

statute. Accordingly, the petitions for waiver of subsection 64E-3.004(2), F.A.C., from the above-named petitioners have been Granted.

A copy of the orders may be obtained from: Elizabeth B. Hines, Executive Director, Certification Unit of EMT/Paramedic and Radiologic Technology, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C85, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3285.

Section VI Notices of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

The following state governmental agencies, boards and commissions announce a public meeting to which all persons are invited:

State Board of Administration
Financial Services Commission
Department of Veterans' Affairs
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles
Department of Law Enforcement
Department of Revenue
Department of Education
Administration Commission
Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission
Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund
Department of Environmental Protection

DATE AND TIME: October 3, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Regular scheduled meeting of the Governor and Cabinet

The State Board of Administration will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which may include such matters as Executive Director's reports; approval of fiscal sufficiency of state bond issues; approval of sale of local bonds at an interest rate in excess of statutory interest rate limitation; report on investment performance; designation of banks as depositories for state funds; adoption of rules and regulations; investment of state funds pursuant to Chapter 215, F.S.; and consideration of other matters within its authority pursuant to Chapters 215 and 344, F.S., and Section 16 of Article IX of the Florida Constitution of 1885, as continued by subsection 9(c) of Article XII of the Florida Constitution of 1968. The Division of Bond Finance of the State Board of Administration will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which will deal with the issuance of State bonds, arbitrage compliance and related matters.

The Financial Services Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include, but not be limited to, matters relating to rulemaking for all activities concerning insurers and other risk bearing entities, including

licensing, rates, policy forms, market conduct, claims, adjusters, issuance of certificates of authority, solvency, viatical settlements, premium financing, and administrative supervision, as provided under the Insurance Code or Chapter 636, F.S., and for all activities relating to the regulation of banks, credit unions, other financial institutions, finance companies, and the securities industry.

The Department of Veterans' Affairs will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include the administration of the Department as well as actions taken to further the Department's mission of providing assistance to veterans and their dependents, pursuant to Section 292.05, F.S.

The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which may include such matters as approval of agency policies, taking agency action with regard to administrative procedure matters, and considering other matters within its authority pursuant to Florida Statutes.

The Department of Law Enforcement will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include but not be limited to such matters as transfer of agency funds or positions, formulation of Departmental Rules, administrative procedure matters, submittal of reports as required, enter into contracts as authorized and to consider other matters within its authority pursuant to Chapters 20, 23, 120 and 943, F.S.

The Department of Revenue will act on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include approval of rules, legislative concept proposals, contracts over \$100,000, Departmental budgets, taking final action on formal and informal hearings under Chapter 120, F.S., and consideration of other matters within its authority.

The Department of Education will finalize agency action on the business of the Florida Department of Education.

The Administration Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include such matters as to create or transfer agency funds or positions, approve Career Service rules, administrative procedure matters, environmental matters arising under Chapter 380, F.S., comprehensive planning issues pursuant to Section 163.3184, F.S., determine sheriffs' budget matters, and consider other matters within its authority pursuant to Chapters 110, 215 and 216, F.S.

The Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda including appeals of local government development orders in areas of critical state concern or of developments of regional impact under Section 380.07, F.S.; and review of water management matters under Chapter 373, F.S. The Commission will also review Department of Environmental Protection's rules and orders which, prior to July 1, 1993, the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the head of the Department of Natural Resources, had authority to issue or promulgate.

The Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include such matters as mineral leases or sales, state or sovereign land leases, sales, exchanges, dedications, and easements, Conservation and Recreation Lands (CARL) and other land purchases; land planning matters and other matters within its authority. Additionally, the Board will take action on matters presented by the Marine Fisheries Commission as set forth in Sections 370.025, 370.026 and 370.027, F.S., and matters pertaining to the Office of Greenways Management, the Office responsible for the management of lands which formerly fell within the Cross Florida Barge Canal project corridor.

The Department of Environmental Protection, while not a Cabinet agency, will present for consideration on its agenda those matters required by law to be reviewed by the Governor and Cabinet and those pertaining to the siting of power plants, electric and natural gas transmission lines and hazardous waste facilities; coastal zone management consistency and standards adopted by the Environmental Regulation Commission.

A copy of any of the above agendas (when applicable) may be obtained by contacting each agency.

Accommodations can be made for persons with disabilities provided several days' notification is received. Please notify the Governor's Cabinet Office, (850)488-5152.

The Governor and Cabinet will proceed through each agenda, item by item, in the order given above.

CABINET AIDES BRIEFING: On the Wednesday of the week prior to the above meeting, there will be a meeting of the aides to the Governor and Cabinet Members at 9:00 a.m., Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida. The purpose of this briefing is to review and gather information regarding each agenda to be considered by the Governor and Cabinet.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The **Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs**, announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 29, 2006, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Miami-Dade County Health Department, 8323 N. W. 12th Street, Suite 212, Miami, FL 33126, (786)336-1259

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This Review Meeting is to evaluate artist submissions and select artwork for Art in State Buildings Project # DOH 9813/7350, Miami-Dade County Health Department in Little Haiti, North Miami.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Lee Modica, Administrator, Art in State Buildings Program, 500 S. Bronough St., Room 310A, Tallahassee FL 32399-0250, (850)245-6476.

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: Morgan Barr, (850)245-6356. 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.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

The Florida **State Fair Authority** announces a meeting of the Marketing Committee to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, FL 33610

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Old and New Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathleen Fisher, Executive Assistant, Florida State Fair Authority, P. O. Box 11766, Tampa, FL 33680.

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please contact: Kathleen Fisher at the above address or at (813)627-4221.

The Florida **State Fair Authority** announces a meeting of the Long Range Planning Committee to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, FL 33610

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Old and New Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathleen Fisher, Executive Assistant, Florida State Fair Authority, P. O. Box 11766, Tampa, FL 33680.

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please contact Kathleen Fisher at the above address or at (813)627-4221.

The Florida **State Fair Authority** announces a meeting of the Nominating Committee to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, FL 33610

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Old and New Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathleen Fisher, Executive Assistant, Florida State Fair Authority, P. O. Box 11766, Tampa, FL 33680.

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please contact Kathleen Fisher at the above address or at (813)627-4221.

The Florida **State Fair Authority** announces a meeting of the Finance Committee to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, FL 33610

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Old and New Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathleen Fisher, Executive Assistant, Florida State Fair Authority, P. O. Box 11766, Tampa, FL 33680.

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please contact Kathleen Fisher at the above address or at (813)627-4221.

The Florida **State Fair Authority** announces a meeting of the Full Board to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, FL 33610

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Old and New Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathleen Fisher, Executive Assistant, Florida State Fair Authority, P. O. Box 11766, Tampa, FL 33680.

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please contact: Kathleen Fisher at the address above or at (813)627-4221.

The **Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services** announces a meeting of the Florida Emergency Food Assistance Program Advisory Board.

DATE AND TIME: September 22, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association, Conference Room, 800 Trafalgar Court, Maitland, Florida 32751, (321)214-5200

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of Florida's Emergency Food Assistance Program.

A copy of the agenda can be obtained by contacting: Shenique Bridges, 407 S. Calhoun Street, 2nd Floor, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800.

If special accommodations are needed to attend this meeting because of a disability, please contact: Shenique Bridges, (850)487-6694, by September 15, 2006.

The Florida **Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Forestry** announces a meeting of the Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Advisory Committee which is open to all interested persons.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. (EST)

PLACE: City of Palms Park, Press Dining, 3rd Floor, 2201 Edison Avenue, Ft. Myers, FL 33905, (239)461-7400

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General meeting of the Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Advisory Committee.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: John Waldron, 3125 Conner Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)414-9852.

The Florida **Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services** announces a meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 11, 2006, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: 350 East Los Olas, #800, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Consumers' Council will be meeting to discuss consumer-related issues; proposed legislation for the 2007 Florida session addressing issues of interest to consumers; and issues to advise and assist the department.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. James R. Kelly, Director, Division of Consumer Services, 2005 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500, (850)922-2966.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

The Florida **Department of Education**, Office of Independent Education and Parental Choice, announces a public hearing of the Charter School Appeal Commission to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 26, 2006, 9:00 a.m. – until completion

PLACE: Meeting Room 301, Capitol Building, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Charter School Appeal Commission hearing on the non renewal of Spiral Tech Elementary vs. Miami Dade County School Board. The Charter School Appeal Commission will also be discussing perceptions and roles of the Appeals Commission.

Special Accommodations: Persons with disabilities who require assistance to participate in these hearings are requested to contact: Office of Independent Education and Parental Choice, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 522, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)245-0502.

The **Florida Rehabilitation Council for the Blind** announces the following teleconference:

DATE AND TIME: September 26, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Contact: Phyllis Dill, The Division of Blind Services, 14 W. Jordan St., Room G-2, Pensacola, FL 32503, (850)595-5282, ext. 11 or email: Phyllis.dill@dbs.fldoe.org

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion and approval of a resolution to the Legislature and Governor of the State of Florida the salaries of vocational rehabilitation counselors with the Division of Blind Services.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

The **Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission**, Region IV, Training Council announces a meeting to which all interested persons and parties are invited to attend.

