frequent basis (per Chapter 62 601, F.A.C.), all reclaimed water or effluent compliance concentrations shall be applicable. The semimonthly evaluation shall be based upon the concentration limitation specified for a weekly determination.

b. For pollutants which are required to be sampled on a monthly, quarterly (or less frequent basis), the monthly concentration limitation shall be used as the compliance standard. The annual (as established in Rule 62-600.740(1)(a)1., F.A.C.) and maximum permissible levels shall also be applicable.

(b)2. The Department may also take enforcement action based on its own sample collection activities using any of the annual, monthly, weekly, or maximum-permissible <u>concentrations</u> operating criteria specified in <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.740(2)(1)(b), F.A.C. Use of such data shall not preclude enforcement action pursuant to the provisions of this or any other chapter of the Florida Administrative Code. The use of grab or composite samples for evaluating annual, monthly or weekly compliance shall be generally consistent with grab or composite sampling technique (as opposed to sample scheduling) requirements of Part IV of this chapter 62-600 Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., for the specific permitted capacity of the treatment plant at issue. Maximumpermissible concentrations shall be established by grab sampling due to the transient nature of maximum concentrations; it is expected that such samples will be collected during periods of minimal treatment plant pollutant removal efficiencies or maximum organic loading in the reclaimed water or effluent. Maximum permissible concentrations are not intended to be representative of average daily conditions of the treatment plant effluent or reclaimed water; grab samples need not be taken at any set time or flow, but the actual time and flow conditions during which such samples are taken shall be recorded.

(c)3. Nothing in this or any other rules of the Florida Administrative Code shall preclude the use, by the Department, of additional or more representative sampling data in establishing compliance status.

(2)(b) Reclaimed Water or Effluent Compliance Concentrations. The applicability of the reclaimed water or effluent compliance concentrations contained below to all facilities shall depend on the treatment requirements referenced, pursuant to Rule 62 600.110, F.A.C.

(a)1. <u>Compliance</u> In order to determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the secondary treatment standards <u>shall be determined in accordance with subsection</u> specified in Rule 62-600.420(1).(a). F.A.C., the following operational criteria shall be applicable.

a. The arithmetic mean of the $CBOD_5$ or TSS values for the reclaimed water or effluent samples collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) during an annual period, as described in this section, shall not exceed 20 mg/L.

b. The arithmetic mean of the CBOD₅ or TSS values for a minimum of four reclaimed water or effluent samples each collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly) shall not exceed 30 mg/L.

c. The arithmetic mean of the CBOD₅ or TSS values for a minimum of two reclaimed water or effluent samples each collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) on a separate day during a period of 7 consecutive days (weekly) shall not exceed 45 mg/L.

d. Maximum permissible concentrations of CBOD₅ or TSS values in any reclaimed water or effluent grab sample at any time shall not exceed 60 mg/L.

(b)2. In order to determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with treatment standards more stringent than secondary <u>such</u> as specified for additional levels of treatment (i.e., <u>subsection</u> Rule 62 600.420(2), F.A.C.),

WQBELs (i.e., Rule 62-600.430, F.A.C.), discharges to contiguous Class I waters (i.e., Rule 62-600.510(3), F.A.C.), discharges via shallow well injection systems (i.e., Rule 62-600.540(2), F.A.C.), and certain reuse or land application systems (i.e., Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.), the following compliance concentrations operational criteria shall be applicable.

<u>1.a.</u> The <u>annual average</u> arithmetic mean of the pollutant value values for reclaimed water or effluent samples collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) during an annual period, as described in Rule 62 600.740(1)(a), F.A.C., shall not exceed the design concentration established for the reclaimed water or effluent.

2.b. The monthly average arithmetic mean of the pollutant value values for a minimum of four reclaimed water or effluent samples each collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) on a separate day during a period of 30 consecutive days (monthly) shall not exceed one and one-quarter times the design concentration for the reclaimed water or effluent.

<u>3.e.</u> The <u>weekly average</u> arithmetic mean of the pollutant value values for a minimum of two reclaimed water or effluent samples each collected (whether grab or composite technique is used) on a separate day during a period of 7 consecutive days (weekly) shall not exceed one and one-half times the design concentration specified for the reclaimed water or effluent.

<u>4.d.</u> <u>The maximum Maximum-permissible pollutant</u> <u>concentration</u> concentrations in any <u>single</u> reclaimed water or <u>effluent grab</u> sample shall not exceed two times the design concentration specified for the reclaimed water or effluent.

(c)3. In order to determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the alternative secondary preapplication treatment standards specified in Part VI applicable portions of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., the design criteria specified therein shall apply as compliance concentrations operational criteria at all times (i.e., the design criteria applies on an annual, monthly, weekly, and maximumpermissible concentration basis). Other compliance concentrations operational criteria in this section shall be applicable upon release of the effluent from operational control in order to determine compliance with other requirements of this chapter.

4. In order to determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with the secondary treatment standards specified in Rules 62 600.420(1)(b)2. regarding outfalls discharging to open ocean waters, all operational criteria contained in Rule 62-600.740(1)(b)1., F.A.C., shall be applicable except that the annual average limitation shall be identical to the monthly criterion (30 mg/L).

(d)5. In order to determine compliance of a domestic wastewater facility with disinfection criteria (other than the basic level) specified in <u>subsection</u> Rule 62-600.440(4), F.A.C., for outfalls discharging to open ocean waters, the disinfection level approved by the Department shall apply as <u>compliance concentrations</u> operational criteria at all times (i.e., the design criteria applies on an annual, monthly, weekly, and maximum-permissible concentration bases).

6. Effluent or reclaimed water compliance criteria, for domestic wastewater facilities established in accordance with Rules 62 600.520(5) and 62 600.540(5), F.A.C., shall be as approved by the Secretary on a case by case basis by Order.

(3)(c) <u>Biosolids</u> <u>Domestic</u> wastewater residuals compliance criteria shall be in accordance with the applicable portions of <u>Chapter 62-640</u> Chapters 62 2, 62 7, 62 640, and 62 701, F.A.C.

(2) Violations

The following acts and the causing thereof are prohibited.

(a) The release or disposal of excreta, sewage, or other wastewaters or domestic wastewater residuals without providing proper treatment approved by the Department or otherwise violating provisions of this rule or other rules of the Florida Administrative Code.

(b) The failure to construct wastewater facilities substantially in accordance with Department approved preliminary design reports or plans and specifications unless project alterations receive the written approval of the Department.

(c) The failure to maintain equipment in a condition which will enable the intended function.

(d) The planned (as opposed to emergency) bypassing of components critical to functioning of the treatment plant as designed, or any other critical part of a wastewater facility, without notification to the Department. (The Department may not require notification where design redundancy and reliability characteristics provide reasonable assurance that disposal of excreta, sewage, other wastewaters, or domestic wastewater residuals, without having received proper treatment approved by the Department, will not occur.)

(e) The submission, by the owner, manager, or operator of a domestic wastewater facility, or agent or employee thereof, of misleading, false, or inaccurate information or operational reports to the Department, either knowingly or through neglect.

(f) No owner or permittee of a wastewater treatment plant shall knowingly allow or encourage any operator in his employ to violate any rule, regulation, or law related to treatment plant operation. <u>Rulemaking</u> Specific Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.121, 403.131, 403.161 FS. History - New 11-27-89; Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.740, Amended 12-24-96, Amended ______

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Frederick L. Aschauer, Jr., Director, Division of Water Resource Management

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jonathan P. Steverson, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: July 15, 2015

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: March 27, 2014

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
62-601.100	Scope, Intent, Purpose, and Applicability
62-601.200	Definitions
62-601.300	General Requirements
62-601.400	Sampling and Testing Methods (Repealed)
62-601.500	Sampling Schedules, Locations, and
	Methodology
62-601.700	Ground Water Monitoring
62-601.830	Noncompliance Fees for Failure to Submit
	Reports (Repealed)

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) gives notice that it proposes to repeal Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., simultaneously with the adoption of amendments to Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., Domestic Wastewater Facilities. In order to simplify and clarify requirements, correct rule references, and be consistent with more recently adopted rules and statutory requirements, requirements in Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., are being updated and incorporated into Chapter 62-600, F.A.C.; or requirements are being eliminated where they are obsolete, duplicative of other rules or statutory requirements, or have been superseded by other rules or statutory requirements.

SUMMARY: To consolidate requirements applicable to domestic wastewater facilities into one location, DEP proposes to repeal Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., and either eliminate its requirements or update and incorporate them into Chapter 62-600, F.A.C. Rulemaking for Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., is occurring simultaneously with the rulemaking for Chapter 62-600, F.A.C.

OTHER RULES INCORPORATING THIS RULE: 61C-4.0161, 62-302.300, 62-520.300, 62-520.600, 62-528.430, 62-528.455, 62-528.615, 62-528.620, 62-600.200, 62-600.300, 62-600.400, 62-600.410, 62-600.440, 62-600.740, 62-610.300, 62-610.310, 62-610.320, 62-610.412, 62-610.463, 62-610.466, 62-610.472, 62-610.568, 62-610.865, 62-610.870, 62-620.610, 62-620.630, and 64E-12.005, F.A.C. EFFECT ON THOSE OTHER RULES: Repeal of Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., is not expected to have any significant impact on the following rules: 62-302.300, 62-520.300, 62-528.455, 62-528.615, 62-528.620, and 62-610.870. Chapter 62-600, F.A.C., is being amended simultaneously with this Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., rulemaking, and Rules 62-600.200, 62-600.300, 62-600.400, 62-600.410, 62-600.440, and 62-600.740 are being revised accordingly. Rules 61C-4.0161, 62-520.600, 62-528.430, 62-610.300, 62-610.310, 62-610.320, 62-610.412, 62-610.463, 62-610.466, 62-610.472, 62-610.568, 62-610.865, 62-620.610, 62-620.630, and 64E-12.005 will need to be amended to reflect the location of requirements previously in Chapter 62-601, F.A.C., that have been incorporated into Chapter 62-600, F.A.C.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The rulemaking does not introduce any new or additional regulatory requirements for wastewater facilities. Requirements are being eliminated where they are obsolete, duplicative, or have been superseded by other rules or statutory requirements. No interested party submitted additional information regarding economic impact.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 403.051, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 403.021, 403.051, 403.061, 403.062, 403.085, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881, FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW(IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: October 6, 2015, 10:00 a.m. until completion, but no later than 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Department of Environmental Protection, Bob Martinez Bldg., Rm. 609, 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2400 Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Sharon Sawicki at (850)245-8606.. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Sharon Sawicki, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Water Resource Management, 2600 Blair Stone Rd., MS 3540, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-2400. Telephone (850)245-8606. Email sharon.sawicki@dep.state.fl.us. Further information on this rule also may be obtained from the Department's Web Site at: http://www.dep.state.fl.us/water/rules_dr.htm (OGC No. 14-0477)

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

62-601.100 Scope, Intent, Purpose, and Applicability. Rulemaking Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.051, 403.061(13), 403.088 FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 6-10-76, Formerly 17-19.01, 17-19.001, Amended 1-30-91, Formerly 17-601.100, Amended 12-24-96, <u>Repealed</u>.

62-601.200 Definitions.

Rulemaking Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.051, 403.061(13), 403.088 FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 6-10-76, Formerly 17-19.02, Amended 9-13-89, Formerly 17-19.020, Amended 1-30-91, 5-31-93, Formerly 17-601.200, Amended 12-24-96, Repealed______.

62-601.300 General Requirements.

Rulemaking Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.051, 403.061(13), 403.088 FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 6-10-76, 2-18-79, Formerly 17-19.03, 17-19.030, Amended 1-30-91, 5-31-93, Formerly 17-601.300, Amended 12-24-96, Repealed

62-601.500 Sampling Schedules, Locations, and Methodology.

Rulemaking Authority 403.051, 403.061, 403.088 FS. Law Implemented 403.051, 403.061(13), 403.088 FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 6-10-76, Formerly 17-19.05, 17-19.050, Amended 1-30-91, 5-31-93, Formerly 17-601.500, Amended 12-24-96, Repealed

62-601.700 Ground Water Monitoring.

Rulemaking Authority 403.061(7) FS. Law Implemented 403.061(13) FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 6-10-76, Formerly 17-19.07, 17-19.070, Amended 1-30-91, 5-31-93, Formerly 17-601.700, Amended 12-24-96, Repealed

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Frederick L. Aschauer, Jr., Director, Division of Water Resource Management

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jonathan P. Steverson, Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: July 15, 2015

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Athletic Training

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:64B33-1.004Security and Monitoring Procedures for
Examination.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To repeal obsolete rule.

SUMMARY: Rule repeal.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF **ESTIMATED** REGULATORY COST AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the agency. The agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: Repealing this rule will have no effect, because the rule is obsolete.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.017(1)(d), 468.705 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.017(1)(d) FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Sue Foster, Executive Director, Board of Athletic Training, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258; (850)245-4474.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B33-1.004 Security and Monitoring Procedures for Examination.

Rulemaking Authority 456.017(1)(d), 468.705 FS. Law Implemented 456.017(1)(d) FS. History–New 8-22-00<u>, Repealed</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Athletic Training

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Athletic Training

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: July 17, 2015

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Treasury

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69C-3.004	Transfer of Funds from an Eligible Fund to
	an Investment Account
69C-3.006	Transfer of Funds from the Investment
	Account to an Eligible Fund

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rules delete obsolete language and provide updated procedures to enhance efficiencies associated with the transfer of a State agency's eligible funds to the investment account of the Chief Financial Officer, and the return of all or a portion of such monies to the agency's eligible fund.

SUMMARY: The proposed rules provide updated procedures and a new form relating to the transfer of an agency's eligible funds to the CFO's investment account and the return of the invested balances of such monies to the eligible fund.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department has incorporated its experience in estimating regulatory and transactional costs associated with the rulemaking process in performing an economic analysis of the proposed rules and has determined that there are no adverse impacts or potential regulatory costs for either of the proposed rules exceeding criteria established under paragraphs 120.54(1)(b) or120.541(2)(a), F.S.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.29 FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 17.61, 17.65 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 6, 2015, @ 11:00 AM PLACE: Suite 440-C, Hermitage Centre, Suite 400, 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Katherine Ward-Adkins @ Katherine.Ward-Adkins@MyFloridaCFO.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Katherine Ward-Adkins, CPA, Financial Administrator, Division of Treasury, Bureau of Funds Management, Florida Department of Financial Services, 200 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL, 32399-0344, or Katherine.Ward-Adkins@MyFloridaCFO.com

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69C-3.004 Transfer of Funds from an Eligible Fund to an Investment Account.

(1) It is the duty of the agency which is charged with the administration of an eligible fund to calculate the cash requirements of the fund and to initiate transfers from the eligible fund to the investment account. The transfer will be done using Form DFS AA6 as adopted in Rule Chapter 69I-40, F.A.C. The transfer request will be initiated by the agency administering the fund. The transfer request will be delivered to the Division of Accounting and Auditing. If the request is approved, a copy of the approved transfer request will be emailed delivered to the Division of Treasury by the Division of Accounting and Auditing. The transfer will be effective the date it is approved by the Division of Accounting and Auditing.

(2) The Chief Financial Officer shall require a two working-day notice for a transfer back from the investment account to the eligible fund that exceeds \$10,000,000 if necessitated by a lack of liquidity. Notice by telephone followed by written confirmation will be acceptable.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.61, 17.65 FS. History–New 1-4-82, Formerly 4C-3.04, Amended 5-20-90, 3-14-94, Formerly 4C-3.004, Amended _____.

69C-3.006 Transfer of Funds from the Investment Account to an Eligible Fund.

(1) When funds are needed for disbursement out of an eligible fund it is the responsibility of the agency charged with administering the eligible fund to initiate the transfer of funds from the investment account back to the eligible fund. This transfer shall be initiated by logging into the investment account at https://www.fltreasury.org/treasury/fs 01sub.html or by telephone request to the Chief Financial Officer. The agency personnel with access to the investment account will enter the liquidation into the system. The state agency initiating the request shall file provide to the Chief Financial Officer a written list of persons authorized to initiate the transfer. This list shall be updated each fiscal year, or sooner if the initiating agency wants to make a change. Division of Treasury personnel will prepare the transfer on Form DFS-AA6 as adopted by Rule Chapter 69I 40, F.A.C., and will forward the transfer form to the Division of Accounting and Auditing. Transfer requests must be entered and received by 11:00 a.m., Tallahassee time, in order to be effected that day. As indicated in Rule 69C-3.004, F.A.C., a two working-day notice shall be required for transfers out of the investment account that exceed \$10,000,000.

(2) The State agency initiating the request shall, on a quarterly basis, file a Trust Fund Quarterly Certification Form, DFS-J2-2159 (effective 05/2015), which is hereby adopted and incorporated herein by reference. The form may be obtained at [insert link] or from the Bureau of Funds Management at the following address:

Department of Financial Services Bureau of Funds Management Operations Section Financial Administrator 200 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0344.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.61, 17.65 FS. History–New 1-4-82, Formerly 4C-3.06, Amended 5-20-90, 3-14-94, Formerly 4C-3.006, Amended _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Katherine Ward-Adkins, CPA, Financial Administrator, Division of Treasury, Bureau of Funds Management, Department of Financial Services

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jeff Atwater, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Financial Services

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 3, 2015

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July15, 2015

Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 61K1-3.016 Pre-Match Physical of Participant and Referee NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 40 No. 94, May 14, 2014 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The corrections are in response to concerns stated by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in letters dated May 29, 2014 and March 31, 2015 and to concerns stated by the Commission at its meeting on March 6, 2015. The corrections are as follows:

The corrections is needed to correct "Board" to "Commission" and to state that the proposed rule is a new rule and not an amendment:

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission Board proposes to promulgate and adopt the new rule amendment to to set forth obligations of professional licensees licensed under Chapter 548, F.S., by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensees and updating the rule to match industry standards.

SUMMARY: The new rule amendment will set forth obligations of professional licensees licensed under Chapter 548, F.S., by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensee and updating the rule to match industry standards.

The SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION shall read as:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF **ESTIMATED** REGULATORY AND COSTS LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The Commission determined that the rule in question may very well have some adverse impact on entities that will qualify as small business. A SERC has been prepared by the Commission. The Commission has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs. In summary, the rule will not adversely impact economic growth,

private-sector job creation or employment, or private-sector investments. The rule will not directly or indirectly increase regulatory costs in excess of \$1 million in the aggregate within 5 years after the implementation of the rule. The SERC prepared by the Commission staff estimates that the costs to small business will be approximately \$100,000 in one year and \$613,591 over five years. The Commission estimates that all licensed participants who are transgender and those individuals over 40 years of age will be required to comply with the rule. The Commission licensed one transgender participant and approximately 50 participants over the age of 40 in FY 12-13 in the State of Florida that will be required to comply with the rule. The Commission will not incur any cost for enforcing the proposed rule within its current workload with existing staff. No cost will be incurred by any other state or local government for enforcing the proposed rule. Transactional costs incurred by individuals who are required to comply with the requirements of the proposed rule will be minimal. The additional costs imposed upon the licensees who bear the primary costs of the rule provide protection by ensuring the health and safety of the participants prior to entering the ring to participate in a pugilistic event. These increases in costs are minimal compared to the additional security it provides for the safety of the participants. There is a minimal impact on small business.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
61K1-3.016	Pre-Match Physical of Participant and
	Referee
	NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 40 No. 94, May 14, 2014 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The corrections are in response to concerns stated by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in letters dated May 29, 2014 and March 31, 2015 and to concerns stated by the Commission at its meeting on March 6, 2015. The changes are as follows:

61K1-3.016(4)(i): Any indication that the participant is using or is under the influence of <u>a prohibited substance</u> <u>contained within Rule 61K1-3.017, F.A.C.</u> nareoties, drugs, stimulants, depressants, alcohol, local anesthetics or analgesics as to render the participant unable to recognize if the participant is seriously injured. If the physician finds any indication or evidence that the participant is using, is under the influence of unauthorized drugs or foreign substances such that the physician cannot make a definitive determination and therefore allows the match to proceed, the physician shall immediately advise the commission representative who shall ensure that a urine sample is taken and processed in accordance with Rule 61K1 3.017, F.A.C

61K1-3.016(4)(k)3.: Blindness defined as central visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the <u>better</u> worst eye with 20/40 or worse in the better eye with the best <u>possible</u> correction, possible in both eyes and/or <u>a</u> the widest diameter of the visual field <u>of</u> subtends an angular distance of no greater than 20 degrees <u>or less</u> in the better

61K1-3.016(8): Form BPR-0009-455, page 4, "Male Genitalia" and "Female Genitalia" have been deleted. Both sections are combined under the new section "Genitalia."

61K1-3.016(9)(a): (a) Any participant who is suspended and issued Form BPR-0009-478, "Order of Automatic Suspension", effective October 2012, as adopted in Rule 61K1-3.016, F.A.C., by the executive director, or any similar suspension issued by any other jurisdiction shall not participate until cleared by a physician licensed as an M.D. or D.O. A physician may extend a medical suspension any time he or she believes it to be in the best interest for the safety of a participant. In all cases, the decision by the physician at the pre-match physical to issue or extend a medical suspension is final and not reviewable;

61K1-3.016(10)(b)2.c.: (10) Transgender Participants (b) Transsexuals: Female to Male.

2. <u>An individual</u> <u>Individuals</u> undergoing sex reassignments from female to male after puberty may be eligible for participation in male matches under the following conditions:

c. Form DBPR FSBC 21, "Therapeutic Use Exemption and Medical Condition Explanation Form," March 2014, as adopted and incorporated in Rule 61K1 3.007, F.A.C. and a letter from the board certified physician responsible for the eare of the participant will need to be submitted to the commission, and shall include the following:

i. Initial date of hormone therapy for the assigned sex (male);

<u>ii. Date, location, surgeon, and surgical report of any</u> <u>surgery including breast reduction, gonadectomy,</u> <u>hysterectomy, or any other surgery involving genitalia;</u>

iii. Hormone name/type, dose, and interval of administration over the past two years;

v. Lab reports of estradiol and testosterone levels within the past two years with a goal of serum estradiol levels within the normal range for a healthy man and testosterone levels within the range for healthy men, as determined under lab specific ranges as set forth below;

vi. Name, dose, and duration of any anti estrogen treatment used over the past two years;

vii. Name, dose, and duration of any other medication used as part of the management of the transgender state.

<u>c.d.</u> No change.

i. through iii. No change.

- (I) No change.
- (II) No change.
- (III) No change.

61K1-3.016(10)(c)1.: Participants should submit laboratory data required above which has been drawn from the participant no more than 1 year 6 months prior to the match date, including one value within one month of the match. Participants shall not be permitted to participate if their estradiol or total testosterone levels are outside of the normal range. If a value is found to be out of the normal range, the participant shall take action to correct the level by repeating the laboratory test and/or adjusting medication appropriately, which must be documented in an additional Form DBPR FSBC 20, "Pre Licensure Physical Sheet" revised September, 2015 effective 2014, adopted and incorporated by reference in the rule 61K1-3.007 herein.

61K1-3.016(11): All medical information provided to the commission directly shall not be released to any individual or entity without prior disclosure to the participants and only for the express purpose of determining the ability to participate in a match. Such medical information may be released to ringside physicians or representatives of the commission or the commission office. Participants shall sign Form DBPR FSBC 20, "Pre-Licensure Physical Sheet", as a release to permit the commission to release the medical information to the necessary individuals prior to the match for the express purpose of determining fitness to participate in a match.

61K1-3.016(14): The executive director or his or her designee shall, <u>on medical advice</u> whenever necessary, require that a referee undergo a physical examination prior to acting as a referee in any match.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:61K1-3.017Drugs and Foreign Substances; Penalties
NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 41 No. 94, May 14, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The corrections are in response to concerns stated by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in letters dated May 29, 2014 and March 31, 2015 and concerns stated by the Commission at its meeting on March 6, 2015. The corrections are as follows:

The change is needed to correct "Board" to "Commission" and to state that the proposed rule is a new rule and not an amendment:

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission proposes the to promulgate and adopt the new rule to set forth obligations of professional licensees licensed under Chapter 548, F.S., by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensee and updating the rule to match industry standards.

SUMMARY: The new rule will set forth obligations of professional licensees licensed under Chapter 548, F.S., by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensee and updating the rule to match industry standards.

The SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION shall read as:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency. The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at the Commission meeting, the Commission determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. The rule will not have any impact on the licensees and their businesses or the business that employ them. The rule imposes no additional regulation or costs on licensees. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease the profit opportunities, will not require any specialized knowledge to comply, and will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
61K1-3.017	Drugs and Foreign Substances; Penalties

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 40 No. 94, May 14, 2014 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The corrections are in response to concerns stated by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in letters dated May 29, 2014 and March 31, 2015 and concerns stated by the Commission at its meeting on March 6, 2015. The changes are as follows:

The change is needed to correct the title for 61K1-3.017 to read as:

61K1 3.017 Drugs and Foreign Substances; Penalties

61K1-3.017(1)(b) shall read as:

(b) Beta 2 Agonist – provided it is selected from the following list and is in aerosol or inhalant form only: Drug Chemical Brand Name

<u>1.i.</u> No change. 2.ii. No change. 3.iii. No change. 4.iv. No change. (c)1. No change. (d)2. No change. (e)3. No change. (f)4. No change. (g)5. No change. (h)6. No change. (i)7. No change. (i)8. No change. (k)9. No change. (1)10. No change. (m)11. No change. (n)12. No change. (o)13. No change. (p)14. No change. (q)15. No change. (r)16. No change. (s)17. No change. (t)18. No change. (u)19. No change. (v)20. No change. (w)21. No change.

The correction is needed to renumber the rule correctly

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:61K1-3.018Emergency Equipment; Other Equipment
and Services

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 41 No. 115, June 15, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The change is in response to comments submitted by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in a letter dated June 29, 2015. The change is as follows:

61K1-3.018 Emergency Equipment; Other Equipment and Services.

61K1-3.018(2)(b)2. Shall read as:

2. Chairs, properly located in accordance with the floor plan and elevated to allow for unobstructed view as detailed in <u>Rule 61K1-3.019</u> in this section.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
61K1-3.019	Arena Equipment; Ring Requirements;
	Floor Plan and Apron Seating

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 41 No. 115, June 15, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The correction is in response to comments submitted by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in a letter dated June 19, 2015. The corrections are as follows:

The PURPOSE AND EFFECT shall read as:

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission proposes to promulgate and adopt the new rule to set forth the obligations for professional licensees licensed under Chapter 548, F.S., and by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensees and updating the rule to match industry standards.

The SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATGORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATIONS shall read as:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency. The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at the Commission meeting, the Commission determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. The rule will not have any impact on the licensees and their businesses or the business that employ them. The rule imposes no additional regulation or costs on licensees. The rule will not increase any fees, business, costs, personnel costs, will not decrease the profit opportunities, will not require any specialized knowledge to comply, and will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1016.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:61K1-3.026Disciplinary GuidelinesNOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 41 No. 126, June 30, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The correction is in response to comments submitted by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in a letter dated July 9, 2015. The correction is as follows:

The SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATGORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATIONS shall read as:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The Commission has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Commission. The Commission has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at the Commission meeting, the Commission determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. The rule will not have any impact on the licensees and their businesses or the business that employ them. The rule imposes no additional regulation or costs on licensees. The rule will not increase any fees, business, costs, personnel costs, will not decrease the profit opportunities, will not require any specialized knowledge to comply, and will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1016.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
61K1-3.026	Disciplinary Guidelines
	NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 41 No. 126, June 30, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The change is in response to comments submitted by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in a letter dated July 9, 2015. The changes are as follows:

61K1-3.026(1)(f), line one shall read as:

(f) Having failed to account for or pay over moneys belonging to o manager's possession in connection with a match (Section 548.071(6), F.S.)

61K1-3.026(1)(i), line one shall read as:

(i) Having loaned <u>his or her</u> manager's license or permit to another person or having borrowed or used the license or permit of another (Section 548.071(9), F.S.); 61K1-3.026(1)(m), Second Offense, under Maximum shall have a space placed between "or" and "\$5,000." MINIMUM SECOND OFFENSE S500 fine and probation Denial of licensure or \$5000 fine and revocation

61K-3.026(2)(d) shall read as: (d) Length of time licensee has practiced;

The rule shall be renumbered accordingly: (d)(e) No change. (e)(f) No change. (f)(g) No change. (g)(h) No change. (h)(i) No change. (j)(k) No change. (j)(k) No change. (l)(m) No change. (l)(m) No change.

"Rulemaking Authority" shall read as: <u>455.2273(3)</u>, 548.003. <u>548.071, 548.075</u> FS.

"Law Implemented" shall read as: <u>455.2273(3)</u>, 548.075 FS.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1016.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

State Boxing Commission

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
61K1-3.018	Emergency Equipment; Other Equipment
	and Services

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 41 No. 115, June 15, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The correction is in response to comments submitted by the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee in a letter dated June 29, 2015. The corrections are as follows:

The PURPOSE AND EFFECT shall read as:

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission proposes to promulgate and adopt the new rule to set forth the obligations for professional licenses licensed under Chapter <u>548</u> 458, F.S., and by moving the requirements to a chapter designated strictly for professional licensees and updating the rule to match industry standards.

The SUMMARY OF STATEMET OF ESTIMATED REGULATGORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATIONS shall read as:

OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED SUMMARY REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION: The Commission determined that the rule in question may very well have some adverse impact on entities that will qualify as small business. A SERC has been prepared by the Commission. The Commission has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs. In summary, the rule will not adversely impact economic growth, private-sector job creation or employment, or private-sector investments. The rule will not directly or indirectly increase regulatory costs in excess of \$1 million in the aggregate within 5 years after the implementation of the rule. The SERC prepared by the Commission staff estimates that the costs to small business will be approximately \$2,890 in one year and \$14,450 over five years. The Commission estimates that 27 licensed promoters in the State of Florida will be required to comply with the rule. The Commission will not incur any cost for enforcing the proposed rule within its current workload with existing staff. No cost will be incurred by any other state or local government for enforcing the proposed rule. Transactional costs incurred by individuals who are required to comply with the requirements of the proposed rule will be minimal. The additional costs imposed on promoters include the cost to hire paramedics and two ringside physicians to staff each professional event. The requirement of having paramedics and ring side physicians at each even is for the safety of the participants. These increases in costs are minimal compared to the additional security it provides for the safety of the participants. There is a minimal impact on small business.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Paul Waters, Executive Director, Florida State Boxing Commission, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 64B4-3.002 Documentation of Course Content Completed in Independent Study NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 41 No. 170, September 1, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Family Safety and Preservation Program

RULE NOS .:	RULE TITLES:
65C-41.001	Definitions
65C-41.002	Application Procedures for Readmission to
	Extended Foster Care
65C-41.003	Appeals
65C-41.004	Case Management Services For Young
	Adults in Extended Foster Care
65C-41.005	Judicial Interaction
65C-41.006	Discharge from Program
	NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 41 No. 143, July 24, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

65C-41.001 No change

65C-41.002 Application Procedures for Readmission to Extended Foster Care.

(1) Applications for readmission must be readily available to young adults. The application form to be used is "Application for Readmission into Extended Foster Care," CF-FSP 5377, <u>May 2015</u>, incorporated by reference, and available at

www.dcf.state.fl.us/dcfforms/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx.

A community-based care lead agency may add its logo to form CF-FSP 5377.

(2) through (5)(b) No change.

(5)(c) If the decision is to deny the application for extended foster care, the community-based care agency shall provide a "Notice of Denial for Readmission into Extended Foster Care," CF-FSP 5410, May 2015, incorporated by reference and available at www.dcf.state.fl.us/dcfforms/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx , and an "Application for Aftercare Services," CF-FSP 5391, <u>May 2015</u>, incorporated by reference in <u>Rule 65C-42.002</u>, <u>F.A.C.</u>, and available at <u>www.dcf.state.fl.us/dcfforms/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx</u>. A community-based care lead agency may add its logo to <u>form</u> <u>forms CF FSP 5391 and</u> CF-FSP 5410.

(5)(d) No change.

65C-41.003 No change.

Rulemaking Authority 39.012, 39.0121 F.S. Law Implemented 39.6251, 39.701 F.S. History–New_____.

65C-41.004 No change.

Rulemaking Authority 39.012, 39.0121 F.S. Laws Implemented 39.6035, 39.6251, 39.701(4)(a), F.S. History–New_____.

Rulemaking Authority 39.012, 39.0121 F.S. Law Implemented 39.6251, 39.701 F.S. History–New_____.

65C-41.006 Discharge from Program.

(1) No change.

(2) Notice of Adverse Action. The community-based care lead agency shall give timely and adequate written notice to the young adult regarding any decision to deny readmission or terminate participation in extended foster care.

(2)(a) through (2)(c) No change.

(2)(d) A "Request for Fair Hearing," CF-FSP 5380, August 2014, incorporated by reference and available at www.dcf.state.fl.us/dcfforms/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx,

and "Due Process Rights," CF/PI 175-74, incorporated by reference in 65C-41.005(3), F.A.C, shall be attached to the notice. A community-based care lead agency may add its logo to form CF-FSP 5380. <u>45 C.F.R. §205.10 is referred to on CF/PI 175-74 because the regulation requires states to provide for a system of fair hearings.</u> 45 C.F.R. §205.10, July 1992, is incorporated by reference and available at <u>http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/CFR-1997-title45-</u>

vol2/CFR-1997-title45-vol2-sec205-10/content-detail.html and

www.dcf.state.fl.us/dcfforms/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx. (2)(e) through (5)(b) No change.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Insurance Agents and Agency ServicesRULE NO.:RULE TITLE:69B-186.008Escrow Disbursements

⁶⁵C-41.005 No change.

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 41 No. 129, July 6, 2015 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69B-186.008, F.A.C.: Escrow Disbursements.

(1) For purposes of this rule, the term "settlement agent" refers to the title insurance licensee or licensee's designee who receives and disburses funds in accordance with Section 626.8473, F.S.

(2) Any person disbursing escrow funds being held as part of a real estate transaction in which one or more title policies are to be issued must provide the parties to the transaction with the information required by this rule.

(3) A written statement by the settlement agent must certify that he or she has reviewed the forms prepared for the transaction and agrees to disburse the escrow funds in accordance with the terms of the transaction and Florida law. Compliance with the aforementioned certification requires the settlement agent to certify to the truth of the following statement: "I have reviewed the Closing Disclosure, the settlement statement, the lender's closing instructions and any and all other forms concerned with the funds held in escrow, including any disclosure of the Florida title insurance premiums being paid, and I agree to disburse the escrow funds in accordance with the terms of this transaction and Florida law."

(4) The title agency must provide the parties to the transaction with the following information no later than the time such funds are disbursed:

(a) The name and license number of the title insurance agency issuing the title insurance policy and /or holding and disbursing the escrow funds. If there is more than one title agency involved in the transaction, a separate form is to be provided by each agency. Any agency not holding any escrow funds should disclose that to the parties to the transaction at this time.

(b) The name, and when applicable, the license number of the settlement agent responsible for disbursing the escrow funds.

(5) All buyers, borrowers and sellers involved in the transaction must provide written approval authorizing the holding of escrow funds and disbursement of escrow funds by the named title agency.

(6) In addition to the requirements listed above, the title insurance agency must provide the parties to the transaction with the following information when a Closing Disclosure form is completed by the lender and the cost for the title insurance policies being purchased differs from the premium calculated pursuant to Rule 69O-186.003, F.A.C. (a) A written comparison of the cost of the lender's policy versus the cost of an equivalent policy based on Florida premium rates. The cost comparison must clearly disclose the premiums being charged for all endorsements in addition to the base policy.

(b) All sellers, buyers and borrowers involved in the transaction must acknowledge and authorize in writing that the title insurance premiums will be disbursed from the escrow funds in accordance with the premium disclosure certification.