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2006, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Santa Fe Community College, Institute of Public Safety, 3737 N. E. 39th Avenue, Gainesville, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Approval of proposed Region IV CJST Training Trust Fund Budget for FY 2007-2008 and action on membership for Regional Training Council.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND

Notices for the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Florida **Public Service Commission** announces its Internal Affairs Meeting to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: *October 2, 2006, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: The Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Conference Room 140, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss and make decisions on matters which affect the operation of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda of the Internal Affairs Meeting may be obtained by contacting: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this meeting because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, (850)413-6770, at least 48 hours prior to the conference. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

* In the event of a change or cancellation, notice will be published at the earliest practicable time on the Commission's website at <http://www.psc.state.fl.us/agendas/internalaffairs/>.

The Florida **Public Service Commission** announces its regularly scheduled conference to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 3, 2006, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: The Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Commission Hearing Room 148, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To consider those matters ready for decision.

LEGAL AUTHORITY AND JURISDICTION: Chapters 120, 350, 364, 366, and 367, F.S.

Persons who may be affected by Commission action on certain items on this agenda for which a hearing has not been held will be allowed to address the Commission concerning those items when taken up for discussion at this conference.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by any person who requests a copy, and pays the reasonable cost of the copy (\$1.00 per copy, Statement of Agency Organization and Operations), by contacting: the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, (850)413-6770 or writing to the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850. The agenda and recommendations are also accessible on the PSC Homepage, at <http://www.floridapsc.com>, at no charge.

If a person decides to appeal any decisions made by the Commission with respect to any matter considered at this conference, he will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which appeal is based.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this conference because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, (850)413-6770, at least 48 hours prior to the conference. Any

person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Telecommunications Access System Act (TASA) Advisory Committee to the Florida **Public Service Commission** will hold a committee meeting to which all parties and other interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 6, 2006, 1:00 p.m. (EST)

PLACE: Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, FL 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss current relevant issues related to relay such as Service Quality, CapTel and other items.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this meeting because of a physical impairment should call the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, (850)413-6770, at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

For additional information, please contact: Lee Eng Tan, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6185.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Members of the **Governor’s Ex-offender Task Force** will be meeting at conferences being held on:

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 19, 2006, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Quorum Hotel, Tampa, Florida

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Hyatt Regency Riverfront, Jacksonville, Florida

NOTICE OF CHANGE – The **Council on State Agency Inspectors General** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 19, 2006, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Capitol, 21st Floor, Media Conference Room 2103, Tallahassee, FL 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The primary objectives of this third meeting of the Council will be continuing business of the Council’s legislative mandate.

For more information, you may contact: Derry Harper, Chief Inspector General, The Capitol, Room 2103, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)922-4637.

The **Governor’s Ex-offender Task Force** will be meeting on: DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 25, 2006, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Coleman Prison

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: They will be discussing Task Force recommendations then and informally the night before at the Holiday Inn Express in Clermont.

ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION

The **Administration Commission** announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 25, 2006, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room (Room LL-03), The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Staff of the Administration Commission will meet to provide affected persons and other members of the public an opportunity for presentation of evidence, argument and oral statements on the Petition filed by the Agency for Persons with Disabilities for exemption to Chapter 120.57(1), F.S.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Barbara Leighty, Administration Commission, The Capitol, Room 1801, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001, (850)487-1884.

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 five days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Barbara Leighty, Administration Commission, The Capitol, Room 1801, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001, (850)487-1884. 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

The **South Florida Regional Planning Council** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 21, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: South Florida Regional Planning Council, 3440 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 140, Hollywood, Florida 33021

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Mega-Region Policy Discussion – Meeting participants will explore the concept of a “South-Central Florida Mega-Region” and discuss possible implications for economic, transportation, environmental, and human services planning efforts.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: South Florida Regional Planning Council (SFRPC), 3440 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 140, Hollywood, Florida 33021, (954)985-4416.

Persons who have been invited to this meeting include elected and appointed officials from various public and private organizations around the state including members of the South Florida Regional Planning Council and South Florida Regional Transportation Authority.

If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact: the SFRPC, (954)967-4152, ext. 40 (TDD), for additional information regarding the meeting above. If you require special accommodations because of a disability or physical impairment, please contact the Council, (954)985-4416, at least five calendar days prior to the meeting.

REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES

Notice is hereby given that the **South Florida Regional Transportation Authority**, Marketing Committee will hold a regular committee meeting on:

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 19, 2006, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Main Conference Room, SFRTA's Administrative Offices, 800 N.W. 33rd Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33064. Attendance by South Florida Regional Transportation Authority Committee Members may be in person or via conference telephone. Should you have any questions, please contact: SFRTA Marketing Office, (954)788-7935.

Any person who decides to appeal any decision made by the Marketing Committee with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact: the Executive Office, (954)788-7915.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this proceeding, must at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, provide a written request directed to: Executive Office, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Suite 100, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064, (954)942-7245 for assistance; if hearing impaired, telephone 1(800)273-7545 (TTY) for assistance.

Notice is hereby given that the **South Florida Regional Transportation Authority**, Planning Technical Advisory Committee will hold a regular committee meeting on:

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 20, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: The Board Room of SFRTA's Administrative Offices, 800 N.W. 33rd Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33064. Attendance by South Florida Regional Transportation Authority Committee Members may be in person or via conference telephone. Should you have any questions, please contact: SFRTA Planning Office, (954)788-7928.

Any person who decides to appeal any decision made by the Planning Technical Advisory Committee with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact: the Planning Office, (954)788-7915.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this proceeding, must at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, provide a written request directed to: Executive Office, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Suite 100, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064, (954)942-7245 for assistance; if hearing impaired, telephone 1(800)273-7545 (TTY) for assistance.

Notice is hereby given that the **South Florida Regional Transportation Authority**, Property Committee will hold a regular committee meeting on:

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: The Board Room, SFRTA's Administrative Offices, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33064

Should you have any questions, please contact SFRTA Planning Office, (954)788-7916.

Notice is hereby given that the **South Florida Regional Transportation Authority**, Governing Board will hold a meeting on:

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: The Board Room, South Florida Regional Transportation, Administration Building, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Suite 100, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Executive Office, (954)788-7915.

Attendance by South Florida Regional Transportation Authority Board Members may be in person or via conference telephone.

Notice is hereby given that the **South Florida Regional Transportation Authority**, ADA Advisory Committee will hold a regular committee meeting on:

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Main Conference Room, SFRTA's Administrative Offices, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33064

Should you have any questions, please contact: SFRTA Planning Office, (954)788-7927.

Attendance by South Florida Regional Transportation Authority Committee Members may be in person or via conference telephone.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this proceeding, must at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, provide a written request directed to: Executive Office, 800 N. W. 33rd Street, Suite 100, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064, (954)942-7245 for assistance; if hearing impaired, telephone 1(800)273-7545 (TTY) for assistance.

Any person who decides to appeal any decisions made by the Board or Committees with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact: the Executive Office, (954)788-7915.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

The **Northwest Florida Water Management District** announces meetings and public hearings to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 1:45 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regulations Committee meeting – to discuss the Environmental Resource Permitting program.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 2:45 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Lands Committee meeting – to discuss District land acquisition matters.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 3:45 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Administration, Budget and Finance Committee – to discuss final current year amendment to budget and consideration of District property and casualty insurance request for proposals.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 4:00 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regular monthly meeting of Governing Board – to consider District business.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 4:15 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regulatory Public Hearing – to consider regulatory matters.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 4:30 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: District Lands Public Hearing – to consider land acquisition matters.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 5:05 p.m. (CDT)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Budget Public Hearing – to consider adoption of Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Millage Rate and Budget.

PLACE: Jackson County Commission Chambers, 2864 Madison Street, Marianna, Florida 32448

A copy of these agendas can be obtained by contacting: Dorothy Cotton, Northwest Florida Water Management District, 81 Water Management Drive, Havana, Florida 32333, (850)539-5999 or on the Internet at www.nfwmd.state.fl.us

Appeal from any NFWMD Board decision requires a record of the proceedings. Although Governing Board meetings are normally recorded, affected persons are advised that it may be necessary for them to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Persons with disabilities or handicaps who need assistance or reasonable accommodation in order to participate in these meetings should contact Larry Wright at the District at least 72 hours in advance of these meetings to make appropriate arrangements.

The **Southwest Florida Water Management District** (SWFWMD) announces the following public meetings to which all interested persons are invited.

TOUR OF WATER SUPPLY FACILITIES

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 8:45 a.m.

PLACE: Tampa Bay Water’s Regional Surface Water Treatment Plant, 2301 Water Lane, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Familiarize Board members with Tampa Bay Water’s water supply facilities.