(7) Any form or forms that satisfy the requirements of this rule will be considered part of a title insurance and escrow transaction in Florida. Such form or forms will not constitute loan documents.

(8) A completed and signed copy of the approved form or forms must be:

(a) provided to the buyer, seller and lender who are named in the transaction, and

(b) maintained in the title insurance agency files for at least five (5) years.

(9) Form DFS-H1-2146, "Florida Insurance Premium Disclosure & Settlement Agent Certification," (Effective 10/03/2015), meets all of the requirements necessary to comply with this rule and is incorporated by reference herein. The form is available from the Department of Financial Services, Division of Insurance Agent and Agency Services, at http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/Agents.

Rulemaking Authority 624.308(1), 626.8473(6) FS. Law Implemented 626.8473 FS. History – New_____.

Section IV Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Suwannee River Water Management District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 30, 2015, the Suwannee River Water Management District, received a petition for variance from Philip J. Raymond, 4419 Burlington Ave N, St. Petersburg, FL 33713, pursuant to Section 120.542, F.S. Petitioner is seeking a variance from paragraph 40B-4.3030(1)(e), F.A.C., as to the District will not approve the issuance of permits for new roads within a work of the district which at any point along the road have a driving surface greater than one foot above adjacent natural ground elevations,

or result in a net fill within the floodway. Petitioner proposes to clear a 12-foot wide pathway for an access road, raising the natural grade of a dip in the proposed roadway approximately two to three feet in order level the uneven ground, and to fill in two sinkholes within the pathway, maintaining a new, constant elevation of 42 feet. Petitioner is also seeking variances from subsections 40B-4.3030(4) and (7), as to buildings in the floodway shall be elevated on piles without the use of fill such that the lowest structural member of the building is at an elevation at least one foot above the 100-year flood/ one percent annual chance of flood elevation, and as to no fill material shall be placed above the natural grade of the ground except for minor amounts of fill which are less than or equal to 100 square feet of the cross-sectional area of the floodway, respectively. Petitioner proposes to relocate approximately 4,600 cubic feet of dirt from one location on the property to another in order to raise the elevation of the ground beneath the proposed construction from 49 to 52 feet. The majority of the relocated dirt will have a cross-sectional area of approximately 114 square feet, and will taper down to the natural grade an additional 10 feet in all directions. The proposed building will be raised five feet from the new grade, with a final elevation only six and 3/16 inches above the 100vear flood elevation. The project is located in Suwannee County, in Township 3 South, Range 11 East, Section 17. The petitioner has been assigned WOD number WOD-121-225628-1, Lot 21 & 22 Suwannee River Terrace.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Tilda Musgrove, Business Resource Specialist, Suwannee River Water Management District, 9225 CR 49, Live Oak, FL 32060, (386)362-1001 or 1(800)226-1066 in Florida only.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 40E-6.011 Policy and Purpose

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 8, 2015, the South Florida Water Management District (District), received a petition for waiver from Mater Academy (Application No. 15-0529-2) for utilization of Works or Lands of the District known as the C-7 Extension Canal for the installation of parallel fencing (8' x 15') to be located along the top of the canal bank at all four bridge quadrants in conjunction with Mater Academy's proposed pedestrian bridge; Section 34 & 3, Township 52 & 53 South, Range 40 East, Miami-Dade County. The petition seeks relief from subsections 40E-6.011(4) and (6), Fla. Admin. Code, which govern the placement of permanent and semi-permanent above-ground structures within 40 feet of top of canal bank within Works or Lands of the District. A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Juli Russell at (561)682-6268 or email at jurussel@sfwmd.qov. The District will accept comments concerning the petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received by the end of business on the 14th day at the South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, MSC 1410, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, Attention: Juli Russell, Office of Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-1.004 General Sanitation and Safety Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 10, 2015, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurant, received a petition for an Emergency Variance for paragraph 61C-1.004(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code, Section 5-203.13, 2009 FDA Food Code, Paragraph 4-301.12(A), 2009 FDA Food Code, Paragraph 61C-4.010(5), Florida Administrative Code, Subparagraph 3-305.11(A)(2), 2009 FDA Food Code, and subsection 61C-4.010(1), Florida Administrative Code, from Sawgrass Grand located in Sunrise. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that at least one service sink is provided for the cleaning of mops or similar cleaning tools and the disposal of mop water: that each establishment have dishwashing facilities for manually washing, rinsing and sanitizing equipment and utensils are provided, and that each establishment have areas for food preparation and storage. They are requesting to share the mop sink, dishwashing, food preparation and food storage areas with another licensed food service establishment under the same ownership and on the same premise.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 5 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received before 5:00 p.m.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Lydia.Gonzalez@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION Division of Hotels and Restaurants RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 61C-4.010 Sanitation and Safety Requirements NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 8, 2015, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, received a petition for a Routine Variance for Subparagraph 3-305.11(A)(2), 2009 FDA Food Code, Section 3-305.14, 2009 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.15, 2009 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.16, 2009 FDA Food Code, subsection 61C-4.010(1), Florida Administrative Code, and subsection 61C-4.010(6), Florida Administrative Code, from Reina Peralta Martinez located in Orlando. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement for proper handling and dispensing of food. They are requesting to dispense bulk time/temperature control for safety foods other than frankfurters from an open air mobile food dispensing vehicle.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received before 5:00 p.m.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Lydia.Gonzalez@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

69K-18.004 Intern Training Agencies

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 4, 2015, the Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services received a petition for waiver of certain requirements of subsection 69K-18.004(3), FAC. The petition was filed on behalf of StoneMor Florida Subsidiary LLC d/b/a Vista Funeral Home, which is acquiring certain funeral establishments that are currently training agencies. StoneMor Florida Subsidiary LLC d/b/a Vista Funeral Home seeks a waiver such that the number of cases done by the prior owner of the funeral establishment should count against the requirement of the cited rule, so that the training agency status of the funeral establishments may be continued, thus preventing the imposition of serious hardship to the interns currently training at the said funeral establishment.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Jasmin Richardson at (850)413-3039.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Community Development

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

73C-23.0041 Application Process - General Information

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 9, 2015, the Department of Economic Opportunity received a petition for Waiver of paragraph 73C-23.0041(1)(c), F.A.C., from Suwannee County, Florida. Suwannee County seeks a waiver from the funding limit for Economic Development subgrants which determines the maximum amount of funds local governments can apply for in the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 E. Madison Street, MSC 110, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4128 or katie.zimmer@deo.myflorida.com.

Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Historical Resources

The Historic Preservation Grants Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2015 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. or until all work is completed; September 25, 2015, 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. or until all work is completed.

PLACE: Heritage Hall Auditorium, R.A. Gray Building, 500 South Bronough Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Historical Commission will conduct the fiscal year 2017 Special Category Grant Review and Ranking. If funded, these grants would be active from July 2016 to June 2018. Following the grant reviews, the Commission will hold a business meeting for the purposes of conducting commission business to assist the Division of Historical Resources in carrying out the purposes, duties, and responsibilities of the division.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Grants staff at 1(800)847-7278, email: BHPGrants@DOS.MyFlorida.com, or by visiting: dos.myflorida.com/historical/meetings-and-events/upcomingevents/. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Grants staff at 1(800)847-7278, email: BHPGrants@DOS.MyFlorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Grants staff at 1(800)847-7278, email: BHPGrants@DOS.MyFlorida.com or by visiting: dos.myflorida.com/historical/grants/.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Historical Resources

The Friends of Mission San Luis, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Finance and Investment Meeting, Thursday, September 24, 2015, 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Mission San Luis, 2100 W. Tennessee St., Tallahassee, FL 32304

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Friends of Mission San Luis will hold a meeting for the purposes of conducting Friends' business and assisting the Division of Historical Resources in carrying out the purposes, duties, and responsibilities of the division.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Diane Ogorzaly with the Division of Historical Resources at Diane.Ogorzaly@DOS.MyFlorida.com or (850)245-6388.

Under Florida law, email addresses are public records. If you do not want your email address released in response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 10, 2015, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: This meeting will be held via teleconference.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review applications for the Fast Track Grant Program.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470 or by visiting our website: www.florida-arts.org

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at (850)245.6490 or by email at Rachelle.Ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Division of Cultural Affairs and the Florida Council on Arts and Culture announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: September 30, 2015, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m., resuming October 1, 9:00 a.m. until conclusion

PLACE: Cummer Museum and Gardens, 829 Riverside Ave, Jacksonville, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and score applications for the 2016-2017 Cultural Facilities Grant Program.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Division of Cultural Affairs website: www.florida-arts.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at (850)245-6490, Rachelle.Ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Division of Cultural Affairs and the Florida Council on Arts and Culture announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 1, 2015, 9:00 a.m. or upon conclusion of the Cultural Facilities Panel Meeting

PLACE: Cummer Museum, 829 Riverside Ave, Jacksonville FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss, review and take action on funding recommendations for grants and any other business which may appropriately come before the Council. Council members must be present in order to vote. Note: If a quorum of members does not attend, items on the agenda for formal action will be discussed as a workshop by those present, and written minutes will be taken although no formal action will be taken. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Division of Cultural Affairs website at www.florida-arts.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at (850)245-6490 or Rachelle.Ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: The Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Consumer Services

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2015, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Plantation on Crystal River, 9301 West Fort Island Trail, Crystal River, FL 34429

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting is of the Florida LP Gas Advisory Board to discuss industry related issues.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Susan Coxen, Bureau of Standards at (850)921-1545.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Susan Coxen at (850)921-1545. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Consumer Services

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2015, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Plantation on Crystal River, 9301 West Fort Island Trail, Crystal River, FL 34429

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the Florida Propane Gas Education, Safety and Research Council and representatives of the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to discuss and review council programs and budget issues. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Susan Coxen, Bureau of Standards at (850)921-1545.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Susan Coxen at (850)921-1545. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

The State Board of Education announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 21, 2015, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: The SEED School of Miami, 15800 NW 42nd Avenue, FIU/FMU Auditorium, Miami Gardens, FL 33054.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The meeting agenda will consist of approval of minutes of the State Board meeting held August 26, 2015. Updates will be provided by Superintendent Alberto Carvalho on behalf of the Florida Association of District School Superintendents and President Charles Meadows on behalf of the Council of Presidents. Items for consideration include action relating to the following: Amendment to Rule 6A-4.002, General Provisions; Amendment to Rule 6A-4.0021, Florida Teacher Certification Examinations: Repeal of Rule 6A-5.090. Content Area Reading Professional Development and Next Generation Content Area Professional Development; Repeal of Rule 6A-6.054, K-12 Student Reading Intervention Requirements; and Amendment to Rule 6A-6.09091, Accommodations of the Statewide Assessment Program Instruments and Procedures for English Language Learners. Other items include: Approval of Florida College System - Performance Funding Improvement Plans: Daytona State College, Pensacola State College, College of Central Florida, Pasco-Hernando State College, and Northwest Florida State College and Approval of Amendment to the Contract between the State Board of Education and SEED School of Miami, Inc.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Cathy Schroeder at (850)245-9661 or cathy.schroeder@fldoe.org, or by visiting the Department's website at: http://www.fldoe.org/policy/state-board-of-edu/meetings. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least seven days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cathy Schroeder at (850)245-9661 or cathy.schroeder@fldoe.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Cathy Schroeder at (850)245-9661 or cathy.schroeder@fldoe.org.

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

The Investment Advisory Council (IAC) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 28, 2015, 1:00 p.m. until completion of agenda.

PLACE: The Hermitage Centre, Hermitage Conference Room, at 1801 Hermitage Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regularly scheduled quarterly meeting of the Investment Advisory Council. The IAC is a nine-member advisory council, which reviews the investments made by the staff of the State Board of Administration and makes recommendations to the board regarding investment policy, strategy, and procedures. The IAC operates under s. 215.444 of the Florida Statutes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Diane Bruce at (850)413-1253 or diane.bruce@sbafla.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: James Linn at (850)413-1166 or james.linn@sbafla.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

North Central Florida Regional Planning Council The North Central Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2015, 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites, Suwannee Room, 213 Southwest Commerce Boulevard, Lake City, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Clearinghouse Committee of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: North Central Florida Regional Planning Council, 2009 NW 67th Place, Gainesville, Florida 32653-1603. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 business days before the workshop/meeting by calling (352)955-2200. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

North Central Florida Regional Planning Council

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PLACE: Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites, Olustee Room, 213 Southwest Commerce Boulevard, Lake City, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Executive Committee of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: North Central Florida Regional Planning Council, 2009 NW 67th Place, Gainesville, Florida 32653-1603.

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REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

North Central Florida Regional Planning Council

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DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2015, 6:30 p.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites, Suwannee Room, 213 Southwest Commerce Boulevard, Lake City, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Regional Planning Committee of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: North Central Florida Regional Planning Council, 2009 NW 67th Place, Gainesville, Florida 32653-1603.

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REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

North Central Florida Regional Planning Council

The North Central Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2015, 7:30 p.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites, Suwannee Room, 213 Southwest Commerce Boulevard, Lake City, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

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METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS

Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization

The Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2015, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Board Room of the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization, Trade Centre South, 100 West Cypress Creek Road, Suite 850, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct a Regular Business meeting of the Local Coordinating Board for Transportation Disadvantaged Services (LCB).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained at the Broward MPO website, http://www.browardmpo.org/about-us/agendas-minutes.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 10 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Priscila Clawgesat (954)876-0047, clawgesp@browardmpo.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

The Agency for Health Care Administration announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 18, 2015; 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: This meeting will be held via online webinar which requires a telephone for audio. To join the webinar go to www.joinwebinar.com and enter webinar ID: 119-864-027. For audio, dial 1(888)670-3525 and enter the participant code: 900 967 2762. If you have any difficulty accessing the teleconference, please call the Florida Center's main number at (850)412-3730.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the State Consumer Health Information and Policy Advisory Council to which all interested parties are invited. The purpose is to conduct a meeting of key health care stakeholders to discuss issues relating to implementing Florida Statutes mandating transparency in health care through public reporting of health care data.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The agenda will be posted on the Agency website seven (7) days prior to the meeting: http://ahca.myflorida.com/SCHS/CommiteesCouncils/SCHIP/ chismeetings.shtml.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by

Jennifer contacting: Miller, Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis at Jennifer.Miller@ahca.myflorida.com or (850)412-3735. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Jennifer Miller, Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis at Jennifer.Miller@ahca.myflorida.com or (850)412-3735.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

The Agency for Health Care Administration announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 13, 2015; 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee, Florida 32308; teleconference: 1(877)809-7264, participant code 78822163#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Agency for Health Care Administration will hold its annual Post Award Forum on Florida's Family Planning (FP) program. The annual Post Award Forum provides stakeholders the opportunity to provide meaningful comment on the progress of the FP program. The FP program operates under the authority of an 1115 waiver approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The Post Award Forum will be held during the Medical Care Advisory Committee meeting from 2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 13, 2015. Topics to be discussed include: review of the 1115 FP Waiver. There will be an opportunity for public comment at the forum. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Carla Sims, (850)412-4013, Carla.Sims@ahca.myflorida.com. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Carla Sims, (850)412-4013, Carla.Sims@ahca.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

The Agency for Health Care Administration announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 13, 2015, 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee, Florida 32308. Teleconference: 1(888)670-3525, participant code 3715274100#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Agency for Health Care Administration will hold its annual Post Award Forum on Florida's Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) program. The annual Post Award Forum provides stakeholders the opportunity to provide meaningful comment on the progress of the MMA program. The MMA program operates under the authority of an 1115 waiver approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The Post Award Forum will be held during the Medical Care Advisory Committee meeting from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 13, 2015. Topics to be discussed include: review of legislation that created the MMA program, overview of the 1115 MMA Waiver, the MMA program implementation and next steps. There will be an opportunity for public comment at the forum.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Carla Sims, (850)412-4013, Carla.Sims@ahca.myflorida.com. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Carla Sims, (850)412-4013, Carla.Sims@ahca.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

The Florida Building Commission, "the Commission", Code Administration Technical Advisory Committee, announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 5, 2015, 1:00 p.m. until completion.

PLACE: Teleconference and webinar; access the teleconference number for audio only and the webinar for visual only. To join the online meeting (please note the access is different than previous meetings):

Code Admin / Plumbing TACs: join the meeting at https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/379347981. To call ; in U.S. (toll-free): 1(877)309-2070; access code, 379-347-981; audio PIN, shown after joining the meeting; meeting ID, 379-347-981. Online Meetings Made Easy®: Not at your computer? Click the link to join this meeting from your iPhone®, iPad®, Android® or Windows Phone® device via the GoToMeeting app.

Public point of access: Florida Building Commission, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Northwood Centre, Suite 90A, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting to be held concurrently with the Plumbing TAC to consider and discuss the following request for Declaratory Statement, DS2015-106 by Michael Wilson of Pipeline Technologies, Inc.; The Code Administration TAC will take up separately, DS2015-092 by Andrew Lovenstein representing Bracken Engineering, Inc., and other business for the Commission as listed on the agenda.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Marlita Peters, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Suite 90, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, call (850)717-1824 or visit the calendar on our website at: http://www.floridabuilding.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 10 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Barbara Bryant, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, phone (850)487-1824 or fax (850)414-8436. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

The Florida Building Commission, "the Commission", Plumbing Technical Advisory Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 5, 2015, 1:00 p.m. until

PLACE: Plumbing TACs / Code Admin: join meeting at https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/379347981; in U.S. (toll-free): 1(877)309-2070; access code 379-347-981, audio PIN shown after joining meeting, meeting ID 379-347-981. Online Meetings Made Easy® Not at your computer? Click the link to join this meeting from your iPhone®, iPad®, Android® or Windows Phone® device via the GoToMeeting app.

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GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting to be held concurrently with the Code Administration TAC to consider and discuss the following request for Declaratory Statement, DS2015-106 by Michael Wilson of Pipeline Technologies, Inc.; The Code Administration TAC will take up separately, DS2015-092 by Andrew Lovenstein representing Bracken Engineering, Inc., and other business for the Commission as listed on the agenda. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Chip Sellers, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Suite 90, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399; call (850)717-1824 or visit the calendar on our website at: http://www.floridabuilding.org.