The group will tour the Tampa Bay Seawater Desalination Facility, 13041 Wyandotte Road, Gibsonton, Florida, the C. W. “Bill” Young Regional Reservoir, 12707 South County Road 39, Lithia, Florida, and the Tampa Bay Regional Surface Water Treatment Plant, 2301 Water Lane, Tampa.

BASIN BOARD EDUCATION COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Tampa Service Office, 7601 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Consideration of issues concerning the proposed Tampa Children’s Museum.

GOVERNING BOARD COMMITTEE MEETINGS, BOARD MEETING, AND PUBLIC HEARING

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Tampa Service Office, 7601 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Conduct Committee meetings, Board meeting, and public hearing.

A closed attorney-client session will be held during the lunch break.

GOVERNING BOARD FINAL BUDGET HEARING

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 5:01 p.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Tampa Service Office, 7601 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Governing Board adoption of final millage rates and budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

GOVERNING BOARD COMMITTEE MEETINGS, BOARD MEETING, AND PUBLIC HEARING (If all items are completed at Tuesday's meeting, there will be no Wednesday meeting.)

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 27, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Tampa Service Office, 7601 U.S. Highway 301, North, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Conduct Committee meetings, Board meeting, and public hearing.

These are public meetings; agendas are available by contacting: the Southwest Florida Water Management District, Executive Department, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, Florida.

The District does not discriminate based on disability. Anyone requiring reasonable accommodation under the ADA should contact 1(800)423-1476 (Florida only), extension 4606, TDD only 1(800)231-6103 (Florida only), Fax (352)754-6874.

The **South Florida Water Management District** announces a public meeting to which all interested parties are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 13, 2006, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Dial in: Suncom: 277-8540; Non-Suncom: 1(850)487-8540. SFWMD Headquarters, Building B-2, Conference Room "3N Upper Chain of Lakes"

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Peer Review of the Everglades Landscape Model (ELM): Teleconference #3, for expert Review Panel deliberation on the Review Report of the ELM

A copy of the agenda may be obtained at: (1) District Website <http://my.sfwmd.gov/elm> or (2) by writing: South Florida Water Management District, Mail Stop 2130, P. O. Box 24680, West Palm Beach, FL 33416-4680.

Appeals from any South Florida Water Management District Board decision require a record of the proceedings. Although Governing Board meetings and hearings are normally recorded, affected persons are advised that it may be necessary for them to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Persons with disabilities who need assistance may contact the District Clerk, (561)686-8800, at least two business days in advance of the meeting to make appropriate arrangements.

Those who want more information, please contact: H. Carl Fitz, the Hydrologic and Environmental Systems Modeling Department, District Headquarters, 3301 Gun Club Road, Mail Stop Code 7512, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, (561)682-2080.

The **South Florida Water Management District** announces a public meeting to which all interested parties are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 16, 2006, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Dial in: Suncom: 277-8540; Non-Suncom: 1(850)487-8540. SFWMD Headquarters, Building B-2, Conference Room "3N Upper Chain of Lakes".

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Peer Review of the Everglades Landscape Model (ELM): Teleconference #4, for expert Review Panel deliberation on the Review Report of the ELM.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained at: (1) District Website <http://my.sfwmd.gov/elm> or (2) by writing: South Florida Water Management District, Mail Stop 2130, P. O. Box 24680, West Palm Beach, FL 33416-4680.

Appeals from any South Florida Water Management District Board decision require a record of the proceedings. Although Governing Board meetings and hearings are normally recorded, affected persons are advised that it may be necessary for them to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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LAND AND WATER ADJUDICATORY COMMISSION

The **Lake St. Charles CDD** announces a public workshop to which all Lake St. Charles residents are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 3, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: 6801 Colonial Lake Drive, Riverview, Florida 33569

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of Clubhouse Rental Fee Increase.

For additional information, please contact CDD District Office, (813)741-9768.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

The Florida **Department of Elder Affairs** announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 19, 2006, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Callers within Tallahassee and outside Tallahassee: 1(888)808-6959. When prompted, enter Conference Code number 4142381 followed by #.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This will be a general business meeting of the Foundation for Indigent Guardianship, Inc.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381.

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: Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381. 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 Florida **Department of Elder Affairs** announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 20, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Callers within Tallahassee and outside Tallahassee: 1(888)808-6959. When prompted, enter Conference Code number 4142381 followed by #.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This will be a meeting for the Examining Committee Curriculum Workgroup.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381.

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: Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381. 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 Florida **Department of Elder Affairs** announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 22, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Callers within Tallahassee and outside Tallahassee: 1(888)808-6959. When prompted, enter Conference Code Number 4142381 followed by #.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This will be a meeting for the Examining Committee Curriculum Workgroup.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381.

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: Ms. Frankie D. Leland, (850)414-2381. 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

The **Agency for Health Care Administration** announces a meeting of the State Consumer Health Information and Policy Advisory Council to which all interested parties are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building #3, First Floor, Conference Rooms, Tallahassee, FL 32308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: 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.

Any person requiring a special accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact: Cheryl Barfield, (850)414-5422, at least five calendar days prior to the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: Penny Bos, Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Bldg. 3, Mail Stop #16, Tallahassee, FL 32308-5403. The agenda will also be posted at <http://ahca.myflorida.com/SCHS/chismetings.shtml> seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

The **Agency for Health Care Administration**, Medicaid Reform Technical Advisory Panel announces the following meetings.

DATE AND TIME: September 21, 2006, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee FL 32308. Dial-In Number 1(877)328-7346, Conf. ID# 5564027

DATE AND TIME: October 24, 2006, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee FL 32308. Dial-In Number 1(877)328-7346, Conf. ID# 5567947

DATE AND TIME: November 16, 2006, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee FL 32308. Dial-In Number 1(877)328-7346, Conf. ID# 5568082

The **Agency for Health Care Administration** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 27, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room A, Tallahassee, FL 32308. If you are unable to attend in person, you may call (850)410-0967 to participate by telephone.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Low Income Pool (LIP) Council discussion of the LIP program including funding methodology, policies and procedures in accordance with the approved Medicaid Reform Section 1115 Demonstration.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Edwin Stephens, (850)413-8067 or Suncom 294-8067.

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.

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 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Edwin Stephens, (850)413-8067 or Suncom 294-8067. 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 **Agency for Health Care Administration** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 20, 2006, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Via Conference Call: (850)487-8587. For those in Tallahassee, you may come to the The Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Conference Room C, Tallahassee, FL 32308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Low Income Pool (LIP) Council discussion of the LIP program including funding methodology, policies and procedures in accordance with the approved Medicaid Reform Section 1115 Demonstration.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Edwin Stephens, (850)413-8067 or Suncom 294-8067.

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 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Edwin Stephens, (850)413-8067 or Suncom 294-8067. 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: Edwin Stephens, (850)413-8067 or Suncom 294-8067.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

The **Department of Business and Professional Regulation**, Elevator Safety Technical Advisory Council, announces the following teleconference: The Elevator Safety Technical Advisory Council – Legislative Sub-committee Teleconference.

DATE AND TIME: September 20, 2006, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Telephone Number to call to participate: (850)488-8295 or Suncom 278-8295. Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Hospitality Education Program, One Champions Way, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida 32306

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss possible legislation prior to the upcoming 2007 session.

Any person deciding to appeal a decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made. Such record must include testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any person requiring special accommodations at this meeting because of disability or physical impairment should contact: Marlita Peters, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Hospitality Education Program, (850)644-9349, at least five (5) working days prior to the teleconference.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION – The **Division of Hotels and Restaurants** announces the cancellation of a meeting of the Hotels and Restaurants Advisory Council scheduled for:

DATE AND TIME: September 8, 2006, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Quorum could not be established at this time.

The person to be contacted regarding the public meeting is: Marlita Peters, Administrative Assistant III, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1014, (850)644-2051.

The Florida **Board of Architecture and Interior Design** announces the following meeting which all persons are invited to attend.

DATE AND TIME: October 24, 2006, 9:00 a.m. (Eastern Time)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business: discussion items include – architecture profession, interior design profession, rules, and review of applications.

DATE AND TIME: October 25, 2006, 9:00 a.m. (Eastern Time)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
General Business.

PLACE: Boca Hilton Cocoa Beach Oceanfront, 1550 N. Atlantic Avenue, Cocoa Beach, FL 32931, (321)799-0003

To obtain a copy of the agenda, further information, or submit written or other physical evidence, contact in writing: Board of Architecture and Interior Design, 1940 N. Monroe St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

If a 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 a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any person requiring a special accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Board office at (850)487-8304, at least five calendar days prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Board office using the Florida Dual Party Relay System, 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) and 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

The Florida **Board of Landscape Architecture** announces the following meeting, to be held by telephone conference call, to which all persons are invited to attend.

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Access Phone #: 1(888)808-6959; Conference Code # 9218690

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
General Board and Business meeting.

To obtain a copy of the agenda, further information, or submit written or other physical evidence, contact in writing: Board of Architecture and Interior Design, 1940 N. Monroe St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

If a 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 a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any person requiring a special accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Board office at (850)922-7154, at least five calendar days prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Board office using the Florida Dual Party Relay System, 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) and 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

The Florida **State Boxing Commission** announces a meeting to which all interested persons are invited. Access to the meeting may be obtained by attending in person at the remote

location listed below or by calling, at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meeting, (850)488-8500 or Suncom 278-8500.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 3, 2006, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct a general business meeting of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: Florida State Boxing Commission, ATTN: Thomas Molloy, Executive Director, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399.

Any person deciding to appeal a decision made by the Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made. Such record must include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any person requiring special accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact: Lina Hurtado, Administrative Assistant, (850)488-8500, at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Commission office using the Florida Dual Party Relay System, 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) or 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

The **Department of Environmental Protection**, Water Quality Standards and Special Projects Program announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., Conference Room A, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department of Environmental Protection announces a rescheduling of the rulemaking hearing to consider proposed amendments to Chapter 62-302, Florida Administrative Code, as part of the current triennial review of state surface water quality standards (OGC No. 05-1788). The original notice of proposed rulemaking, published in the July 28, 2006 issue of the F.A.W., Vol. 32, No. 30, pp. 3433-3445, stated that the proposed rule amendments were scheduled for consideration and possible adoption by the Department's Environmental Regulation Commission (ERC) on August 31, 2006. The ERC hearing scheduled for August 31, 2006, was cancelled in response to the threat of Tropical Storm Ernesto. The proposed rule amendments are now scheduled for hearing before the ERC at the date, time and place shown above.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Eric Shaw, Department of Environmental Protection, Water Quality Standards and Special Projects Program, 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 3570, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400, (850)245-8429.

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: Eric Shaw, (850)245-8429. 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 **Department of Environmental Protection**, Bureau of Watershed Management announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 28, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Conference Room A, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department of Environmental Protection announces the rescheduling of the rulemaking hearing for consideration of proposed amendments to Chapter 62-303, Florida Administrative Code. The original notice of proposed rulemaking, published in the August 4, 2006, issue of the F.A.W., Vol. 32, No. 31, pp. 3599-3613, stated that the proposed rule amendments were scheduled for consideration and possible adoption by the Florida Environmental Regulation Commission (ERC) on August 31, 2006. However, the ERC hearing scheduled for August 31, 2006, was cancelled in response to the threat of Tropical Storm Ernesto. As a result, the proposed rule amendments are now scheduled for hearing before the ERC at the date, time, and place shown above.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Daryll Joyner, Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Watershed Management, 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 3510, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400, (850)245-8431.

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: Nancy Moulds, (850)245-2242. 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 JUVENILE JUSTICE

The Florida **Department of Juvenile Justice** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: DJJ Headquarters, 2737 Centerview Dr., Room 312, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Draft emergency rules governing the Sheriff's Training and Respect (STAR) Program, and Protective Action Response.

A copy of the agenda and proposed draft rules may be obtained by contacting: Clyde Benedix, 2737 Centerview Drive, Ste. 312-I, Tallahassee, FL 32399-3100, e-mail clyde.benedix@djj.state.fl.us.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

The **Board of Chiropractic Medicine**, Probable Cause Panel will hold a duly noticed meeting to which all persons are invited to attend.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Department of Health, 4042 Bald Cypress Way, Tallahassee, Florida, at Meet Me Number (850)921-6545.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: For cases previously heard by the panel.

A copy of the agenda item may be obtained by writing: Joe Baker, Jr., Executive Director, Board of Chiropractic Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, FL 32399-3257.

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.

Any person requiring special accommodations at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Board of Chiropractic Medicine, (850)245-4355, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. If you are a hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Board office using the Dual Party Relay System, 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) and 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

The Florida **Board of Medicine**, Probable Cause Panel (South), announces a telephone conference call to be held via meet me number.

DATE AND TIME: September 22, 2006, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Meet Me Number: (850)922-2903

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct a private meeting to review cases for which a determination of probable cause is to be made and to conduct a public meeting to review cases on which probable cause has been made.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: Gaynetta Rosier, Regulation Specialist II, Agency for Health Care Administration, Medical Services, Palmer Building, P. O. Box 14229, Tallahassee, Florida 32317-4229.

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be made.

NOTE: In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the Medical Litigation Section no later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding or meeting at which such special accommodation is required. The Medical Litigation Section may be contacted at: P. O. Box 14229, Tallahassee, Florida 32317-4229, (850)922-2414, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) via Florida Relay Service.

The **Board of Nursing Home Administrators**, Probable Cause Panel will hold a duly noticed meeting to which all persons are invited to attend.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, October 2, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Department of Health, 4042 Bald Cypress Way, Tallahassee, Florida, Meet Me Number (850)487-8540.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: For cases previously heard by the panel.

A copy of the agenda item may be obtained by writing: Joe Baker, Jr., Executive Director, Board of Nursing Home Administrators, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, FL 32399-3257.

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.

Any person requiring special accommodations at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Board of Nursing Home Administrators, (850)245-4355, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. If you are a hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Board office using the Dual Party Relay System, 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) and 1(800)955-8771 (TDD).

The Florida **Board of Nursing** and Council on Certified Nursing Assistants will hold its duly noticed public meeting, to which all persons are invited to attend, as follows:

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, October 11, 2006, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., Council on Certified Nursing Assistants; Wednesday, October 11, 2006, 6:00 p.m., Practice Committee; Wednesday, October 11, 2006, 6:15 p.m., Legislative Committee; Wednesday, October 11, 2006, Education Meeting immediately following the Legislative Meeting; Thursday, October 12, 2006, 8:30 a.m., Credentials Committee; Thursday, October 12, 2006, 8:30 a.m., Education Committee; Thursday, October 12, 2006, 1:00 p.m., Full Board Meeting; Friday, October 13, 2006, 8:30 a.m., Full Board Meeting

PLACE: Radisson Mart Plaza, 711 N. W. 72nd Street, Miami, FL 33126, (305)261-3800

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct general business of the Board, Council and Committees.

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given by **Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission** of the following meetings, to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: FWC South Regional Office, Everglades Conference Room, 8535 Northlake Boulevard, West Palm Beach, Florida

DATE AND TIME: September 26, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Division of Plant Industry, Auditorium, 1911 S. W. 34th Street, Gainesville, FL 32608

DATE AND TIME: September 27, 2006, 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Wildlife Research Institute, 1st Floor, Conference Room, 100 8th Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Requirements for state authorizations for all activities with threatened and endangered marine turtles, including nesting surveys, stranding work, research, captive facilities, and educational display as required by Florida Administrative Code Chapter 68E-1, Marine Turtle Permits.

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: Dr. Robbin Trindell, (850)922-4330 or robbin.trindell@myfwc.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).

FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

The **Office of Insurance Regulation** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 401 Senate Office Building, Tallahassee, Florida (adjacent to The Capitol). Contact name and number: Lori Fitzsimmons, Esquire, (850)413-4158 or Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Federated National Insurance Company has requested a 49.5% average statewide rate increase for its homeowners insurance. The requested rate increase is not uniform and some areas are subject to a higher rate increase. Florida law allows the Office of Insurance Regulation to hold a public hearing for any

purpose within the scope of the Insurance Code deemed to be necessary. Input from the insurers as well as interested parties will be received at this public hearing.

If you are unable to attend this public hearing, please forward your comments to: the Office of Insurance Regulation at ratehearings@fldfs.com; the subject line of your e-mail should read "Federated."

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this hearing, please telephone: Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616 or e-mail him at sam.coskey@fldfs.com, at least 48 hours before the hearing.

The **Office of Insurance Regulation** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2006, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 401 Senate Office Building, Tallahassee, Florida (adjacent to The Capitol). Contact name and number: Rhoda K. Johnson, Esquire, (850)413-4220 or Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Homewise Insurance Company has requested a 75.8% average statewide rate increase for its homeowners insurance (wind only program). The requested rate increase is not uniform and some areas are subject to a higher rate increase. Florida law allows the Office of Insurance Regulation to hold a public hearing for any purpose within the scope of the Insurance Code deemed to be necessary. Input from the insurers as well as interested parties will be received at this public hearing.

If you are unable to attend this public hearing, please forward your comments to: the Office of Insurance Regulation at ratehearings@fldfs.com; the subject line of your e-mail should read "Homewise."

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this hearing, please telephone Sam Coskey at (850)413-2616 or e-mail him at sam.coskey@fldfs.com at least 48 hours before the hearing.

The **Office of Insurance Regulation** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 401 Senate Office Building, Tallahassee, Florida (adjacent to The Capitol). Contact name and number: Rhoda K. Johnson, Esquire, (850)413-4220 or Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Liberty American Select Insurance Company has requested average statewide rate increases of 44.8% and 96.2% for its homeowners and dwelling fire programs, respectively. Liberty American Insurance Company has requested a 95.8% average statewide rate increase for its condo unit owners insurance. These requested rate increases are not uniform and some areas

are subject to higher rate increases. Florida law allows the Office of Insurance Regulation to hold a public hearing for any purpose within the scope of the Insurance Code deemed to be necessary. Input from the insurers as well as interested parties will be received at this public hearing.