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Florida Building Commission

The Florida Building Commission, "the Commission", Structural Technical Advisory Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 6, 2015, 2:00 p.m. until completion.

PLACE: Teleconference number for audio only, webinar for visual only. To join the online meeting GoToMeeting® Online Meetings Made Easy® is a newly contracted vendor. Please note that access has changed:

Structural TAC

1.Jointhemeeting:https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/642845157

2. Call-in: U.S. toll-free 1(877)309-2073, access code 642-845-157, audio PIN shown after joining meeting, meeting ID 642-845-157.

Public point of access: Florida Building Commission, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Northwood Centre, Suite 90A, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and consider a request for Declaratory Statement: DS2015-092 by Andrew Lovenstein for Bracken Engineering, Inc., and other business for the Commission as stated on the agenda.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Joe Bigelow, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Suite 90, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399. Call (850)487-1824 or visit the calendar on our website at: http://floridabuilding.org/c/default.aspx.

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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

The Florida Building Commission, "the Commission", Roofing Technical Advisory Committee, announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 6, 2015, 9:00 a.m. until completion.

PLACE: You must access both the teleconference number for audio only and the webinar for visual only. To join the online meeting:

Roofing TAC:

1. Join meeting Tuesday, October 6, 2015 at 9:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time:

https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/793589757

2.Teleconference: U.S. toll-free 1(866)899-4679, access code 793-589-757, audio PIN shown after joining the meeting, meeting ID: 793-589-757.

Public point of access: Florida Building Commission, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Northwood Centre, Suite 90A, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To consider and discuss the following request for Declaratory Statement: DS2015-109 by Robin Davies of Bracken Engineering, Inc., and other business for the Commission as stated on the agenda.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Robert Benbow, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Suite 90, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, call (850)487-1824 or visit the calendar on our website at: http://floridabuilding.org/c/default.aspx.

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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

The Florida Building Commission, "The Commission", Accessibility Advisory Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 1, 2015, 2:00 p.m. until completion

PLACE: Access the webinar for visual ability only and the teleconference number for audio ability only.

Accessibility Advisory Council:

1.Joinmeetingathttps://global.gotomeeting.com/join/208894237

2. Call in U.S. toll-free at 1(866)899-4679; access code 208-894-237; audio PIN Shown after joining the meeting; meeting ID 208-894-237

Public point of access: Florida Building Commission, Office of Codes and Standards, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Northwood Centre, Suite 90A, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To consider and provide recommendations to the Commission regarding requests for waivers (as listed below) and other business for the Commission in accordance with the Council's agenda.

1. North Trail RV Sales Center, 5270 Orange River Blvd, Fort Myers

2. Sobe Village Condominium, 440 14th Street & 1355 Drexel Ave., Miami Beach

3. Floor Masters, Hwy 301, Wildwood

4. CAUBERY LLC, 8118 Harding Ave, Miami Beach

5. Alton Suite Hotel, 801, 9807 & 815 Alton Road, Miami Beach

6. Tavern on Tennessee, 1717 West Tennessee Street, Tallahassee

7. Sola Miami Collins Ave, 7403 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach

8. 4651 SW 72nd Avenue, Miami

9. The Ballpark of the Palm Beaches, 5300 Haverhill Road, West Palm Beach

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Office of the Secretary

The Florida Greenways and Trails Council announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 1, 2015, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Carr Building Room 170, 3800 Commonwealth Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-3000

DATE AND TIME: October 2, 2015, 8:00 a.m. (continuation of meeting)

PLACE: Carr Building Room 170, 3800 Commonwealth Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-3000

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct general business of the Council and consider designation of the following proposed project as a component of the Florida Greenways and Trails System: Holmes Creek Paddling Trail Extension. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Britney Moore, Office of Greenways and Trails, Division of Recreation and Parks, Florida Department of Environmental Commonwealth Protection, 3800 Boulevard, MS 795. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, email: Britney.Moore@dep.state.fl.us, telephone: (850)245-3069. The agenda and meeting materials will be available and posted Office of Greenways and the Trails' website (FloridaGreenwaysandTrails.com) 7 days prior to the meetings.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Britney Moore, Office of Greenways and Trails, Division of Recreation and Parks, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 3800 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, MS 795. email: Britney.Moore@dep.state.fl.us, telephone: (850)245-3069. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Division of Community Health Promotion, Florida Coordinating Council for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing/Web Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 21, 2015, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference call only: 1(888)670-3525, conference code 6218745338#

Communication Access Real-Time Translation Services: (CART) will be provided remotely via: http://www.streamtext.net/text.aspx?event=FCCDHH

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of the Florida Coordinating Council for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing website and other social media opportunities.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: John Escoto, (850)245-4913 or Kim Ingram, (850)245-4330, Florida Department of Health.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Chronic Disease Prevention announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: September 22, 2015, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Health (Prather Building), 2585 Merchants Row Blvd. Room 135Q, Tallahassee, FL 32301

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Data discussion pertinent to development of Florida's diabetes report as required by 385.203, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jamie Forrest, (850)245-4330.

For more information, you may contact: Jamie Forrest, Florida Department of Health, (850)245-4330.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

The Collier County Community Alliance announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 15, 2015, November 17, 2015 at 12:00 noon

PLACE: Collier County Government Complex, 3301 Tamiami Trail East, Building L, 5th Floor, Naples, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Ongoing Collier County Alliance business.

Members recommended Bylaw changes (i.e., term limits) on July 31, 2014 to commence on January 20, 2015.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Stephanie Jones at (239)895-0257

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES Division of Treasury

The Department of Financial Services (DFS), Division of Treasury announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 18, 2015, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (ET)

PLACE: Hermitage Center, 1801 Hermitage Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Presentation & Negotiation Session pursuant to Section 287.057(5), F.S., for Third Party Administrator services.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Gloriann McInnis at gloriann.mcinnis@myfloridacfo.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Gloriann McInnis at gloriann.mcinnis@myfloridacfo.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

OTHER AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Area Agency on Aging of Central Florida, Inc. dba Senior Resource Alliance

The Area Agency on Aging of Central Florida, Inc. dba Senior Resource Alliance announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2015, 12:00 noon

PLACE: Conference Room-Senior Resource Alliance, 988 Woodcock Rd., Suite 200 Orlando FL 32803

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public hearing to provide an opportunity for input on the issues facing older adults, caregivers, and the disabled in Central Florida. Recommendations will be incorporated into the Area Plan on Aging update for 2016.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Tracy Schooley, Administrative Assistant

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: . If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Sarah Lightell (407)514-1816 or <u>s</u>arah.lightell@sraflorida.org

OTHER AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

The Actuarial & Underwriting Committee of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 29, 2015, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Sheraton Orlando North, 600 N Lake Destiny Drive, Maitland, FL 32751 or via teleconference: 1(866)361-7525 Participant Code: 8632017402#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Business before the Actuarial & Underwriting Committee.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Connie Bryan (904)208-7238 or by visiting our website: www.citizensfla.com Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Connie Bryan (904)208-7238. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Connie Bryan (904)208-7238 or visit our website: www.citizensfla.com

OTHER AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS Enterprise Florida. Inc.

The Florida Development Finance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 16, 2015, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: South Conference Room, Enterprise Florida, Inc., 800 North Magnolia Avenue, Suite 1100, Orlando, FL 32803

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting will discuss the following:

• 07/21 Meeting Minutes

• 08/05 Meeting Minutes

• Budget FY2015-16

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bill Spivey at (407)956-5695

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 1 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Bill Spivey at (407)956-5695. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Bill Spivey at (407)956-5695

OTHER AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.

Osceola County announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 24, 2015, 5:30 p.m.

PLACE: Osceola County Administrative Building, Commission Chambers (4th Floor), 1 Courthouse Square, Kissimmee, FL 34741

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Osceola County is conducting a Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study for Carroll Street from John Young Parkway to Michigan Avenue in Osceola County (FPID Number: 433204-1-28-01, PS Number: 14-031612-FH). The PD&E Study involves developing and evaluating alternatives to widen the existing roadway and possibly adding a median. This Alternatives Public Meeting is being conducted to give interested persons an opportunity to discuss with the staff the alternatives that are being considered. Please visit the project website for more information at www.ImproveCarrollStreet.com.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Joedel Zaballero, P.E., PTOE, Project Manager, Osceola County Public Works, 1 Courthouse Square, Kissimmee, Florida 34741, (407)742-0623 or joedel.zaballaro@osceola.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Joedel Zaballero, P.E., PTOE, Project Manager, Osceola County Public Works, 1 Courthouse Square, Kissimmee, Florida 34741, (407)742-0623 or joedel.zaballaro@osceola.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Ms. Joedel Zaballero, P.E., PTOE, Project Manager, Osceola County Public Works, 1 Courthouse Square, Florida 34741, (407)742-0623, joedel.zaballero@osceola.org, or visit the project website at www.ImproveCarrollStreet.com.

OTHER AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Carpe Diem Community Solutions, Inc.

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 29, 2015, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. EDT

PLACE: Wakulla One Stop Community Center, Crawfordville Room, 318 Shadeville Road, Crawfordville.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The intent of this project is to widen 2.2 miles of State Road (S.R.) 369 (Crawfordville Highway) from two to four lanes, from north of S.R. 267 to south of the Leon County line in Wakulla County. Stormwater management facilities and safety upgrades are included. The project is funded for right-of-way acquisition, and construction is anticipated to begin summer 2018.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FDOT General Consultant Project Manager, Noelle Warren, P.E., toll-free at (866)855-7275 or via email at noelle.warren@atkinsglobal.com. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: FDOT General Consultant Project Manager, Noelle Warren, P.E., toll-free at (866)855-7275 or via email at noelle.warren@atkinsglobal.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). For more information, you may contact: Ian Satter, District Three Public Information Director, toll-free at (888)638-0250, ext. 1205 or via email at ian.satter@dot.state.fl.us.

Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Agency for Health Care Administration has received the petition for declaratory statement from Caring Associates, Inc.

The petition seeks a declaratory statement containing the Agency's opinion of the proper interpretation of the "Qualification" section from Chapter 1 of the Florida Medicaid Home Health Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook, October 2014, at 1 - 6, as to whether Caring Associates, Inc., which has not been accredited by one of the three largest accrediting organizations, has met the Medicare Conditions of Participation. Responses, motions to intervene, or requests for any agency hearing, must be filed within 21 days of this Notice. §120.54(5)(b)6, Fla. Stat.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Richard Shoop, Agency Clerk Agency for Health Care Administration 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, MS #3 Tallahassee, Florida 32308

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES Finance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 10, 2015 the Office of Financial Regulation has declined to rule on the petition for declaratory statement filed by Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Puerto Rico, Inc., on June 16, 2015. The following is a summary of the agency's declination of the petition:

The petition sought a declaratory statement from the Office on whether Petitioner's business activities (to help debtors create a plan for payment and/or adjustment of their debts, and to obtain the agreement of creditors to accept payment under that plan) fall within Florida's money transmitting licensing statute Chapter 560, Florida Statutes. A declaratory statement is not available to Petitioner because Petitioner is seeking approval of acts which have already occurred or are ongoing. Petitioner currently operates in Florida and performs the aforementioned activities. Any further analysis is unnecessary and the Office therefore makes no determination regarding the merits of Petitioner's arguments. Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, Petitioner, Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Puerto Rico, Inc., request for Declaratory Statement is hereby denied.

A copy of the Order Declining of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889.

Please refer all comments to: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889.

Section VIII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filled with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filled with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Adminstrative Procedures Committee

NONE

Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Florida Agriculture and Mechanical University NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS / CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS

Florida A&M University announces that professional services for Continuing Contract projects are required for one up to three selections in each of the following discipline(s): Architects (1-3), Civil Engineers (1-3), Construction Managers (1-3) MEP (1-3). Continuing Contract projects are specific projects for renovations, alterations, and additions that have a basic construction budget estimated to be \$2,000,000 or less, or studies for which the fee for professional services is \$200,000 or less. Professional fees will be negotiated up to, but shall not exceed the following hourly rated: \$150 -Principal A/E, \$115 - Registered A/E, \$55 - Graduate A/E, \$50 - CAD, and \$40 - Clerical Support. The Construction Manager's fee for each Sub-project shall be negotiated based on the scope of the project, but shall not exceed 15% of the Cost of the Work. These rates are the maximums and could be subject to audit. Campus Service contracts for Continuing Contract projects provide that the consultant will be available on an as-needed basis for an initial contract period of one (2) year (contractual signing date as determine by University) with an Owner's option to renew for one (1) additional year at a time up to a total of two (2) additional years. Under Architectural services. the Engineering services (mechanical/electrical/Plumbing, structural and civil) required for specific projects shall be provided as part of basic services through the selected Architect(s) based upon project need. Use of FAMU continuing service engineers by the selected Architect(s) shall be encouraged. The consultant(s) receiving the award may not have exclusive contract to perform services for these projects. The University may have additional continuing service professionals under contract during the same time period. Blanket professional liability insurance shall be required for the contract. Performance and Payment Bonds shall be provided for individual construction projects exceeding \$100,000 and liability and worker's compensation insurance shall be required for the contract. Builder's Risk insurance may be required for specific projects that are awarded based upon competitive proposals from Continuing Service construction managers under contract and may include projects that are negotiated individually with a specific construction manager. Services required to be provided under the Continuing Services Contracts include the development of record drawings by the Continuing Service Consultant for projects designed by the Architect/Engineer or services provided by the Construction Management consultant to reflect as-built conditions to facilitate the University's space management program. Firms desiring to provide professional services shall apply by letter specifying the discipline for which they are applying. Proximity of location will be a prime factor in the selection of the firm.

Attach to each letter of application:

1. A completed "Professional Qualifications Supplement" (PQS); or "Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement" (CMQS); form is to be obtained from the FAMU Facilities Planning & Construction Office and/or FAMU Facilities Planning& Construction website: http://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?FacilitiesPlanning&Professio nalServiceGuide. Applications on any other form will not be considered.

2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board. An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be properly chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Submit Six (6) ring, comb or spiral (no hard, solid or tack) bound copies of the requested data in the order listed above. Applications which do not comply with the above instructions will not be considered. Application material will not be returned.

The plans and specifications for A/E projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$25,000 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

FAMU is an equal opportunity institution, and, as such, strongly encourages the lawful use of Certified Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (MBE's / WOBE's) in the provision of design and construction-related services by providing a fair and equal opportunity to compete for, or for participation in, design and/or construction-related services.

Professional or Construction Manager Qualification Supplements and selection criteria may be obtained by contacting: Craig Talton, Interim Director, Facilities Planning and Construction Office, email: craig.talton@famu.edu, FAX a request to (850)561-2289, or by phone: (850)412-7509. Submittals must be received in the Office of Facilities Planning and Construction, Florida A&M University, Plant Operations Facility, Building A, Suite 100, 2400 Wahnish Way, Tallahassee, FL 32307, Attn: Craig Talton, Interim Director, by 10:00 a.m. local time, on October 14, 2015. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

Section XII Miscellaneous

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION State Revolving Fund Program NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY FLORIDA CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION NOTICE CITRUS COUNTY

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has determined that the Citrus County project involving construction of 12 miles of water distribution and transmission piping for the connection of arsenic contaminated private wells is not expected to generate controversy over potential environmental effects. The total estimated construction cost is \$2,424,243. The project may qualify for a Drinking Water State Revolving Fund loan composed of federal and state funds. DEP will consider public comments about the environmental impacts of the proposed project that are postmarked or delivered at the address below within 30 days of this notice. A full copy of the Florida Categorical Exclusion Notice can be obtained by writing to: Greg Alfsen, Project Manager, SRF Program, Department of Environmental Protection. 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., MS 3505. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, calling (850)245-2983 or emailing gregory.alfsen@dep.state.fl.us.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Medicine

Notice of Emergency Action

On September 10, 2015, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction of License with regard to the license of Doro Peled, M.D., License # ME 77763. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2015). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Notice of Emergency Action

On September 10, 2015, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Suspension of License with regard to the license of Terri Rae Walters, L.P.N., License # PN 1304651. This Emergency Suspension Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2015). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Notice of Emergency Action

On September 10, 2015, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction of License with regard to the license of Martha Ann Zolt, R.N., License # RN 9174801. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2015). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Notice of Emergency Action

On September 10, 2015, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction of License with regard to the license of Joseph Anthony Latka, R.N., License # RN 9239406. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2015). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Notice of Emergency Action

On September 10, 2015, State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction of Certification with regard to the certificate of Kevin M. Meyers, C.N.A., Certificate # CNA 201640. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes. (2015). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Community Development

Final Order No.: DEO-15-143

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity issued Final Order No. DEO-15-143 on September 9, 2015, in response to an application submitted by the Walden Lake Fairway Villas Property Owners' Association, Inc. for covenant revitalization under Chapter 720, Part III, Florida Statutes.

The Department's Final Order denied the application for covenant revitalization after determining that the application did not meet the statutory requirements for covenant revitalization.

Copies of the final order may be obtained by writing to the Agency Clerk, Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 E. Madison Street, MSC 110, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4128 or Katie.zimmer@DEO.MyFlorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Community Development

Notice of Withdrawal of Petition for Waiver

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

73C-23.0041: Application Process - General Information NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity has received a Notice of Withdrawal of Petition for Waiver of paragraph 73C-23.0041(1)(c), F.A.C., from Suwannee County, Florida. Suwannee County seeks to withdraw their request for waiver from the funding limit for Economic Development subgrants filed with the Department on July 14, 2015. The Withdrawal was filed with the Department's agency clerk on September 10, 2015.

A copy of the Petition for Waiver may be obtained by writing to the Agency Clerk, Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 E. Madison Street, MSC 110, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4128 or katie.zimmer@deo.myflorida.com.

Section XIII Index to Rules Filed During Preceeding Week

NOTE: The above section will be published on Tuesday beginning October 2, 2012, unless Monday is a holiday, then it will be published on Wednesday of that week.