If you are unable to attend this public hearing, please forward your comments to: the Office of Insurance Regulation at ratehearings@fldfs.com; the subject line of your e-mail should read "Liberty."

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this hearing, please telephone: Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616 or e-mail him at sam.coskey@fldfs.com at least 48 hours before the hearing.

The **Office of Insurance Regulation** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 401 Senate Office Building, Tallahassee, Florida (adjacent to The Capitol). Contact name and number: Rhoda K. Johnson, Esquire, (850)413-4220 or Sam Coskey, (850)413-2616.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Florida Family Insurance Company has requested average statewide rate increases of 14.8% and 27.7% for its homeowners and dwelling fire programs, respectively. The requested rate increases are not uniform and some areas are subject to higher rate increases. Florida law allows the Office of Insurance Regulation to hold a public hearing for any purpose within the scope of the Insurance Code deemed to be necessary. Input from the insurers as well as interested parties will be received at this public hearing.

If you are unable to attend this public hearing, please forward your comments to: the Office of Insurance Regulation at ratehearings@fldfs.com, the subject line of your e-mail should read "Florida Family."

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The **Financial Services Commission** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 3, 2006, 9:00 a.m., during a regular meeting of the Financial Services Commission.

PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is the Public Hearing on the adoption of proposed amendments to Rules 69P-2.001 and 69P-2.002, Florida Administrative Code, published on September 8, 2006 in Vol. 32, No. 36, of the F.A.W. No notice of change was published.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this program, please advise the contact person at least 5 calendar days before the program by contacting: Abby London, abby.london@fldfs.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69P-2.001 Purpose.

The purpose of this rule is to adopt a joint underwriting plan to equitably apportion among insurers authorized in this state to write property and casualty insurance the underwriting of insurance to persons with risks eligible, as defined in the statutes and this rule, and who are in good faith entitled to, but are unable to, obtain an adequate level of insurance coverage, including excess coverage, through the voluntary market. Upon adoption of this plan, all insurers authorized in this state to underwrite property or casualty insurance shall participate in this plan. This plan shall be construed to conform, and, when necessary, amended to conform to the provisions of Subsection 627.351(5), Florida Statutes. The purpose of these rules is to adopt a Plan for the provision of property and casualty insurance coverage to persons in Florida who are eligible for such insurance coverage when such coverage must be provided by the Florida Property and Casualty Joint Underwriting Association as specified in Section 627.351(5), Florida Statutes.

Specific Authority 624.308(1), 627.351(5) FS. Law Implemented 624.307(1), 627.351(5) FS. History--New 8-13-89, Formerly 4-87.001, 4J-2.001, Amended _____.

69P-2.002 Adoption of Property and Casualty Risk Apportionment Plan.

The Florida Property and Casualty Joint Underwriting Association Plan of Operation, as amended April, 1991, and Articles of the Association are hereby adopted as the plan for property and casualty insurance risk apportionment in Florida and incorporated by reference.

(1) The following terms have the following meanings for purposes of this rule:

(a) "Adequate level of coverage" means that coverage which is required by state law or by responsible or prudent business practices.

(b) "Assessable Premium" means the net direct premiums of each participating insurer for commercial property insurance risks written by the insurer, excluding the premium associated with commercial residential insurance policies. Assessable Premium does not include premium associated with liability insurance or kinds of insurance other than property insurance.

(c) "The Association" means the Property and Casualty Joint Underwriting Association.

(d) "Market assistance plan" means the market assistance plan adopted pursuant to Section 627.3515, Florida Statutes.

(e) "Net direct premium" means gross direct premiums, including policy and membership fees less return premiums and premiums on policies not taken.

(f) "Office" means the Office of Insurance Regulation.

(g) "Participating insurer" means each and every insurer authorized in this state to underwrite commercial property insurance. The term does not include an insurer who writes only reinsurance and does not write direct insurance in this state.

(h) "Qualifying quoted premium" means a quote on coverage from an insurer that meets the following criteria:

1. In the case of an authorized carrier, the quoted premium must not exceed the premium available for a given classification currently in use by the Association or the premium developed by using the rates and rating plans on file with the Office by the quoting insurer, whichever is greater.

2. In the case of an unauthorized surplus lines insurer, the quoted premium must not exceed the premium available for a given classification currently in use by the Association by more than 25 percent, after consideration of any individual risk surcharge or credit.

(i) "Servicing carrier" means a participating insurer which agrees to be and is designated by the office to provide policyholder and claims service, including the issuance of policies, on behalf of the participating insurers.

(j) "Substantially impair the ability of the entity to conduct its affairs" means that the lack of insurance would result in one or more of the following conditions:

1. An event of default on an existing business loan or mortgage; or

2. A structure that is necessary for the business to continue operations could not be rebuilt in the event of a catastrophe; or

3. The business entity could not continue to meet its legal obligations.

(k) "Unavailable in the voluntary market" means that the insured or agent has made a diligent search, has made a good-faith application for coverage from a minimum of one surplus lines insurance company, and three authorized insurance companies, and the Florida Market Assistance Plan has made a search and an adequate level of coverage has not been found or the quoted premium exceeds the limitations of Section 627.351(5)(a)1.e., Florida Statutes.

(2) Powers of the Association. The Association may perform any activity involved in the business of insurance including the borrowing of funds and entering into financing agreements.

(3) The Board of Governors. The Association shall be overseen by a thirteen-member Board of Governors (hereinafter "the Board") as provided by statute. Board members shall be appointed to serve two-year terms, but may be removed and replaced at any time by the Chief Financial Officer. The first term of office for all Board members shall begin upon the date of the Chief Financial Officer's first

appointment and shall expire two years later unless replaced by the Chief Financial Officer at an earlier time. Any replacement appointments also shall be made for a period of two years. Four of the Board members shall be representatives of insurance company trade associations, and two members shall be representatives of agent associations. The remaining seven members may be any persons appointed by the Chief Financial Officer. The Board may appoint committees and advisory groups as it deems necessary. The Risk Underwriting Committee is appointed in the manner provided by the statute and is not a committee or subcommittee of the Board. However, its decisions are limited to the determination of eligibility of individual risks for coverage. The Board retains the authority to design the policy forms and rates for the insurance to be offered by the Association, subject to approval by the Office.

(4) Board Meetings. The Board shall meet as often as necessary, but at least twice annually. The Board will conduct its meetings in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order and will make its decisions on a simple majority of all Board members present unless otherwise provided by statute. Board meetings shall be conducted in compliance with Chapter 286, Florida Statutes (the Sunshine Law).

(5) Board Powers and Immunities. Board members are authorized to perform any activity that Directors of corporations may perform and any activity of the Association. Pursuant to Section 627.351(5)(f), Florida Statutes, Board members and employees of the Association are immune from liability for their actions taken in the performance of their duties for the association. In the event that a Board member is served with a civil complaint with respect to any business of the Association, the Board member shall be entitled to indemnification from the Association for costs and reasonable attorney's fees unless and until a determination is made by a court of competent jurisdiction that the Board member engaged in conduct that constitutes a felony under Florida law. Board members are also entitled to reimbursement for the ordinary costs of attending meetings, but are not otherwise entitled to salaries for Board service.

(6) Contracts and Employees.

(a) The Board may enter into contracts with experts and other advisors to assist in conducting the business of the Association at rates negotiated for each engagement. To the extent possible, unless the contract would be exempt from competitive bid for a state agency or unless the Board determines that an emergency exists, contracts for more than \$100,000 in any year shall be competitively bid, and contracts under \$100,000 shall be awarded only after a minimum of three quotes are obtained from competing vendors. The Association may enter into contracts with other statutorily-created entities such as other JUA's, guaranty

associations or their managers, the Market Assistance Plan, or the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund without competitive bids or quotes.

(b) The Board may hire such staff and executive staff as it deems necessary to be compensated by the Association. The Board shall make every effort to retain executive staff with previous experience or expertise in the commercial property insurance market. Because Section 627.351(5), Florida Statutes, requires that a servicing carrier be used for policyholder services, the Association is not expected to hire an extensive staff. However, it shall retain as many employees as necessary to ensure that an appropriate level of policyholder service is maintained.

(c) The Board shall designate positions that are to function as Senior Management of the organization. All senior managers and Board members shall comply with Part III of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, including the code of ethics, and the public disclosure and reporting of financial interests pursuant to Section 112.3145, Florida Statutes. Senior managers and Board members are required to file such disclosures with the Office. At least quarterly, the executive director shall submit a list of the names of the senior managers and members of the Board of Governors to the Commission on Ethics.

(d) A senior manager of the Association may not represent a person or entity before the Association for a period of two years after the date of termination of employment. The Board shall implement a detailed Ethics and Conflicts of Interest Policy and a Policy for Procurement of Contracts that avoids any actual or apparent conflict of interest by any employee, vendor, or Board member of the association.

(7) Appointment of Servicing Carriers. The Office may appoint one or more participating insurance companies to service policies either for policy issuance, claims, or any combination of services. The Association shall pay the fees of such appointed servicing carrier pursuant to a contract negotiated between the carrier and the association, and subject to the approval of the Office.

(8) Form of the insurance to be written by the Association. The Association may write commercial property insurance including direct insurance, excess insurance, and reinsurance of commercial property risks.

(9) Eligibility of Risks.

(a) A risk shall be eligible for such commercial property insurance as is required by Florida law if the insurance is unavailable in the voluntary market, including the market assistance program and the surplus lines market.

(b) A commercial risk not eligible under paragraph (a) (that is, because the coverage is not required by Florida law) shall be nevertheless eligible for such commercial property insurance if:

1. The insurance is unavailable in the voluntary market, including the market assistance plan and the surplus lines market in accordance with paragraph (1)(k); and

2. Failure to secure the insurance would substantially impair the ability of the entity to conduct its affairs; and

3. The risk is not determined by the Risk Underwriting Committee to be uninsurable.

(10) Classification System. For purposes of this rule commercial property insurance is considered a class of property insurance. Other classes of insurance may not be written by the Association without an amendment to this rule.

(11) Market Assistance Plan; Activation of Coverage.

(a) If the market assistance plan receives a minimum of 100 commercial property quote requests within a 3-month period, or 200 commercial property quote requests within a 1-year period or less, for a given class of risk contained in the classification system defined in the plan of operation of the Association, and unless at least 80 percent of such applicants find coverage as a result of the market assistance program referral at or below the qualifying quoted premium, the Commercial Property Insurance class of risk shall immediately be eligible for coverage in the Joint Underwriting Association.

(b) Any market assistance plan application that is rejected because an individual risk is so hazardous as to be practically uninsurable, or because the likelihood of a loss for such a risk is substantially higher than for other risks of the same class due to individual risk characteristics, prior loss experience, unwillingness to cooperate with a prior insurer, physical characteristics and physical location, will be excluded from the minimum percentage calculation provided in paragraph (a).

(c) In the event that there is any legal or administrative challenge to a determination by the Office that the conditions of this subsection have been met for eligibility for coverage in the Association for a given classification, any eligible risk may obtain coverage during the pendency of any such challenge.

(12) Removal of Risks.

(a) The Association shall establish a procedure to identify and remove risks from the plan once such risks no longer meet the eligibility requirements for coverage by the Association. At each 6-month interval after the activation of any class of risks, the Board of Governors or its designated committee shall review the number of applications to the market assistance plan for that class. If, based on such review, it is determined that at least 90 percent of such applications have been provided a qualifying quoted premium, the Association shall cease underwriting new applications for such class within 30 days, and notification of this decision shall be sent to the Office, the major agents' associations, and the Board of Directors of the market assistance plan. All policies which were previously written for that class shall continue in force until their normal expiration date, at which time, subject to the required timely notification of nonrenewal by the Association, the insured may then elect to reapply to the Association according to the

requirements of eligibility. If, upon reapplication, those previously insured Association risks meet the eligibility requirements, the Association shall provide coverage available from the Association.

(b) In addition, the Board may establish a plan for transfer of risk from the Association to other entities either through reinsurance or other risk transfer or risk financing mechanisms. The cost of such reinsurance or other risk transfer or risk financing arrangements may be included in the rates of the Association.

(13) Equitable apportionment of profits, losses and expenses.

(a) In the event an underwriting deficit exists for any calendar year the plan is in effect, any surplus which has accrued from previous years and is not projected within reasonable actuarial certainty to be needed for payment for claims in the year the surplus arose shall be used to offset the deficit to the extent available.

(b) As to any remaining deficit, the Board of Governors of the Association shall levy and collect an assessment from participating insurers in an amount sufficient to offset such deficit. Such assessment shall be levied against the insurers participating in the plan during the year giving rise to the assessment. Any assessments against insurers for the lines of property insurance issued to commercial risks shall be recovered from the participating insurers in the proportion that the assessable premium of each insurer for commercial risks written during the preceding calendar year bears to the aggregate assessable premium written by all members of the plan for the lines of insurance included in the plan.

(c) The Board shall take all reasonable and prudent steps necessary to collect the amount of assessment due from each participating insurer and policyholder, including, if prudent, filing suit to collect such assessment. If the Board is unable to collect an assessment from any insurer, the uncollected assessments shall be levied as an additional assessment against the participating insurers and any participating insurer required to pay an additional assessment as a result of such failure to pay shall have a cause of action against such nonpaying insurer. In addition, the failure of an insurer to pay an assessment timely shall constitute a violation of this rule subjecting the insurer to administrative action by the Office.

(14) Recoupment of Assessments. An insurer or insurer group may recoup any assessments that have been paid to the Association as provided for in Section 627.3512, Florida Statutes.

(15) Procedure for Assessments.

(a) Annually, no later than March 31, the Board shall calculate the participation ratio of each participating insurer and issue it to the insurer. The participation ratio is the share of any assessment that would be borne by that insurer, if an assessment is determined to be necessary. An insurer that disagrees with its participation ratio calculation has 30 days

from issuance of the ratio within which to appeal to the Board to change the participation ratio calculation. If an insurer fails to appeal the calculation within 30 days from the date of issuance, the calculation for each participating insurer becomes final and unappealable.

(b) To issue an assessment, the Board shall determine that the need for an assessment exists, and shall certify the need and the amount of the assessment to the Office. The Board may determine that an assessment is needed for start-up costs for the Association. The Office shall provide the Board with a list of participating insurers and the corresponding reported Assessable Premium volume. The Association may then apply any credits earned by the insurer and issue an assessment invoice to each participating insurer.

(c) The invoice must be paid within 30 days, provided, however, that if a hurricane makes landfall in Florida and the Board anticipates that the assessment will be needed to fund claim payments, the Board may require the invoice be paid within 10 days. In addition to the civil action provided by statute, the failure of an insurer to pay an invoice when due shall constitute a violation of this rule subjecting the insurer to administrative action by the Office.

(16) Credits Against Assessments. The Board shall adopt a plan, subject to the approval of the Office, to provide each participating insurer the opportunity to earn credits against any deficit assessment for commercial property risks voluntarily written through the Market Assistance Plan by such insurer. Credits may be based upon the premium or policy limits for risk taken by the insurer pursuant to contract of excess insurance coverage or a reinsurance contract between the insurer and the Association. Credits may also be established, and may be greater, for risks taken by the insurer where the insurer writes the insurance coverage through the Market Assistance Plan without any participation by the Association whether or not the risk has been insured by the Association in preceding years. The Board may file amended plans for credit against assessments as often as necessary to encourage participation by the voluntary market. The plans shall be effective when approved and shall apply prospectively to assessments levied for the plan year during which they are in effect. The credit plan may provide for no credits to be given in the event that bonds are issued and the assessment is being made for the purpose of repayment of bond debt. An insurer shall not receive credits for its participation in a policy for an insured which it had nonrenewed or cancelled within the two years preceding the inception of the policy issued to the same insured by the Association.

(17) Reporting Requirements. The Board may establish the format of a report to be sent each quarter to each participating insurer, with respect to its commercial property written, informing the insurer of its share of profits, losses, and expenses under the plan. The Office may also establish the format of a report to be sent each quarter to the Office by each

participating insurer with respect to its commercial property written reporting the volume of net direct premium to enable the Office to calculate each insurer's portion of any potential deficit assessment under this plan. The Office may require separate reporting for commercial residential and commercial non-residential risks for each line of insurance listed in the report. The lines of insurance anticipated to be included are lines 1, 2, 5.1, 5.2, 3, and 12 of the state page of the annual statement. The purpose of including the commercial residential premium written for property risks is solely to allow the total on the report to correlate to annual statement reporting, and is not intended to make commercial residential property premium part of the assessment base for this Association.

(18) Financing Arrangements.

(a) There are three different aspects of financing in which the Association is involved:

1. Financing for Operations – The Board may borrow money and may enter into financing agreements to fund start-up costs, operating expenses, or claim payments and associated loss adjustment expenses that occur during the existence of the Association.

2. Assessments for Underwriting Deficits – In the event an underwriting deficit exists for any calendar year the plan is in effect, any surplus which has accrued from previous years and is not projected within reasonable actuarial certainty to be needed for payment for claims in the year the surplus arose shall be used to offset the deficit to the extent available. As to any remaining deficit, the Board shall levy and collect an assessment as provided above.

3. Assessments Following Issuance of Bonds – The governing body of any unit of local government, any residents or businesses of which are insured by the Association, may issue bonds as defined in Section 125.013, Florida Statutes, or Section 166.101, Florida Statutes, from time to time to fund an assistance program, in conjunction with the Association, for the purpose of defraying deficits of the Association. Revenue bonds may not be issued until validated pursuant to Chapter 75, Florida Statutes, unless a state of emergency is declared by executive order or proclamation of the Governor pursuant to Section 252.36, Florida Statutes, making such findings as are necessary to determine that it is in the best interests of, and necessary for, the protection of the public health, safety, and general welfare of residents of this state and the protection and preservation of the economic stability of insurers operating in this state, and declaring it an essential public purpose to permit certain municipalities or counties to issue such bonds as will provide relief to claimants and policyholders of the joint underwriting association and insurers responsible for apportionment of association losses. The unit of local government shall enter into such contracts with the Association as are necessary to carry out this subsection. Any bonds issued shall be payable from and secured by moneys received by the Association from assessments under this subsection, and

assigned and pledged to or on behalf of the unit of local government for the benefit of the holders of such bonds. The funds, credit, property, and taxing power of the state or of the unit of local government shall not be pledged for the payment of such bonds. If any of the bonds remain unsold 60 days after issuance, the Office shall require all insurers subject to assessment to purchase the bonds, which shall be treated as admitted assets; each insurer shall be required to purchase that percentage of the unsold portion of the bond issue that equals the insurer's relative share of assessment liability under this subsection. An insurer shall not be required to purchase the bonds to the extent that the Office determines that the purchase would endanger or impair the solvency of the insurer.

(b) Section 627.351(5)(c)6.a., Florida Statutes, states, "The Legislature finds that the potential for unlimited assessments under this paragraph may induce insurers to attempt to reduce their writings in the voluntary market, and that such actions would worsen the availability problems that the Association was created to remedy. It is the intent of the Legislature that insurers remain fully responsible for covering any deficits of the association; however, it is also the intent of the Legislature to provide a means by which assessment liabilities may be amortized over a period of years." The total amount of deficit assessments with respect to the deficit in any year may not exceed 10 percent of the Assessable Premium for all insurers for the prior year, except that if the deficit with respect to any plan year exceeds such amount and bonds are issued to defray the deficit, the total amount of assessments with respect to such deficit may not in any year exceed 10 percent of the original deficit, or such lesser percentage as is sufficient to retire the bonds as determined by the Board, and shall continue annually until the bonds are retired.

(19) Deferment of Assessments. An assessment of an insurer may be deferred, in whole or in part, if the Office finds that payment of the assessment would endanger or impair the solvency of the insurer. In the event an assessment against an insurer is deferred in whole or in part, the amount by which such assessment is deferred may be assessed against the other member insurers in a manner consistent with the basis for assessments.

(20) Risk Underwriting Committee.

(a) A Risk Underwriting Committee of the Joint Underwriting Association composed of three members experienced in evaluating insurance risks is created to review risks rejected by the voluntary market for which application is made for insurance through the joint underwriting plan. The committee shall consist of a representative of the market assistance plan created under Section 627.3515, Florida Statutes, a member selected by the participating insurers, and a member named by the Chief Financial Officer. The Risk Underwriting Committee shall appoint such advisory committees as are provided for in the plan and are necessary to conduct its functions. The Association may pay or reimburse

the salaries and expenses of the members of the Risk Underwriting Committee and its advisory committees for the time spent on behalf of the Risk Underwriting Committee. The Risk Underwriting Committee shall recommend a plan, subject to approval by the Office, to establish criteria and procedures for use by the Risk Underwriting Committee for determining whether an individual risk is so hazardous as to be uninsurable. In making this determination and in establishing the criteria and procedures, the following shall be considered in addition to criteria commonly used in the market for determining the insurability of the risk:

1. Whether the likelihood of a loss for the individual risk is substantially higher than for other risks of the same class; and

2. Whether the uncertainty associated with the individual risk is such that an appropriate premium cannot be determined.

(b) The Risk Underwriting Committee shall not be required to review a risk for insurability if an authorized insurer agrees to accept some portion of the risk under an excess of loss contract or reinsurance contract between the insurer and the Association. In accordance with the statute, the acceptance or rejection of a risk by the Underwriting Committee is final and is the private placement of insurance, and is not subject to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

(21) Policy Forms and Applications.

(a) No policy or policy form shall be used unless it has been approved by the Office. The Association may offer coverage that is more restrictive than the coverage offered by the voluntary market, and may limit its property coverage for a particular risk to cover only a specified structure or structures. It may limit coverage for contents or business interruption and may provide coverage limited to the value of the insured structure. It may offer direct insurance, excess insurance or reinsurance if approved by the Board and the Office.

(b) The application form to be required of insureds shall also be filed and must be approved by the Office prior to its use by the Association. The application form must include, as a minimum, the following:

1. Underwriting information on each building that is to be insured.

2. The name of the prior insurer of the account, if any, along with a copy of the policy or declarations page showing the coverage written for the year prior to application.

3. A copy of any non-renewal or cancellation notice issued by the prior insurer.

4. A certification from the agent that a good-faith effort has been made to find coverage and that the coverage is unavailable in the voluntary market, including a list of the three carriers, plus the surplus lines carrier to which the risk was submitted.

(22) Underwriting Rules. Underwriting Rules shall be filed and shall not be used until approved by the Office of Insurance Regulation. The Underwriting Rules shall include a

requirement that the application for coverage be submitted to the Market Assistance Plan prior to coverage by the Association. A waiting period of a minimum of ten days shall be required as an underwriting requirement to afford the voluntary market a reasonable opportunity to underwrite and take the risk. In an emergency, the waiting period may be waived upon terms and conditions established in the underwriting rules of the Association. Inspections may be required.

(23) Rates. The Association shall establish a rating plan to be filed with and approved by the Office in advance of implementation. Rates shall be actuarially sound and consistent with the applicable standards of Sections 627.062 and 627.351(5), Florida Statutes. The Association may have multiple programs for direct insurance, excess insurance, and reinsurance business, and may establish a separate rating plan for each program. The rating plan shall include the following:

(a) An appropriate rate level or levels for risks with loss experience equal to or better than that contemplated by the expected loss ratio in the filing.

(b) An appropriate rate level or levels for risks with loss experience worse than that contemplated by the expected loss ratio in the filing.

(24) Deductibles. The Association may establish in its rating plan(s) applicable deductibles as may be necessary to meet the needs of the insureds and to protect the interests of the Association. A deductible of five percent shall apply for the initial policies written by the Association. If the Board determines that a higher or lower deductible amount is needed, the Board may approve different deductibles for each of its programs, file an amended rating plan with the Office, and upon Office approval, offer policies with the new approved deductible amount.

(25) Policy Limits. The Board may establish reasonable limits on available amounts of insurance. Initial policies issued by the Association shall have limits not exceeding one million dollars. If the Board determines that higher or lower limits are needed, the Board may adopt different limits, and file an amended rating plan and policy form with the Office. Upon Office approval, the Association may offer policies with the new approved limits.

(26) Commissions. The commissions payable to producers shall be determined by the Board and set forth in the Association's rating plan, but shall be less than the typical commissions earned for the sale or placement of risk with a private insurance company, and shall not reward an agent for placing a higher volume of risk with the Association.

(27) Policy Cancellations and Renewals.

(a) Unless otherwise required by law, the Board may establish procedures for the cancellation of policies for nonpayment of premium, misrepresentation of material fact, or failure to comply with risk management programs or other underwriting criteria. Policies may also be cancelled or

nonrenewed if there has been a substantial and material change in the nature of the risk that renders it uninsurable or otherwise ineligible for coverage by the Association. Return premiums shall be on a pro rata basis unless determined otherwise by the Board and included in the rating plan.

(b) Renewals may be offered, but each risk shall apply for renewal prior to the expiration of the policy period and shall include with its application for renewal such information as the Association may reasonably require to confirm that the risk remains eligible for coverage.

(28) Risk Management Programs. The Board may establish Risk Management Programs and require compliance with such programs as a condition of coverage at policy inception and as a condition of renewal. The Risk Management Programs may require reasonable efforts to mitigate against the risk of loss from hurricanes, including the installation of shutters, tied-down roofing materials, and other devices designed to prevent unnecessary losses from the peril of wind. The Risk Management Programs shall be included in the Association's underwriting rules subject to approval by the Office.

(29) Amendments to this Plan of Operation of the Association. The Board of Governors may adopt amendments to this plan of operation to be submitted for review to the Office. The Office will review the amendments and may place the proposed plan amendments on the calendar for a meeting of the Financial Services Commission for approval. Plan amendments shall not be effective until approved by the Financial Services Commission.

(30) Deactivation of the Joint Underwriting Association.

(a) If, at any time, the Financial Services Commission determines that the purposes of the Association have been served or that the Association is no longer necessary or advisable, the Financial Services Commission may deactivate the Association. Such deactivation plan shall provide that upon deactivation, the assets of the Association shall be applied first to pay all debts, claims, liabilities, expenses and obligation of the Association including the establishment of reasonable reserves for any contingent liabilities or obligations. Any remaining assets shall be paid to the state of Florida and deposited into or for the benefit of the Florida Comprehensive Hurricane Damage Mitigation Program, the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund or such other fund as may be designated by the Financial Services Commission. However, no deactivation shall take effect as long as the Association has bonds or other financial obligations outstanding unless adequate provision has been made for the payment of the bonds or other financial obligations pursuant to the documents authorizing the issuance of the bonds or other financial obligations.

(b) Deactivation by the Financial Services Commission is the only method for termination of the business of the Association. The Association shall not be subject to the appointment of a receiver pursuant to Chapter 631, Florida

Statutes, and no employee, Board member, insured, participating insurer or other person is authorized to file for bankruptcy protection of the Association on a voluntary or involuntary basis.

Specific Authority 624.308(1), 627.351(5) FS. Law Implemented 624.307(1), 627.351(5) FS. History--New 8-13-89, Formerly 4-87.001, 4J-2.001, Amended _____.

The **Financial Services Commission** announces a public hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 3, 2006, 9:00 a.m., during a regular meeting of the Financial Services Commission

PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is the Public Hearing on the adoption of proposed amendments to Rule 69O-170.0155, Florida Administrative Code, published on September 8, 2006 in Vol. 32, No. 36, of the F.A.W. No notice of change was published.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this program, please advise the contact person at least 5 calendar days before the program by contacting Michael Milnes at E-mail: michael.milnes@fldfs.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69O-170.0155 Forms.

The following forms are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference:

(1)(a) through (i) No change.

(j) OIR-B1-1655, "Notice of Premium Discounts for Hurricane Loss Mitigation," (Rev. 10/06) (New 10/1/05).

(2) All Office of Insurance Regulation forms may be obtained from:

(a) The ~~Office's Department of Financial Service's~~ web site located at <https://www.floir.com> ~~https://www.fldfs.com~~; or

(b) ~~The Bureau of Property and Casualty Product Review Forms and Rates~~, Office of Insurance Regulation, Larson Building, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0330, (850)413-3146.

Specific Authority 624.308(1), 627.711 FS. Law Implemented 624.307(1), 624.424, 627.062, 627.0645, 627.711 FS. History--New 6-19-03, Formerly 4-170.0155, Amended 2-23-06, _____.

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PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is the Public Hearing on the adoption of proposed amendments to Rule 69O-170.017, Florida Administrative Code, published on September 8, 2006 in Vol. 32, No. 36, of the F.A.W. No notice of change was published.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this program, please advise the contact person at least 5 calendar days before the program by contacting: Richard Koon, richard.koon@fldfs.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69O-170.017 Windstorm Mitigation ~~Shutter~~ Discounts.

(1)(~~a~~) This rule applies to all residential property insurance rate filings filed on or after September 1, 2006. All residential property insurers must make new filings by January 1, 2007, to reflect the requirements in this rule. For the purpose of determining appropriate discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions in deductibles for residential properties on which shutters or other wind mitigation devices or fixtures have been installed, pursuant to Section 627.0629(1), Florida Statutes, any rate filing which provides discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions in deductibles consistent with any statewide rating organization plan currently approved pursuant to Section 627.062, Florida Statutes, shall be considered in compliance with the applicable requirements of Section 627.0629(1), Florida Statutes.

(b) ~~A rate filing which does not provide at least the same level of discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions in deductibles as specified in such a plan will be disapproved, unless the insurer demonstrates that the discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions comply with the requirements of Sections 627.062 and 627.0629(1), Florida Statutes.~~

(2) Section 627.0629, F.S., states that discounts on an actuarially reasonable basis or appropriate reductions in deductibles must be provided in the rates for residential property insurance for fixtures or construction techniques, including minimum provisions of the Florida Building Code which have been demonstrated to reduce windstorm loss. The discounts must reflect the discounts as set forth in the

appendix, which is incorporated by reference, which are based upon the studies Development of Loss Relativities for Wind Resistive Features of Residential Structures and Development of Loss Relativities for Wind-Resistive Features of Residential Structures of Five or More Units. These discounts must be used without any modification unless they are supported by detail alternate studies where all assumptions are available to the Office for review. These public domain studies providing data and information on estimated loss reduction for wind resistive building features in residences are incorporated by reference, and are available for downloading at the website of the Florida Department of Community Affairs, at <http://www.floridadisaster.org/brm/RCMP/Wind%20Loss/> and <http://www.floridadisaster.org/brm/Wind%20Loss/index2.htm> respectively. Any insurer that has implemented a residential property rate filing on or after July 1, 1994, that does not provide at least the level of discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions in deductibles provided for in an approved rating plan referenced in subsection (1) above, or otherwise comply with the requirements of Section 627.0629(1), Florida Statutes, shall make a shutter discount filing immediately.

(3) Filings can modify other rating factors to reflect revenue impact on current business only if they have actual information on policies receiving the discounts currently to support the modification. An insurer shall provide to residential property insurance policy applicants at the time of procurement of the policy application actual notice of the availability of discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions in deductibles, as well as all requirements that must be satisfied in order to qualify for such discounts, credits, rate differentials or reductions. For all residential property insurance policies in force on the effective date of this rule, an insurer shall, at the next renewal, provide such actual notice to the policyholder. After once providing such actual notice to a policyholder or policy applicant, an insurer shall not be required to again provide such notice at the time of renewal of the policy unless the insurer implements changes to its discounts, credits, rate differentials, reductions in deductibles, or requirements that must be satisfied to qualify for such discounts, credits, rate differentials, or reductions. Failure to provide such notice shall be considered a violation of Section 626.9541(1)(a)1., Florida Statutes.

Specific Authority 624.307(1), 624.308(1) FS. Law Implemented 624.307(1), 627.062, 627.0629(1) FS. History--New 4-1-98, Formerly 4-170.017, Amended _____.

NOTICE OF RESCHEDULING – The **Office of Insurance Regulation** announces an annual meeting of the Governor's Continuing Care Advisory Council to which all persons are invited to participate.

DATE AND TIME: October 4, 2006, 12:00 Noon. (Please note the new start time for this meeting. The meeting was previously scheduled to start at 1:00 p.m.)

PLACE: The Office of Insurance Regulation, Rm. 142, Larson Building, 200 East Gaines Street, Larson Building, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0331

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To appoint a new chairperson and vice chairperson for the Advisory Council and discuss issues currently facing the Continuing Care industry.

Pursuant to the provisions of the American with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this meeting, please advise at least 5 calendar days before the meeting by contacting: Mr. Gary Mills, (850)413-2476.

PROPERTY AND CASUALTY JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION

The **Board of Governors of the Property and Casualty Joint Underwriting Association** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 28, 2006, 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport, 9300 Airport Boulevard, Orlando, Florida, USA 32827

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Operational specifics for the Association.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained via the internet at: www.floir.com.

If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, they will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record will include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any persons needing special accommodations at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact: Susan Dawson, Assistant General Counsel, Office of Insurance Regulation, (850)413-4195, at least two days in advance of the meeting.

H. LEE MOFFITT CANCER CENTER AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE, INC.

The **H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute, Inc.** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 26, 2006, 1:30 p.m.
PLACE: Stabile Trustees Board Room, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, Florida
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the general business of the Board of Directors.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: Lori Payne, Administration, Moffitt Cancer Center, 12902 Magnolia Drive, SRB-COO, Tampa, FL 33612.

Persons requiring special accommodations due to disability or physical impairment should contact: Ms. Payne, by September 22, 2006.

The **H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute, Inc.** announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 27, 2006, 1:30 p.m.
PLACE: SRB Trustee Board Room, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, Florida
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct general business of the Joint Finance and Planning Committee of the Board of Directors.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: Ms. Barbara Sawyer, Administration, Moffitt Cancer Center, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, FL 33612.

Persons requiring special accommodations due to disability or physical impairment should contact: Ms. Barbara Sawyer by Friday, September 22, 2006.

**Section VII
Notices of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Declaratory Statements**

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND

Notices for the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Division of State Fire Marshal has received the petition for declaratory statement from Tamarac Fire Rescue, Petitioner, filed August 31, 2006. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Section 633.061(1), Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

The Petition requests an interpretation of Section 633.061(1), Florida Statutes. The Petitioner specifically asks the Division of State Fire Marshal to declare whether it is unlawful for any organization or individual to engage in the business of servicing, repairing, recharging, testing, marking, inspecting, installing, or hydrotesting any fire extinguisher or preengineered system in this state without a valid and subsisting license issued by the State Fire Marshal.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Lesley Mendelson, Assistant General Counsel, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0340, (850)413-3604 or (850)413-4148, Fax (850)922-1235 or (850)488-0697 (please advise if you would like it mailed or faxed to you and please include your phone number on your request in case any question arises), or by e-mailing your request to Lesley.Mendelson@fldfs.com.

**Section VIII
Notices of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding the Validity of Rules**

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE