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# Preface

The Idaho Administrative Bulletin is published once each month by the Department of Administration, Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator, pursuant to Section 67-5203, Idaho Code. The Bulletin is a monthly compilation of all administrative rule-making documents in Idaho. The Bulletin publishes the official rulemaking notices and administrative rule text of state agency rulemakings and other official documents as necessary.

State agencies are required to provide public notice of rulemaking activity and invite public input. The public receives notice of rulemaking activity through the Idaho Administrative Bulletin and the Legal Notice published monthly in local newspapers. The Legal Notice provides reasonable opportunity for public input, either oral or written, which may be presented to the agency within the time and manner specified in the Rulemaking Notice published in the Bulletin. After the comment period closes, the agency considers fully all information submitted in regard to the rule. Comment periods are not provided in temporary or final rule-making activities.

# CITATION TO THE IDAHO ADMINISTRATIVE BULLETIN

The Bulletin is cited by year and issue number. For example, Bulletin 06-1 refers to the first Bulletin issued in calendar year 2006; Bulletin 07-1 refers to the first Bulletin issued in calendar year 2007. Volume numbers, which proceed from 1 to 12 in a given year, correspond to the months of publication, i.e.; Volume No. 07-1 refers to January 2007; Volume No. 07-2 refers to February 2007; and so forth. Example: The Bulletin published in January of 2007 is cited as Volume 07-1. The December 2006 Bulletin is cited as Volume 06-12.

#### RELATIONSHIP TO THE IDAHO ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

The Idaho Administrative Code is published once a year and is a compilation or supplemental compilation of all final and enforceable administrative rules in effect in Idaho. In an effort to provide the reader with current, enforceable rules, temporary rules are also published in the Administrative Code. Temporary rules and final rules approved by the legislature during the legislative session, and published in the monthly Idaho Administrative Bulletin, supplement the Administrative Code. Negotiated, proposed, and pending rules are only published in the Bulletin and not printed in the Administrative Code.

To determine if a particular rule remains in effect, or to determine if a change has occurred, the reader should refer to the **Cumulative Rulemaking Index of Idaho Administrative Rules**, printed in each Bulletin.

# TYPES OF RULEMAKINGS PUBLISHED IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE BULLETIN

The state of Idaho administrative rulemaking process, governed by the Administrative Procedure Act, Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code, comprises five distinct activities: negotiated, proposed, temporary, pending and final rulemaking. Not all rulemakings involve all five. At a minimum, a rulemaking includes proposed, pending and final rulemaking. Many rules are adopted as temporary rules when they meet the required statutory criteria and agencies often engage in negotiated rulemaking at the beginning of the process to facilitate consensus building in controversial or complex rulemakings. In the majority of cases, the process begins with proposed rulemaking and ends with the final rulemaking. The following is a brief explanation of each type of administrative rule.

#### NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

Negotiated rulemaking is a process in which all interested parties and the agency seek consensus on the content of a rule. Agencies are encouraged, and in some cases required, to engage in this rulemaking activity whenever it is feasible to do so. Publication of a "Notice of Intent to Promulgate" a rule in the Administrative Bulletin by the agency is optional. This process should result in the formulation of a proposed and/or temporary rule.

#### PROPOSED RULEMAKING

A proposed rulemaking is an action by an agency wherein the agency is proposing to amend or repeal an existing rule or to adopt a new rule. Prior to the adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule, the agency must publish a "Notice of Proposed Rulemaking" in the Bulletin. This notice must include:

- a) the specific statutory authority (from Idaho Code) for the rulemaking including a citation to a specific federal statute or regulation if that is the basis of authority or requirement for the rulemaking;
- b) a statement in nontechnical language of the substance of the proposed rule, including a specific description of any fee or charge imposed or increased;
- *c)* the text of the proposed rule prepared in legislative format;
- d) the location, date, and time of any public hearings the agency intends to hold on the proposed rule;
- e) the manner in which persons may make written comments on the proposed rule, including the name and address of a person in the agency to whom comments on the proposal may be sent;
- f) the manner in which persons may request an opportunity for an oral presentation as provided in Section 67-5222, Idaho Code; and
- g) the deadline for public (written) comments on the proposed rule.

As stated, the text of the proposed rule must be published in the Bulletin. After meeting the statutory rulemaking criteria for a proposed rule, the agency may proceed to the pending rule stage. A proposed rule does not have an assigned effective date unless published in conjunction with a temporary rule. An agency may vacate a proposed rulemaking if it decides not to proceed further with the promulgation process.

# TEMPORARY RULEMAKING

Temporary rules may be adopted only when the governor finds that it is necessary for:

- a) protection of the public health, safety, or welfare; or
- b) compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law or federal programs; or
- c) conferring a benefit;

If a rulemaking meets any one or all of the above requirements, a rule may become effective before it has been submitted to the legislature for review and the agency may proceed and adopt a temporary rule. However, a temporary rule that imposes a fee or charge may be adopted only if the Governor finds that the fee or charge is necessary to avoid an immediate danger which justifies the imposition of the fee or charge.

A temporary rule expires at the conclusion of the next succeeding regular legislative session unless the rule is approved, amended, or modified by concurrent resolution or when the rule has been replaced by a final rule.

State law requires that the text of both a proposed rule and a temporary rule be published in the Administrative Bulletin. In cases where the text of the temporary rule is the same as the proposed rule, the rulemaking can be done concurrently as a proposed/temporary rule. Combining the rulemaking allows for a single publication of the text.

An agency may, at any time, rescind a temporary rule that has been adopted and is in effect. If the temporary rule is being replaced by a new temporary rule or if it has been published concurrently with a proposed rule that is being vacated, the agency, in most instances, should rescind the temporary rule.

## PENDING RULEMAKING

A pending rule is a rule that has been adopted by an agency under regular rulemaking procedures and remains subject to legislative review before it becomes a final, enforceable rule.

When a pending rule is published in the Bulletin, the agency is required to include certain information in the "Notice of Pending Rulemaking". This includes:

- a) a statement giving the reasons for adopting the rule;
- b) a statement of any change between the text of the proposed rule and the pending rule with an explanation of the reasons for any changes;
- c) the date the pending rule will become final and effective;
- d) an identification of any portion of the rule imposing or increasing a fee or charge.

Agencies are required to republish the text of the rule when substantive changes have been made to the proposed rule. An agency may adopt a pending rule that varies in content from that which was originally proposed if the subject matter of the rule remains the same, the pending rule change is a logical outgrowth of the proposed rule, and the original notice was written so as to assure that members of the public were reasonably notified of the subject. It is not always necessary to republish all the text of the pending rule. With the permission of the Rules Coordinator, only the Section(s) that have changed from the proposed text are republished. If no changes have been made to the previously published text, it is not required to republish the text again and only the "Notice of Pending Rulemaking" is published.

#### FINAL RULEMAKING

A final rule is a rule that has been adopted by an agency under the regular rulemaking procedures and is in effect and enforceable.

No pending rule adopted by an agency will become final and effective until it has been submitted to the legislature for review. Where the legislature finds that an agency has violated the legislative intent of the statute under which the rule was made, a concurrent resolution may be adopted to reject the rulemaking or any part thereof. A "Notice of Final Rule" must be published in the Bulletin for any rule that is rejected, amended, or modified by the legislature showing the changes made. A rule reviewed by the legislature and not rejected, amended or modified becomes final with no further legislative action. No rule shall become final and effective before the conclusion of the regular or special legislative session at which the rule was submitted for review. However, a rule that is final and effective may be applied retroactively, as provided in the rule.

# AVAILABILITY OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE AND BULLETIN

The Idaho Administrative Code and all monthly Bulletins are available for viewing and use by the public in all 44 county law libraries, state university and college and community college libraries, the state law library, the state library, the Public Libraries in Boise, Pocatello, Idaho Falls, Twin Falls, Lewiston and East Bonner County Library.

# SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DISTRIBUTION

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The Idaho Administrative Bulletin is an official monthly publication of the State of Idaho. Yearly subscriptions or individual copies are available for purchase.

The Idaho Administrative Code, is an annual compilation or supplemental compilation of all final and enforceable temporary administrative rules and includes a table of contents, reference guides, and a subject index.

Individual Rule Chapters and Individual RuleMaking Dockets, are specific portions of the Bulletin and Administrative Code produced on demand.

Internet Access - The Administrative Code and Administrative Bulletin are available on the Internet at the following address: http://adm.idaho.gov/adminrules/

# HOW TO USE THE IDAHO ADMINISTRATIVE BULLETIN

Rulemaking documents produced by state agencies and published in the **Idaho Administrative Bulletin** are organized by a numbering system. Each state agency has a two-digit identification code number known as the "**IDAPA**" number. (The "IDAPA" Codes are listed in the alphabetical/numerical index at the end of this Preface.) Within each agency there are divisions or departments to which a two-digit "TITLE" number is assigned. There are "CHAPTER" numbers assigned within the Title and the rule text is divided among major sections with a number of subsections. An example IDAPA number is as follows:

# IDAPA 38.05.01.200.02.c.ii.

"IDAPA" refers to Administrative Rules in general that are subject to the Administrative Procedures Act and are required by this act to be published in the Idaho Administrative Code and the Idaho Administrative Bulletin.

"38." refers to the Idaho Department of Administration

"05." refers to Title 05, which is the Department of Administrations's Division of Purchasing

"01." refers to Chapter 01 of Title 05, "Rules of the Division of Purchasing"

"200." refers to Major Section 200, "Content of the Invitation to Bid"

"02." refers to Subsection 200.02.

"c." refers to Subsection 200.02.c.

"ii." refers to Subsection 200.02.c.ii.

# DOCKET NUMBERING SYSTEM

Internally, the Bulletin is organized sequentially using a rule docketing system. All rulemaking actions (documents) are assigned a "DOCKET NUMBER." The "Docket Number" is a series of numbers separated by a hyphen "-", (38-0501-0701). The docket numbers are published sequentially by IDAPA designation (e.g. the two-digit agency code). The following example is a breakdown of a typical rule docket number:

# "DOCKET NO. 38-0501-0701"

"38-" denotes the agency's IDAPA number; in this case the Department of Administration.

"0501-" refers to the TITLE AND CHAPTER numbers of the agency rule being promulgated; in this case the Division of Purchasing (TITLE 05), Rules of the Division of Purchasing (Chapter 01).

"0701" denotes the year and sequential order of the docket being published; in this case the numbers refer to the first rule-making action published in calendar year 2007. A subsequent rulemaking on this same rule chapter in calendar year 2007 would be designated as "0702". The docket number in this scenario would be 38-0501-0702.

Within each Docket, only the affected sections of chapters are printed. (See Sections Affected Index in each Bulletin for a listing of these.) The individual sections affected are printed in the Bulletin sequentially (e.g. Section "200" appears before Section "345" and so on). Whenever the sequence of the numbering is broken the following statement will appear:

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL CITATIONS TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES IN THE CODE AND BULLETIN

When making a citation to another Section or Subsection of a rule that is part of the same rule, a typical internal citation may appear as follows:

"...as found in Section 201 of this rule." OR "...in accordance with Subsection 201.06.c. of this rule."

The citation may also include the IDAPA, Title, or Chapter number, as follows"

"...in accordance with IDAPA 38.05.01.201..."

"38" denotes the IDAPA number of the agency.

"05" denotes the TITLE number of the rule.

"01" denotes the Chapter number of the rule.

"201" denotes the main Section number of the rule to which the citation refers.

Citations made within a rule to a different rule chapter (external citation) should also include the name of the Department and the name of the rule chapter being referenced, as well as the IDAPA, Title, and Chapter numbers. The following is a typical example of an external citation to another rule chapter:

"...as outlined in the Rules of the Department of Administration, IDAPA 38.04.04, "Rules Governing Capitol Mall Parking."

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<sup>\*</sup>Last day to submit proposed rulemaking before moratorium begins and last day to submit pending rules to be reviewed by the legislature.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Last day to submit proposed rules in order to complete rulemaking for review by legislature.

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## **IDAPA 17 - INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION**

#### 17.02.08 - MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

#### **DOCKET NO. 17-0208-0702**

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULEMAKING

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 72-508, 72-720, 72-721, 72-722, AND 72-723, Idaho Code, and Section 72-803of the Idaho Code.

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE: Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

October 9, 2007 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Ameritel Inn 333 Ironwwood Ave. Coeur d'Alene, ID October 15, 2007 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Industrial Commission 317 Main Street Boise, ID October 18, 2007 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Ameritel Inn 645 Lindsay Blvd. Idaho Falls, ID

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The medical fee schedule included in IDAPA 17.02.08 is currently a temporary rule that expires at the end of the 2008 legislative session. The medical fee schedule and rule changes incorporates the analysis performed by Ingenix, a consulting firm, to establish and maintain stability for reimbursement methodology for providers, sureties, and employers while maintaining budget neutrality. The proposed rule attempts to be equitable to all parties while maintaining access to providers by injured workers.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year as a result of this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the affected interests are not likely to reach consensus. Written and verbal comments have been received from medical providers, sureties, and self-insured employers and were considered in the proposed amendments.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Mindy Montgomery, Director, 208-334-6000.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Mindy Montgomery, Director Industrial Commission 317 Main St. P.O. Box 83720 Boise, Idaho 83720-0041 Phone: (208) 334-6000

Phone: (208) 334-6000 Fax: (208) 334-2321

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 17-0208-0702

# 031. ACCEPTABLE CHARGES FOR MEDICAL SERVICES UNDER THE IDAHO WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW.

Pursuant to Section 72-508 and Section 72-803, Idaho Code, the Industrial Commission (hereinafter "the Commission") hereby adopts the following rule for determining acceptable charges for medical services provided under the Idaho Workers' Compensation Law:

(3-12-07)

- 01. **Definitions**. Words and terms used in this rule are defined in the subsections which follow. (6-1-92)"Acceptable charge" means the lower of the charge for medical services calculated in accordance with this rule or as billed by the provider, or the charge agreed to pursuant to written contract. (3-12-07)"Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)" means a facility providing surgical services on an outpatient basis only. "Hospital" is any acute care facility providing medical or hospital services and which bills using a UB92 form Medicare universal hospital billing form. (3-12-07)( i. Large hospital is any hospital with more than *fifty* one hundred (5100) acute care beds. ii. Small Hospital is any hospital with *fifty* one hundred (5100) acute care beds or less. "Provider" means any person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, agency, institution or other legal entity providing any kind of medical service related to the treatment of an industrially injured patient which are compensable under Idaho's Workers' Compensation Law. (3-12-07)"Payor" means the legal entity responsible for paying medical benefits under Idaho's Workers' ₽e. Compensation Law. (6-1-92)"Medical Service" means medical, surgical, dental or other attendance or treatment, nurse and hospital service, medicine, apparatus, appliance, prostheses, and related service, facility, equipment and supply. (3-12-07)"Reasonable," means a charge does not exceed the Provider's "usual" charge and does not exceed fg. the "customary" charge, as defined below. (3-12-07)"Usual" means the most frequent charge made by an individual Provider for a given medical <u>gh</u>.
- **hi.** "Customary" means a charge which shall have an upper limit no higher than the 90th percentile, as determined by the Commission, of usual charges made by Idaho Providers for a given medical service. (3-12-07)
  - **O2. Acceptable Charge**. Payors shall pay providers the acceptable charge for medical services. (3-12-07)
- a. Adoption of Standard. The Commission hereby adopts the Resource-Based Relative Value Scale (RBRVS), published by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, as amended, as the standard to be used for determining the acceptable charge for medical services provided under the Idaho Workers' Compensation Law by providers other than hospitals and ASCs. The standard for determining the acceptable charge for hospitals and ASCs shall be:

service to non-industrially injured patients.

(3-12-07)

the procedures set out in Subsection 032.10.

	i.	For large hospitals: Eighty-five $P_p$ ercent (805%) of the $\frac{reasonable}{reasonable}$ appropriate inpatient charge. $\frac{(3-12-07)(}{}$
	ii.	For small hospitals: Ninety-five percent (950%) of the reasonable appropriate inpatient charge.  (3-12-07)()
the appr	<u>iii.</u> ropriate c	For ambulatory surgery centers (ASCs) and hospital outpatient charges: Eighty percent (80%) of harge.
<u>(50%).</u>	<u>iv.</u>	Surgically implanted hardware shall be reimbursed at the rate of actual cost plus fifty percent
	<u>v.</u>	Paragraph 031.02.e., shall not apply to hospitals or ASCs. The Commission shall determine the

<u>b.</u> Conversion Factors. The following conversion factors shall be applied to the fully-implemented facility or non-facility Relative Value Unit (RVU) as determined by place of service found in the latest RBRVS, as amended, that was published before December 31 of the previous calendar year for a medical service identified by a code assigned to that service in the latest edition of the Physicians' Current Procedural Terminology (CPT), published by the American Medical Association, as amended:

appropriate charge for hospital and ASC services that are disputed based on all relevant evidence in accordance with

TYPE OF SERVICE CATEGORY	CODE RANGE(S)	CONVERSION FACTOR
<u>Anesthesia</u>	<u>00000 - 09999</u>	<u>\$58.19</u>
<u>Surgery -</u> <u>Group One</u>	<u>22100 - 27899</u> <u>29800 - 29899</u> <u>63000 - 63999</u>	<u>\$140.00</u>
<u>Surgery -</u> <u>Group Two</u>	<u>28000 - 28999</u> <u>64550 - 64999</u>	\$125.00
Surgery - Group Three	<u>13000 - 19999</u> <u>20650 - 21935</u> <u>61000 - 62258</u>	<u>\$110.00</u>
<u>Surgery -</u> <u>Group Four</u>	20000 - 20615 30000 - 60999 62263 - 62368 64400 - 64530 65000 - 69990	<u>\$85.00</u>
<u>Surgery -</u> <u>Group Five</u>	<u>10000 - 12999</u> <u>29000 - 29750</u>	<u>\$67.00</u>
Radiology	70000 - 79999	<u>\$85.00</u>
Pathology & Laboratory	<u>80000 - 89000</u>	To Be Determined
<u>Medicine -</u> <u>Group One</u>	<u>90465 - 90779</u> <u>93000 - 94762</u> <u>96000 - 98999</u>	<u>\$45.00</u>

# INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION Miscellaneous Provisions

Docket No. 17-0208-0702 Proposed Rule

	<u>Medicine -</u> <u>Group Two</u>	90801 - 92998 94770 - 95999	<u>\$64.50</u>
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- **bc.** The Conversion Factor for the Anesthesiology CPT Codes shall be multiplied by the Anesthesia Base Units assigned to that CPT Code by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services as of December 31 of the previous calendar year, plus the allowable time units reported for the procedure. Time units are computed by dividing reported time by fifteen (15) minutes. Time units will not be used for CPT Codes 01995 and 01996. (3-12-07)
- ed. Adjustment of Conversion Factors. The conversion factors set out in this rule shall be adjusted prior to the beginning of each state fiscal year (FY), starting with FY 2008 2010, as determined by the director of the Department of Health and Welfare using the methodology set forth in section 56-136, Idaho Code, pursuant to Section 72-803, Idaho Code. The Commission shall determine the adjustment, which shall equal the percent change in the all item consumer price index for the west urban area, as published by the U.S. Department of Labor, for the twelve-month (12) month period ending with December of the prior year.
- services Without CPT Code, RVU or Conversion Factor. The acceptable charge for medical services that do not have a CPT code, a currently assigned RVU, or a conversion factor will be the reasonable charge for that service, based upon the usual and customary charge and other relevant factors evidence, as determined by the Commission. Where a service with a CPT Code, RVU, and conversion factor is, nonetheless, claimed to be exceptional or unusual, the Commission may, notwithstanding the conversion factor for that service set out in Subsection 031.02.b., determine the reasonable acceptable charge for that service, based on all relevant factors evidence in accordance with the procedures set out in Subsection 032.110.
- **ef.** Coding. The Commission will generally follow the coding guidelines published by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and by the American Medical Association, including the use of modifiers. The procedure with the largest RVU will be the primary procedure and will be listed first on the claim form. Modifiers will be reimbursed as follows:

  (3-12-07)
  - i. Modifier 50: Additional fifty percent (50%) for bilateral procedure. (3-12-07)
- ii. Modifier 51: Fifty percent (50%) of secondary procedure. This modifier will be applied to each medical or surgical procedure rendered during the same session as the primary procedure. (3-12-07)
  - iii. Modifier 80: Twenty-five percent (25%) of coded procedure. (3-12-07)
- iv. Modifier 81: Fifteen percent (15%) of coded procedure. This modifier applies to MD and non-MD assistants. (3-12-07)

## **IDAPA 18 - IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

# 18.01.44 - SCHEDULE OF FEES, LICENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

# **DOCKET NO. 18-0144-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 41-211 and 41-401, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

In 2004, the department created a discounted renewal fee for electronic renewals as an incentive to encourage licensees to renew their licenses on-line. Currently, about ninety percent of the licensees are renewing their licenses on line and the department believes the discounted fee for electronic renewals is no longer necessary as an incentive for electronic renewals. This rulemaking will eliminate the discounted fee and return to the uniform renewal rate of \$80 for adjusters, producers and surplus lines brokers that was in place prior to the 2004 change.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

The reduced licensing renewal fee of \$60 for adjusters, producers and surplus lines brokers renewing their licenses electronically will be eliminated and licensees renewing electronically will pay the standard renewal fee of eighty dollars every two years.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the rulemaking is simply eliminating a discounted fee and returning to the same fee schedule that was in place prior to the discounted fee. No comments were received when the discount was implemented in 2004, and, because of the small amount involved (\$10 per year for an affected licensee), the department considered it unlikely that there would be any public interest, comment or controversy resulting from the elimination of the discounted fee.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Genetti at 208-334-4340.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

Jim Genetti, Bureau Chief Idaho Department of Insurance 700 West State St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Boise, Idaho 83720-0043 Phone: (208) 334-4250

Fax: (208) 334-4398

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 18-0144-0701

## 030. PRODUCER AND MISCELLANEOUS LICENSING FEES.

01.	Original License A	pplication. The	following fees	are due an	d must be	paid with the filing
application for o	riginal license, which f	ees include the i	ssuance of a lice	nse, if issued	l:	(3-13-02)

- a. Administrators -- Three hundred dollars (\$300). (7-1-00)
- **b.** Producers -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
- c. Designation as a managing general agent -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
- **d.** Adjusters -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
- e. Reinsurance intermediary -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
- **f.** Surplus line brokers -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
- **02. Examination Fees**. The following fees are due and must be paid in order to take examinations for the following licenses: (3-13-02)
  - **a.** Producers and adjusters -- application for examination and each time taken Sixty dollars (\$60). (3-13-02)
  - **63. Fingerprint Processing.** Processing fingerprints, where required Sixty dollars (\$60). (7-1-00)
- **04. License Renewal.** The following fees are due and must be paid for each license in order to renew or continue each and every license: (3-13-02)
- **a.** Adjusters, producers (biennial) -- Eighty dollars (\$80), or sixty dollars (\$60) if renewed electronically.
  - **b.** Redesignation as managing general agent (annual) -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-13-02)
  - c. Administrators (biennial) -- Eighty dollars (\$80). (3-19-07)
  - i. Renewal form shall be filed on or before December 31. (3-19-07)
- ii. Any renewal form postmarked after December 31 shall include a penalty in an amount equal to the renewal fee. (3-19-07)
- iii. A renewal form postmarked after January 31 must be submitted as a new application with supporting documents and the full application fee. (3-19-07)
- **d.** Surplus line brokers (biennial) -- Eighty dollars (\$80), or sixty dollars (\$60) if renewed electronically. (\$60) if renewed

## **IDAPA 18 - DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

# 18.01.50 - ADOPTION OF THE 2003 INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE

#### **DOCKET NO. 18-0150-0701**

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is October 3, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 41-211 and 41-253, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The 2006 edition of the International Fire Code is a companion document to the 2006 edition of the International Building Code as adopted by the state of Idaho, Building Bureau, under other statutory authority. The adoption of this edition provides, by statute, a minimum standard for the protection of life and property from fire and explosion for the state of Idaho.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1) and 41-253, Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

The building code 2006 edition is already in effect for the state. This temporary rule permits a seamless transition for the application of current code requirements for buildings across the state and will benefit the public by assuring consistency between the Building Code and Fire Code applicable in Idaho.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not feasible due to the urgency needed to adopt the temporary rule because of its companion relationship to the adopted building code. The rule merely adopts an updated edition of an existing code without substantive change.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Mark A. Larson, Idaho State Fire Marshal, at 208-334-4370.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 9th day of August, 2007.

Mark A. Larson, State Fire Marshal Department of Insurance 700 W. State Street - 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Boise, ID 83720

P.O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720 208-334-4370; Fax: 208-334-4375

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 18-0150-0701

## 18.01.50 - ADOPTION OF THE 20036 INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- **01. Title**. These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 18.01.50, Rules of the Idaho Department of Insurance, Title 01, Chapter 50, "Adoption of the 20036 International Fire Code." (4-6-05)(10-3-07)T
- **O2. Scope**. Pursuant to the authority provided by Section 41-253, Idaho Code, the Idaho Fire Marshal hereby adopts the 20036 edition of the International Fire Code in order to provide uniformity in the plan review process for state owned and maintained buildings and to maintain consistency and conformity with the International Building Code as the minimum standard for the protection of life and property from fire and explosion for the state of Idaho.

  (4-6-05)(10-3-07)T

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

- **01. 20036 International Fire Code**. In accordance with Section 67-5229, Idaho Code, and pursuant to the authority provided by Section 41-253, Idaho Code, the Idaho Fire Marshal hereby adopts the 200<u>36</u> edition of the International Fire Code as published by the International Code Council with the following revisions, additions, deletions and appendixes. (4-6-05)(10-3-07)T
- **O2. Availability of Referenced Material**. Copies of the 20036 edition of the International Fire Code are available for public inspection at the office of the State Fire Marshal, the State Law Library, and the State Legislative Council. Copies of the 20036 International Fire Code may be procured by writing the International Code Council, Northwest Resource Center, 2122 112th Ave NE, Suite C, Bellevue, WA 98004. (4-6-05)(10-3-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 016. PERMIT REQUIRED, SECTION 105.81.1, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

A permit, if required by the local jurisdiction, shall be obtained from the designated official prior to engaging in activities requiring a permit within the local jurisdiction.  $\frac{(5-3-03)(10-3-07)T}{(5-3-03)(10-3-07)T}$ 

# 017. VIOLATION PENALTIES, SECTION 109.3, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

In Section 109.3, Violation Penalties, International Fire Code, delete everything after the phrase the sentence that includes "shall be guilty of a," and replace with the word "misdemeanor."

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

047. -- 05*0*1. (RESERVED).

# 051. TREATMENT SYSTEMS, SECTION 3704.2.2.7, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

Add to Section 3704.2.2.7, International Fire Code, the following paragraph: Upon approval of the Chief, emergency

response kits recommended by the Chlorine Institute may be used for chlorine gas product leaks in lieu of the treatment system requirements of this section, as long as there are adequate responders immediately available, who are trained in their use and acceptable to the Chief.

(5-3-03)

# 052. REFERENCED STANDARDS, CHAPTER 45, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

Beginning on Page 36587, of the NFPA Referenced Standards, make the following changes to the *referenced* <u>listed</u> editions:

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<del>10-98</del> <u>10-2002</u>	<del>10-2002</del> <u>10-2007</u>	<del>51-97</del> <u>51-2002</u>	<del>51-2002</del> <u>51-2007</u>	4 <del>07-96</del> 407-2001	407-2001 407-2007
<del>11-98</del> <u>11-2002</u>	<del>11-2002</del> <u>11-2005</u>	<del>52-98</del> <u>52-2002</u>	<del>52-2002</del> <u>52-2006</u>	430-95 430-2000	<del>430-2000</del> <u>430-</u> 2004
12A-97	12A-2004	57-99	57-2002	480-98	484-2002
<del>13-99</del> <u>13-2002</u>	<del>13-2002</del> <u>13-2007</u>	58-2001	58-2004	481-2000	484-2002
<del>13D-99</del> 13D-2002	13D-2002 13D-2007	61-99	61-2002	4 <del>82-96</del> 484-2002	484-2002 484-2006
13R-99 13R-2002	13R-2002 13R-2007	69-97	69-2002	490-98	490-2002
<del>14-2000</del> <u>14-2003</u>	<del>14-2003</del> <u>14-2007</u>	<del>72-99</del> 72-2002	<del>72-2002</del> 72-2007	495-96 495-2001	<del>495-2001</del> <u>495-2006</u>
<del>15-96</del> <u>15-2001</u>	<del>15-2001</del> <u>15-2007</u>	<del>85-2001</del> <u>85-2004</u>	<del>85-2004</del> <u>85-2007</u>	<del>498-96</del> <u>498-2001</u>	498-2001 498-2006
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24-95	24-2003	231-98	230-2003	<del>704-96</del> <u>704-2001</u>	<del>704-2001</del> <u>704-2007</u>
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<u>35-1999</u>	<u>35-2005</u>	<u>286-2000</u>	<u>286-2006</u>	32-2000	32-2007
<u>51A-2001</u>	<u>51A-2006</u>	303-2000	<u>303-2006</u>	<u>701-1999</u>	<u>701-2004</u>
<u>59A-2001</u>	<u>59A-2006</u>	385-2000	<u>385-2007</u>	703-2000	<u>703-2006</u>
80-1999	80-2007	409-2001	<u>409-2004</u>	267-98	<u>272-2003</u>
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# 053. -- 055. (RESERVED).

# 056. REFERENCES TO APPENDIX, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

When this code references the appendix, the provisions of the appendix shall not apply unless specifically incorporated by reference. The following appendixes of the International Fire Code are incorporated by reference:

(5-3-03)

- **01.** Appendix B, Fire Flow Requirements for Buildings. (5-3-03)
- **02.** Appendix C, Fire Hydrant Location and Distribution. (5-3-03)
- 03. Appendix D, Fire Apparatus Access Roads. D107.1 One- or two-family dwelling residential developments. Exceptions: Item 1. In the first sentence delete the word "fewer" and add the word "more."

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  - **04.** Appendix E, Hazard Categories. (5-3-03)
  - 05. Appendix F, Hazard Rankings. (5-3-03)

## **IDAPA 18 - DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

# 18.01.53 - CONTINUING EDUCATION

#### **DOCKET NO. 18-0153-0701**

## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 41-211, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These changes will update several procedures to comply with the requirements needed to download electronically continuing education (CE) courses and course completion rosters so that they may be credited prior to the license renewal date. This will allow licensees to access their CE records via the Internet. In addition, because of a reduction in the CE credit hour requirements from forty to twenty four to meet national uniformity standards, exemptions to CE and added credits are being eliminated.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes will result in greater convenience to licensees and would be very unlikely to generate public interest or comment for purposes of negotiated rulemaking.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Genetti at (208-334-4340)

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2007.

Jim Genetti Bureau Chief Idaho Department of Insurance 700 West State Str, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Boise, Idaho 83720-0043 Phone: (208) 334-4250

Fax: (208) 334-4398

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 18-0153-0701

# 012. BASIC REQUIREMENTS.

- **O1. Proof of Completion**. As a condition for the continuation of a license, a licensee must furnish the Director of the Department of Insurance ("Director"), on or before the licensing renewal date, proof of satisfactory completion of approved subjects or courses meeting the following requirements: (4-5-00)
- **a.** Twenty-four (24) hours of continuing education credit during each licensing period, which licensing period is for two (2) years. (3-20-04)
- **b.** At least three (3) hours of continuing education credit in insurance law and/or ethics must be earned each licensing period. Such law and/or ethics courses must be stand-alone courses and not part of other courses.

  (3-20-04)(
- **Relicensing Procedures After Voluntary Termination of License.** An insurance agent who voluntarily terminates his/her license can apply to be relicensed without testing if the application is received by the Department within twelve (12) months after the termination and if the continuing education requirements were completed during the licensing period prior to voluntary termination. Non-resident insurance agents who were former resident agents and who wish to obtain a resident license once again, will be subject to the continuing education requirements on a pro-rata basis. (4-5-00)
- **03. Completion Within Two Years**. Each course to be applied toward satisfaction of the continuing education requirement must have been completed within the two (2) year period immediately preceding renewal of the license. Courses may not have been duplicated in the same renewal period. The date of completion for a self-study course is the date of successful completion of exam. (3-20-04)

#### 013. EXCEPTIONS/EXTENSION.

- **01. Excepting and Extension**. The following exceptions and extensions may be made to the continuing education rules: (7-1-93)
- **a.** Licensees on extended active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States for the period of such duty and all other exceptions allowed under Section 41-1008(4), Idaho Code. (5-3-03)
  - **b.** Persons which hold a temporary license as provided in Section 41-1015, Idaho Code. (5-3-03)
- **c.** Other exceptions and extensions, where good cause exists, as approved by the Continuing Education Advisory Committee or the Director. (4-5-00)
- **O2. Age Exception or Extension**. No exception or extension shall be made solely because of age or tenure.
- **03. Application for Exception or Extension Required**. Licensees requesting exceptions and extensions pursuant to this Rule must apply prior to the renewal date to the Director, in writing, and set forth the basis for the exception or extension. (7-1-93)

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# 021. APPROVED PROGRAMS OF STUDY - CERTIFICATION BY DIRECTOR.

**01. Requirements of Course Approval**. All courses must be approved by the Continuing Education Advisory Committee and certified by the Director, except as noted under program requirements pursuant to Section 015. If a course is not approved in advance of presentation, an application for credit must be submitted to the

- **02. Nonrefundable Application Fee.** Each course application shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable application fee (as set forth in IDAPA 18.01.44). (7-1-93)
- **03. Course Approval Procedures.** Any individual, school, insurer, industry association, or other organization intending to provide classes, seminars, or other forms of instruction as approved subjects shall apply for such approval to the Director on forms approved by the Director or on other forms which provide information including but not limited to the following: (5-3-03)
  - **a.** A specific outline and/or course material; (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Time schedule; (7-1-93)
  - **c.** Method of presentation; (7-1-93)
  - **d.** Qualifications of instructor; and (7-1-93)
  - **e.** Other information supporting the request for approval. (7-1-93)
- **Method to Determine Completion Required**. The submission shall include a statement of the method used to determine the satisfactory completion of an approved subject. Such method may be a written examination, a written report by the agent, certification by the providing organization of the agent's program attendance or completion, or other methods approved by the Director as appropriate for the subject. (7-1-93)
- **05. Final Acceptance/Rejection of Program**. Except as noted under Section 015, all continuing education course material received will be submitted to the Continuing Education Advisory Committee who will approve or deny the course or program as qualifying for credit, indicate the number of hours that will be awarded for approved subjects, and refer the class, seminar, or program to the Director for his certification. In cases of denial, the Continuing Education Advisory Committee will furnish a written explanation of the reason for such action. (5-3-03)
- **06. List of Programs Certified Acceptable**. The Director will provide, upon request, a list of all programs currently available which the Department of Insurance has certified. (7-1-93)
- **07. Certification of Program.** Certification of a program may be effective for a period of time not to exceed two (2) years or until such time as any material changes are made in the program, after which it must be resubmitted to the Continuing Education Advisory Committee for its review and approval. (7-1-93)
- **08.** Advertising Programs Prior to Certification. If any course has not been approved and certified by the Director before the date on which it is to be presented, the course may be advertised or presented as "continuing education credits have been applied for" but shall not be represented or advertised in any manner as "approved" for continuing education credit. (5-3-03)

## 022. PROOF OF COMPLETION.

Upon completion of a class, program, or course of study, the authorized representative of the sponsoring organization shall, within  $\frac{sixty (60)}{(7-1-93)}$  days of completion of the course:  $\frac{(7-1-93)}{(7-1-93)}$ 

- **01. Certificate of Completion**. Provide a certificate of completion to each individual who satisfactorily completes the class, program, or course of study; and (7-1-93)
- **02.** Certification of Attendees Completion. Certify to the Director <u>electronically</u> a list of all such individuals, specifying whether the determination of satisfactory completion was based upon attendance, written

# IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE Continuing Education

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# 025. CREDIT FOR SERVICE AS LECTURER, DISCUSSION LEADER, OR SPEAKER.

- **OI.** Credit for Instructor. One (1) hour of continuing education credit will be awarded for each hour completed as an instructor or discussion leader, provided the class or program is certified by the Director and meets the continuing education requirements of those attending.

  (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- 02. Additional Credit for Instructor. In addition, an instructor or discussion leader may claim an additional one (1) hour of credit for advance preparation for each one (1) hour of teaching, provided the time is actually devoted to preparation. For example, an instructor may claim up to twelve (12) hours of credit for teaching a six (6) hour course. Credit for either preparation or presentation will only be granted once for each course or program, not for successive preparation or presentations.

  (7-1-93)

## **IDAPA 18 - DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE**

# 18.01.60 - LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE MINIMUM STANDARDS

#### **DOCKET NO. 18-0160-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 41-211.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rulemaking amends IDAPA 18.01.60.027 by removing ambiguous language and clarifying training requirements for insurance producers selling long term care insurance policies that qualify for Idaho's Long Term Care Insurance Partnership Program.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes simply clarify existing requirements and do not impose any new training requirements for producers.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Joan Krosch at (208) 334-4250.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 14th day of August, 2007.

Shad Priest Deputy Director Idaho Department of Insurance 700 West State St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Boise, Idaho 83720-0043 Phone: (208) 334-4250

Fax: (208) 334-4398

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 18-0160-0701

#### 027. STANDARDS FOR MARKETING AND PRODUCER TRAINING.

- **01. General Provisions**. Every Insurer, Fraternal Benefit Society, Managed Care Organization or other similar organization marketing long-term care insurance coverage in this state, directly or through its producers, shall: (3-30-07)
- **a.** Establish marketing procedures and producer training requirements to assure that any marketing activities, including any comparison of policies by its producers will be fair and accurate. (3-30-07)
  - **b.** Establish marketing procedures to assure excessive insurance is not sold or issued. (4-5-00)
- c. Display prominently by type, stamp or other appropriate means, on the first page of the outline of coverage and policy the following: "Notice to buyer: This policy may not cover all of the costs associated with long-term care incurred by the buyer during the period of coverage. The buyer is advised to review carefully all policy limitations."

  (4-5-00)
  - **d.** Provide copies of the disclosure forms required in Subsection 009.10. (3-30-01)
- **e.** Provide an explanation of contingent benefit upon lapse as provided for in Subsection 032.04.b. and if applicable, the additional contingent benefit upon lapse provided to policies with fixed or limited premium paying period in Subsection 032.04.c. (3-30-07)
- f. Inquire and otherwise make every reasonable effort to identify whether a prospective applicant or enrollee for long-term care insurance already has accident and sickness or long-term care insurance and the types and amounts of any such insurance, except that in the case of qualified long-term care insurance contracts, an inquiry into whether a prospective applicant or enrollee for long-term care insurance has accident and sickness insurance is not required.

  (4-5-00)
  - g. Establish auditable procedures for verifying compliance with Subsection 027.01. (3-30-07)
- **h.** At solicitation, provide written notice to the prospective policyholder and certificate holder that Senior Health Insurance Benefits Advisors/SHIBA the program is available and the name, address and telephone number of the program. (3-30-01)
- **i.** For long-term care insurance policies and certificates, use the terms "noncancellable" or "level premium" only when the policy or certificate conforms to Subsection 011.01.c. of this chapter. (3-30-07)
- **02. Prohibited Practices**. In addition to the practices prohibited in Chapter 13, Title 41, Idaho Code, Trade Practices and Frauds, the following acts and practices are prohibited: (3-30-01)
- **a.** Twisting. Knowingly making any misleading representation or incomplete or fraudulent comparison of any insurance policies or insurers for the purpose of inducing, or tending to induce, any person to lapse, forfeit, surrender, terminate, retain, pledge, assign, borrow on or convert any insurance policy, or to take out a policy of insurance with another insurer. (4-5-00)
- **b.** High Pressure Tactics. Employing any method of marketing having the effect of or tending to induce the purchase of insurance through force, fright, threat, whether explicit or implied, or undue pressure to purchase or recommend the purchase of insurance. (4-5-00)
- **c.** Cold Lead Advertising. Making use directly or indirectly of any method of marketing which fails to disclose in a conspicuous manner that a purpose of the method of marketing is solicitation of insurance and that contact will be made by an insurance producer or insurance company. (3-30-07)
- **d.** Misrepresentation. Misrepresenting a material fact in selling or offering to sell a long-term care insurance policy. (4-5-00)

**03. Associations.** With respect to the obligations set forth in Subsection 027.03, the primary responsibility of an association, as defined in Section 41-4603(4)(b), Idaho Code, when endorsing or selling long-term care insurance shall be to educate its members concerning long-term care issues in general so that its members can make informed decisions. Associations shall provide objective information regarding long-term care insurance policies or certificates endorsed or sold by such associations to ensure that members of such associations receive a balanced and complete explanation of the features in the policies or certificates that are being endorsed or sold.

(3-30-07)

a.	The insurer shall file with the insurance department the following material:	(4-5-00)

- i. The policy and certificate; (4-5-00)
- ii. A corresponding outline of coverage; and (4-5-00)
- iii. All advertisements to be utilized. (4-5-00)
- **b.** The association shall disclose in any long-term care insurance solicitation: (4-5-00)
- i. The specific nature and amount of the compensation arrangements (including all fees, commissions, administrative fees and other forms of financial support) that the association receives from endorsement or sale of the policy or certificate to its members; and (4-5-00)
- ii. A brief description of the process under which the policies and the insurer issuing the policies were selected. (4-5-00)
- **c.** If the association and the insurer have interlocking directorates or trustee arrangements, the association shall disclose that fact to its members. (4-5-00)
- **d.** The board of directors of associations selling or endorsing long-term care insurance policies or certificates shall review and approve the insurance policies as well as the compensation arrangements made with the insurer. (4-5-00)
  - e. The association shall also: (4-5-00)
- i. At the time of the association's decision to endorse, engage the services of a person with expertise in long-term care insurance not affiliated with the insurer to conduct an examination of the policies, including its benefits, features, and rates, and update the examination thereafter in the event of material change; (4-5-00)
  - ii. Actively monitor the marketing efforts of the insurer and its producers; and (3-30-07)
- iii. Review and approve all marketing materials or other insurance communications used to promote sales or sent to members regarding the policies or certificates. (4-5-00)
- iv. Subsections 027.03.e.i. through 027.03.e.iii. shall not apply to qualified long-term care insurance contracts. (3-30-07)
- **f.** No group long-term care insurance policy or certificate may be issued to an association unless the insurer files with the state insurance department the information required in Section 027. (3-30-07)
- g. The insurer shall not issue a long-term care policy or certificate to an association or continue to market such a policy or certificate unless the insurer certifies annually that the association has complied with the requirements set forth in Section 027. (3-30-07)
- **h.** Failure to comply with the filing and certification requirements of Section 027 constitutes an unfair trade practice in violation of Chapter 13, Title 41, Idaho Code, Trade Practices and Frauds. (3-30-07)
  - **O4.** Producer Training Requirements. An individual may not sell, solicit or negotiate long-term care

insurance unless the individual is licensed as an insurance producer for life and disability (accident and health insurance) and has completed a one-time training course by or before November 1, 2007, and ongoing training every twenty-four (24) months thereafter. The training shall meet the requirements set forth in this Subsection 027.04. Such training requirements may be approved as continuing education course under IDAPA 18.01.53 "Continuing Education."

- a. The one-time training <u>course</u> required by this section shall be no less than eight (8) hours <u>and In addition to the one-time training course</u>, an individual who sells, solicits, or negotiates long-term care insurance shall <u>complete</u> the ongoing training required by this Subsection 027.04, <u>which</u> shall be no less than four (4) hours <u>every 24</u> months.
- **b.** The training required under Subsection 027.04.a. shall consist of topics related to long-term care insurance, long-term care services and qualified state long-term care insurance partnership program, including, but not limited to:

  (3-30-07)
- i. State and federal regulations and requirements and the relationship between qualified state long-term care insurance partnership programs and other public and private coverage of long-term care services, including Medicaid; (3-30-07)
  - ii. Available long-term care services and providers; (3-30-07)
  - iii. Changes or improvements in long-term care services or providers; (3-30-07)
  - iv. Alternatives to the purchase of private long-term care insurance; (3-30-07)
  - v. The effect of inflation on benefits and the importance of inflation protection; and (3-30-07)
  - vi. Consumer suitability standards and guidelines. (3-30-07)
- **c**. The training required by Subsection 027.04. shall not include any sales or marketing information, materials, or training, other than those required by state and federal law. (3-30-07)
- d. Insurers subject to this rule shall obtain verification that a producer receives training required by Subsection 027.04 before a producer is permitted to sell, solicit or negotiate the insurer's long-term care insurance products, maintain records subject to the state's record retention requirements, and make that verification available to the director upon request. An insurer shall maintain records with respect to the training of its producers concerning the distribution of its long-term care Partnership policies that will allow the Department of Insurance to provide assurance to the Division of Medicaid that the producers have received the training as required by Subsection 027.04 and that producers have demonstrated an understanding of the Partnership policies and their relationship to public and private coverage of long term care including Medicaid in this state. These records shall be maintained in accordance with the state's record retention requirements and shall be made available to the director upon request. (3-30-07)
- **e**. The satisfaction of these training requirements in any state shall be deemed to satisfy the training requirements of this state. (3-30-07)

## **IDAPA 19 - STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

# 19.01.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

# **DOCKET NO. 19-0101-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-912, 54-916, and 54-920, Idaho Code.

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE: Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

October 17, 2007 - 10:00 am Office of the Idaho Board of Dentistry 350 North 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite M-100, Boise, ID

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The proposed rule changes increase the fees for the application for licensure of dentists and dental hygienists. They also increase the biennial license fees of dentists and dental hygienists.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

The proposed rule will increase the licensure application fee for the following: Dentists licenses by exam, fee increases from \$100 to \$300; Dental Hygienists licensed by exam from \$50 to \$150. These are authorized by 54-916, Idaho Code.

The proposed rule will increase the biennial licensure fee for the following: Dentist Active Status license increases from \$300 to \$375; Dentist inactive status license increases from \$150 to \$160; Dental Hygienist Active Status license increases from \$140 to \$175; Dental Hygienist license inactive status increases from \$80 to \$85. These are authorized by 54-920, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year as a result of this rulemaking: NA

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because of the relatively simple nature of the rule change.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Arthur R. Sacks, 208-334-2369.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Arthur R. Sacks, Executive Director Idaho State Board of Dentistry 350 North 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite M100, Boise, ID 83702 P.O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0021 Phone: 208-334-2369 / Fax: 208-334-3247

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 19-0101-0701

012. LICE	NSE AND APPLICATION FEES (RULE 12).	(3-30-07)				
The license fees and application fees shall be as follows:						
01.	Application Fees for Dentists:	(7-1-91)				
a.	General:	(3-18-99)				
i.	By examination <i>one</i> three hundred dollars (\$4300).	<del>(3-18-99)</del> ()				
ii.	By credentials six hundred dollars (\$600).	(3-18-99)				
<b>b.</b>	Specialty:	(7-1-91)				
i.	By examination <i>one</i> three hundred dollars (\$\frac{1}{2}00\$).	<del>(7-1-91)</del> ()				
ii.	By credentials six hundred dollars (\$600).	(3-18-99)				
02.	Application Fees for Dental Hygienists:	(7-1-91)				
a.	By examination one hundred fifty dollars (\$1/50).	<del>(7-1-91)</del> ()				
<b>b.</b>	By credentials one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150).	<del>(7-1-92)</del> ()				
03.	Biennial License Fees for Dentists:	(3-30-07)				
a.	Active three hundred <u>seventy-five</u> dollars (\$30075).	<del>(3-30-07)</del> ()				
<b>b.</b>	Inactive one hundred and fifty sixty dollars (\$1560).	<del>(3-30-07)</del> ()				
c.	Specialty three hundred <u>seventy-five</u> dollars (\$30075).	<del>(3-30-07)</del> ()				
04.	Biennial License Fees for Hygienists:	(3-30-07)				
a.	Active one hundred and forty seventy-five dollars (\$14075).	<del>(3-30-07)</del> ()				
<b>b.</b>	Inactive eighty-five dollars ( $\$8\theta\underline{5}$ ).	<del>(3-30-07)</del> ()				
05.	Application Fees for General Anesthesia and Conscious Sedation Permits:	(4-2-03)				
a.	Initial Application three hundred dollars (\$300).	(4-2-03)				
<b>b.</b>	Renewal Application three hundred dollars (\$300).	(4-2-03)				
c.	Reinstatement Application three hundred dollars (\$300).	(4-2-03)				

# 20.02.06 - ADMINISTRATION OF IDAHO'S REFORESTATION LAW DOCKET NO. 20-0206-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL) NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has proposed rulemaking. The action is authorized by Sections 58-104(6) and 58-105, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** No hearings have been scheduled. Pursuant to Section 67-5222(2), Idaho Code, a public hearing will be held if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency.

Written requests for a hearing must be received by the undersigned on or before October 17, 2007. If no such written request is received, a public hearing will not be held.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

During the 1995 legislative session, the Legislature enacted Senate Bill 1088, repealing Chapter 2, Title 38, Idaho Code, the "Reforestation Law."

The purpose of this rulemaking is to repeal the Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) IDAPA 20.02.06 "Administration of Idaho's Reforestation Law," the regulatory framework for the Reforestation law that was repealed during the 1995 legislative session.

After consideration of public comments, IDL intends to present the final proposal to the State Board of Land Commissioners at their November 15, 2007 meeting for adoption of a pending rule. The repeal is expected to be final and effective upon the conclusion of the 2008 session of the Idaho Legislature.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Due to the nature of this rulemaking, negotiations were not held.

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** For more information about IDL's programs and activities, visit IDL's web site at http://www.idl.idaho.gov.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS AND SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning this rulemaking, contact the undersigned.

Anyone may submit written comments by mail, fax or e-mail at the address below regarding this proposed rule. IDL will consider all written comments received by the undersigned on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of Setember, 2007.

Ronald A. Litz Division Administrator, Forestry & Fire 954 W Jefferson Boise, Idaho 83720-0050 (208)334-0200 Fax No. (208)334-3698 rlitz@idl.idaho.gov

IDAPA 20.02.06 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

# 20.02.12 - RULES OF THE COMMUNITY AND URBAN FORESTRY TRUST ACCOUNT DOCKET NO. 20-0212-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL) NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has proposed rulemaking. The action is authorized by Sections 58-104(6) and 58-105, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** No hearings have been scheduled. Pursuant to Section 67-5222(2), Idaho Code, a public hearing will be held if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency.

Written requests for a hearing must be received by the undersigned on or before October 17, 2007. If no such written request is received, a public hearing will not be held.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The purpose of this rulemaking is to repeal the Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) IDAPA 20.02.12, "Rules of the Community and Urban Forestry Trust Account," because the statutory authority contained in Section 38-136, Idaho Code, provides the necessary direction to manage this account.

After consideration of public comments, IDL intends to present the final proposal to the State Board of Land Commissioners at their November 15, 2007 meeting for adoption of a pending rule. The repeal is expected to be final and effective upon the conclusion of the 2008 session of the Idaho Legislature.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Due to the nature of this rulemaking, negotiations were not held.

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** For more information about IDL's programs and activities, visit IDL's web site at http://www.idl.idaho.gov.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS AND SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning this rulemaking, contact the undersigned.

Anyone may submit written comments by mail, fax or e-mail at the address below regarding this proposed rule. IDL will consider all written comments received by the undersigned on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of Setember, 2007.

Ronald A. Litz Division Administrator, Forestry & Fire 954 W Jefferson Boise, Idaho 83720-0050 (208)334-0200 Fax No. (208)334-3698 rlitz@idl.idaho.gov

IDAPA 20.02.12 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

## 20.03.04 - RULES GOVERNING THE REGULATION OF BEDS, WATERS, AND AIRSPACE OVER NAVIGABLE LAKES IN THE STATE OF IDAHO

### **DOCKET NO. 20-0304-0701 (FEE RULE)**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Idaho Code 67-5221(1) and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the State Board of Land Commissioners" (Board), Sections 830 through 835, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. This proposed rulemaking is authorized pursuant to Section 58-104(6), Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** A public hearing concerning this rulemaking, and changes to 20.03.17, will be held on:

### October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2007 -- 8 am to 5 pm 3780 Industrial Avenue South Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

The purpose of the hearing is to gather public comments on the proposed rules. The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) is initiating this rulemaking partly in response to changes in Title 58, Chapter 13, Idaho Code made during the 2006 legislative session. These changes allowed higher permit fees to be collected. This rulemaking is also needed to clear up numerous conflicts between the rules and Title 58, Chapter 13, Idaho Code and to clarify several unclear sections that hinder effective program administration. The issues to be addressed by this rulemaking include, but are not limited to, increasing the permit fees, clarifying the definitions of commercial and community marinas, allowing commercial marinas to have up to 50% private moorage under certain conditions, changing some hearing processes, specifying floathome standards, authorizing temporary permits, and simplifying enforcement actions. This rulemaking will be conducted in conjunction with the IDAPA 20.03.17 rulemaking.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the application fees:

Single and two-family docks within the line of navigability are \$250; single and two-family docks outside the line of navigability are \$1,000; community and commercial docks are \$2,000; nonnavigational encroachments are \$1,000. For commercial docks, if the actual cost of processing the permit exceeds \$2,000, then the department may charge an additional amount subject to Title 58, Chapter 13, Idaho Code, Section 58-1307. These fee amounts will also be the maximum fees for temporary permits. Assignment fees are set at \$150.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** This is a general fund program. The department anticipates a positive fiscal impact of approximately \$156,000 on the state general fund due to increased application and assignment fees.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was conducted. The Notice of Negotiated Rulemaking was published in the June 6, 2007 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 07-6 page 77. Negotiations were conducted over six (6) meetings in June and July, 2007.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Eric Wilson, (208) 334-0261 or ewilson@idl.idaho.gov. More information is also at http://www.idl.idaho.gov/adminrule/rulemaking.html

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 22, 2007.

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DATED this 21st day of August, 2007.

Eric Wilson Navigable Waters/Minerals Program Manager Idaho Department of Lands 300 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 103, Boise, Idaho 83702 Phone (208) 334-0261/ Fax (208) 334-3698 ewilson@idl.idaho.gov

### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 20-0304-0701

### 000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

The State Board of Land Commissioners is authorized by Sections 58-104(9) and 58-1301, et seq., Idaho Code, to adopt these rules for the regulation of the beds, waters and airspace over navigable lakes in the state of Idaho. This Chapter is adopted under the legal authorities of Title 58, Chapter 1, Sections 58-104(6), 58-104(9), 58-105, and 58-127, Idaho Code; Title 58, Chapter 13, Idaho Code; and Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code.

### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- <u>O1.</u> Title. These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 20.03.04, "Rules for the Regulation of Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes in the State of Idaho," *IDAPA 20.03.04*."
- <u>O2.</u> Scope. These rules <u>regulate</u> govern encroachments on, in, or above navigable lakes in the state of (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_)

### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

The Department has no written interpretive statements pertaining to the interpretation of rules in this chapter. The Idaho Department of Lands maintains written interpretations of its rules which may include, but may not be limited to, written procedures manuals and operations manuals, Attorney General formal and informal opinions, and other written guidance, which pertain to the interpretation of the rules of this chapter. Copies of the procedures manuals and operations manuals, Attorney General opinions, and other written interpretations, if applicable, are available for public inspection and copying at the director's office of the Idaho Department of Lands, Boise, Idaho, or are available on the internet at www.idl.idaho.gov.

### 003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.

Hearings and administrative appeals are available only as set forth herein under the rules governing the processing of applications for non-commercial single-family and two-family encroachments, Section 025; and the rules governing the processing of applications for all other types of encroachments, Section 030; and the rules governing revocation of encroachment permits, Section 040. Any person aggrieved by any final decision or order of the board shall be entitled to judicial review pursuant to the provisions of Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code, IDAPA 20.01.01, Title 58, Chapter 13, Sections 58-1305 and 58-1306, Idaho Code, and Sections 025, 030, and 080 of these rules.

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### 0<u>04. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.</u>

The following documents are incorporated by reference into these rules:

- <u>01. International Building Code©, 2006 Edition published by the International Code Council© and available on the Internet at: http://www.iccsafe.org. (\_\_\_\_)</u>
  - **Q2.** United States Aid to Navigation System. Prepared by the United States Coast Guard and available

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on the Internet	at: http://www.uscgboating.org/safety/aton/system.htm.	()
The principal pexcept Saturda	CE – OFFICE HOURS – MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET Al place of business of the Department of Lands is in Boise, Idaho and i y, Sunday and legal holidays. The mailing address is: Idaho Departm 3720-0050. The telephone number of the office is (208) 334-0200.	t is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
	LIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.  ained herein have been promulgated according to the provisions of Titecords.	tle 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code,
004 <u>7</u> 009.	(RESERVED).	
010. <b>DEFI</b>	NITIONS.	
<b>01.</b> boundary.	Adjacent. Contiguous or touching, and with regard to land or land	d ownership having a common (7-1-98)
<u>02.</u> to improve wat	Aids to Navigation. Buoys, warning lights, and other encroachment erways for navigation.	ats in aid of navigation intended ()
02 <u>3</u> . mark resulting line.	<b>Artificial High Water Mark</b> . The high water elevation above the from construction of man-made dams or control works and impressing	
	<b>Beds of Navigable Lakes</b> . The lands lying under or below the "igable lake and, for purposes of these rules only, the lands lying between the artificial high water mark, if there be one.	
04 <u>5</u> .  representative	<b>Board</b> . The <u>Idaho State</u> Board of Land Commissioners of the Statesignee.	tate of Idaho or its authorized (9-13-90)()
doors, but no to	<b>Boat Garage</b> . A structure with one or more slips that is completely emporary or permanent residential area.	y enclosed with walls, roof, and ()
<u>07.</u>	Boat Lift. A mechanism for mooring boats partially or entirely out	of the water. ()
<u>08.</u> mark whereby	<b>Boat Ramp.</b> A structure or improved surface extending below the watercraft or equipment are launched from land-based vehicles or trail	
059. encroachment j	Commercial Navigational Encroachment or Commercia for the use of which patrons pay a fee whose primary purpose is to preral public.	
possessing a rehomeowner's a community doc	Community Docks. <u>SA</u> structures that provides <u>private</u> moorage jan <u>littoral</u> owners, or <u>for a homeowners' association that is a riparian littoral</u> common area <u>including riparian</u> with <u>littoral</u> rights <u>associations</u> . A <u>community dock shall not have less than fifty</u> (50) feet sk shall be considered a <u>commercial navigational aid for purposes of strequired for a community dock.</u>	m other littoral owners owning including, but not limited to combined shoreline frontage. A
Commissioners	Contested Case Hearing. A formal hearing conducted pursuant to 52, and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Befs." This type of hearing requires the formal designation of parties as strocedure, IDAPA 20.01.01, and is conducted like a trial. Members of the	ore the State Board of Land set forth in the Board's Rules of

pursuant to IDAPA 20.01.01.

intervene in contested case hearings as a party may nevertheless participate in such hearings as public witnesses

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	<u>11.</u>	Covered Slip. A slip, or group of slips, with a tubular frame, fabric canopy, and h	o eaves. (	
	<del>08</del> 12.	<b>Department</b> . The <u>Idaho</u> Department of Lands <u>or its designee</u> .	<del>(9-13-90)</del> (	_)
	<i>09</i> <u>13</u> .	<b>Director</b> . The <i>director</i> <u>head</u> of the <u>Idaho</u> Department of Lands or his designee.	<del>(9-13-90)</del> (	_)
water cra	aft and n	<b>Encroachments in Aid of Navigation</b> . Includes docks, piers, <i>floats</i> , jet ski and ers, boat ramps, channels or basins, and other <i>such aids to navigability</i> <u>facilities toorage</u> on, in, or above the beds or waters of a navigable lake. The term "encroache used interchangeably herein with the term "navigational encroachments."	used to supp	ort
construc ( <i>1) place</i> and float	ted prima e for a su ting toys	Encroachments Not in Aid of Navigation. Includes all other encroachments on of a navigable lake, including landfills, bridges, utility and power lines, or oth arily for use in aid of navigation. It shall also include float homes moored permanent obstantial period of time and used as either a permanent or temporary place of about the term "encroachments not in aid of navigation" may be used interchangeably innal encroachments."	er structures r atly or in any o code or residen	not <del>ne</del>
depender permane	nt for ut	Floating Home or Float Home. A structure that is designed and built to be used, ationary waterborne residential dwelling and is not self-propelled. These structures upon a continuous utility linkage to a source originating on shore, and muous connection to a sewage system on shore, or an alternative method of sewage contents of several state, or federal water quality and sanitation regulations.	tures are usua ust have either	lly r a
inflatable	17. e structur	Floating Toys. Non-navigational encroachments including, but not limited es, water ski courses, and other recreational equipment not moored to a dock.	to, trampolin	es.
to a boat	18. lift. The	Jet Ski Ramp, Port, or Lift. A mechanism for mooring jet skis or other personal valifts may be free standing or attached to a dock or pier.	watercraft simi	<u>lar</u>
<i>body of ।</i> legally r	<del>water.</del> <u>A</u> permitted	Line of Navigability. The dock line established by existing docks or if no dock line low water mark as will afford sufficient draft for water craft customarily in use cline located at such distance waterward of the low water mark established by the lencroachments, water depths waterward of the low water mark, and by other board when a line has not already been established for the body of water in questions.	on that particul ength of existi relevant crite	lar ng
		Low Water Mark. That line or elevation on the bed of a lake marked or located by over a period of years, and marks the point to which the riparian rights of adjoint of right, in aid of their right to use the waters of the lake for purposes of navigation	ning landowne	
personal	21. watercra	Moorage. A place to secure float homes and watercraft including, but not lift, jet skis, etc.	imited to, boa	ıts.
years, ui	ninfluenc	<b>Natural or Ordinary High Water Mark</b> . The high water elevation in a lake led by man made dams or works, at which elevation the water impresses a line efficient periods to deprive the soil of its vegetation and destroy its value for agriculture.	e on the soil	by
<u>reservoir</u> and incli	<del>udes</del> Thi	<b>Navigable Lake</b> . Any permanent body of relatively still or slack water, <u>includerately</u> owned and not a mere marsh <u>or stream eddy</u> , and capable of accommodating definition does not include man-made reservoirs <u>except</u> where the jurisdiction the ssumed by a federal agency.	boats or cano	es.

<del>16</del>24.

Party. Each person or agency named or admitted as a party, or property seeking and entitled as of

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right to be admit	tted as a party to a hearing on an application for an encroachment.	(9-13-90)
	<b>Person</b> . Any individual, partnership, association, company, corporation, municipality, corporation, or other entity qualified to do business in the state of Idaho and any few pal unit of government.	
<u>26.</u>	Piling. A metal, concrete, plastic, or wood post that is placed into the lakebed and use	ed to secure
floating docks ar	nd other structures.	()
	<b>Plans</b> . Maps, sketches, engineering drawings, aerial and other photographs, word descrifficient to describe the extent, nature and approximate location of the proposed encroached of accomplishing the same.	
a designated rep informal opports oaths, or the rule tape recorder. Th	<b>Public </b> Meeting Hearing. The type of hearing where members of the public are itten or oral form, on the record at a public meeting held at a set time and place and presidence presentative of the Department who shall act as the hearing coordinator. This type of he tunity for public comment and does not involve the presentation of witnesses, cross easy of evidence. A record of any oral presentations at such hearings will be taken by the Dephe hearing coordinator shall exercise such control at hearings as necessary to maintain order untesy among the participants.	ded over by earing is an xamination, partment by
	<b>Public Trust Doctrine</b> . The duty of the State to its people to ensure that the use of nsistent with identified public trust values. This common law doctrine has been into Idaho Appellate Courts and is codified at Title 58, Chapter 12, Idaho Code.	
<u>30.</u> piers.	Pylon. A metal, concrete, or wood post that is placed into the lakebed and used to su	pport fixed ()
littoral owners	<b>Riparian or Littoral Rights</b> . Only fThe rights of owners or lessees of land adjacent to the lake to maintain their adjacency to the lake and to make use of their rights as or lessees in building or using aids to navigation but does not include any right to the of the waters or to remove bed materials from state-owned lakebeds of the lake.	riparian or
232. his lessee, or the grant.	<b>Riparian</b> or Littoral Owner. The fee owner of land immediately adjacent to a navigate owner of riparian or littoral rights that have been segregated from the fee specifically	able lake, or by deed or 1-98)()
	Riparian or Littoral Right Lines. Lines that extend waterward of the intersection by mary high water mark and an upland ownership boundary to the line of navigation. Riparia generally be at right angles to the shoreline.	oetween the an or littoral ()
<u>34.</u>	Side Tie. Moorage for watercraft where the dock or pier is on only one (1) side of the w	vatercraft.
23 <u>5</u> . waterfront <i>lot ha</i>	<b>Single-Family Dock</b> . A structure providing <u>noncommercial</u> moorage <i>facilities</i> that ser aving frontage of owner whose waterfront footage is no less than twenty-five (25) feet.	rves one (1)  1-98)()
<u>36.</u>	Slip. Moorage for boats with pier or dock structures on at least two (2) sides of the moo	orage.( )
<b>2437.</b> or ordinary high	<b>Submerged Lands</b> . The state-owned beds of navigable lakes, rivers and streams below a water marks.	the natural (9-13-90)

the structure is located on the common *riparian* <u>littoral</u> property line.

**2538. Two-Family Dock**. A structure providing <u>noncommercial</u> moorage <u>facilities</u> that serves two (2) adjacent waterfront <u>lots</u> <u>owners</u> having a combined <u>frontage</u> <u>waterfront footage</u> of no less than fifty (50) feet. Usually

<del>(7-1-98)</del>(\_\_\_\_)

		Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes	Proposed Rule (Fee Rule)
	<del>26</del> <u>39</u> .	Uplands. The land bordering on navigable lakes, rivers, and streams	s. <del>(9-13-90)</del> ()
<u>011.</u>	ABBR	EVIATIONS.	
	<u>01.</u>	IDAPA. Idaho Administrative Procedure Act.	()
	<u>02.</u>	ATON. Aids to Navigation.	()
01 <u>+2</u> .	POLIC	CY.	
the bed and wi weighe encroad	s or wate Idlife hal d against chment. M lispositio	Environmental Protection and Navigational or Economic Neces of that the public health, interest, safety and welfare requires that all errs of navigable lakes of the state be regulated in order that the protection bitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty and water quality be the navigational or economic necessity or justification for, or benefit to Moreover, it is the responsibility of the State Board of Land Commission of state-owned lake beds, so as to provide for their commercial, navigations.	acroachments upon, in or above on of property, navigation, fish e given due consideration and to be derived from the proposed oners to regulate and control the
navigat An enc	roachme	<b>No Encroachments</b> Without Permit. No encroachment on, in or all the state shall hereafter be made unless approval therefore has been get permit does not guarantee the use of public trust lands without appropriate the state of public trust lands without approximately the state of public trust lands without the state of	given as provided in these rules.
	03.	Permitting of Existing Encroachments.	(, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	<u>a.</u>	The provisions of Title 58, Chapter 13, Section 58-1312, Idaho Code	e. shall apply. ( )
shall be	<u>b.</u>	Any new encroachments, or any unpermitted encroachments consto these rules.	
01 <del>2</del> 3	- 014.	(RESERVED).	
015.	<del>DOCK</del>	ENCROACHMENT STANDARDS AND FLOAT HOME REQUI	REMENTS.
of singl	<b>01.</b> e-family	<b>Single-Family and Two-Family Docks</b> . The following parameters docks and two-family docks.	govern the size and dimensions (7-1-98)
water n	<b>a.</b> nark shal	No part of the structure waterward of the natural or ordinary high exceed ten (10) feet in width, excluding the slip cut out.	n water mark or artificial high (3-19-99)()
		Total surface <u>decking</u> area waterward of the natural or ordinary or a hundred (700) square feet, including approach ramp and walkway for thousand one hundred (1,100) square feet, including approach ramp	r a single-family dock and shall
water a	<del>lepth at l</del>	No portion of the docking facility shall extend more than one hunds ary high water mark or if applicable the artificial high water mark or www.water beyond the line of navigability. Shorter docks are encourage will be installed within the waterward extent of existing docks or the l	or further than three (3) feet of ed whenever practical and new ine of navigation.  (7-1-98)()
<del>possibl</del>	<del>d.</del> e perpend	Where feasible, all docks, piers or similar structures shall be constitutured to the general shoreline.	<del>ructed to protrude as nearly as</del> <del>(7-1-98)</del>
annrove	<del>02</del> <u>d</u> .	Variance. A variance to the standards contained in Subsection (	

the established li	ne of navigation.	<del>(7-1-98)</del> ()
0 <del>3</del> 2.	Community Docks.	(7-1-98)
<u><b>a.</b></u> the application.	A community dock shall be considered a commercial navigational aid for	purposes of processing ()
<b>ab.</b> water mark shal approved by the fixed piers and a	No part of the structure waterward of the natural or ordinary high water l exceed ten (10) feet in width except breakwaters when justified by site department. No part of the fixed portion of the dock shall exceed ten (10) feed pproach ramps.	specific conditions and
decking area of t square feet per	A community dock shall not have less than fifty (50) feet combined shown limited in size as a function of the length of shoreline dedicated to the community dock shall be limited to the product of the length of shoreline lineal feet or a minimum of seven hundred (700) square feet. However, imit the ultimate size when evaluating the proposal and public trust values.	nunity dock. The surface multiplied by seven (7)
d. be demonstrated 015.02.c of these	If a breakwater will be incorporated into the structure of a dock, and a need, the department may allow the surface decking area to exceed the size learner.	d for the breakwater can imitations of Paragraph
<u>e.</u> marina must sub describe in text a	A person with an existing community dock that desires to change the f mit a new application for an encroachment permit to the department for appr and drawings which moorage will be public and which moorage will be priva-	oval. The proposal must
<u>03.</u>	Commercial Marina.	()
or rent to renting does not include  i.	Commercial marinas must have a minimum of fifty percent (50%) of theial public. Such use may range from providing day moorage on a first come, for or leasing moorage for a period of time up to one (1) year. Available for up the following:  Conditions that require purchase of a boat, moorage, parcel of property club or organization.	irst served basis for free se by the general public ()
ii. parcel of propert	Conditions that require rental of a room, apartment, condominium unit, y.	residence, campsite, or
<u>iii.</u> docks.	Locked gates during normal business hours that prevent the general purity	blic from accessing the
<u><b>b.</b></u> when one (1) of	Moorage that is not available for public use is private moorage. Private rethe following occurs:	noorage may be created ()
<u>i.</u>	Moorage is rented or leased for longer than one (1) year.	()
<u>ii.</u> 015.03.a.ii. of th	Moorage is acquired with a purchase or rental as described in Subparageses rules.	raph 015.03.a.i. through ()
	When calculating the moorage percentage, the amount of public moorage see moorage. Commercial marinas with private float home slips shall be required home slip or two (2) public use boat slips for every private float home slips use boat slips.	uired to provide either a
d. private moorage.	When private moorage is permitted, the public moorage must be of sime except for float home moorage as provided in Paragraph 015.03.c. of these	

and private subn permit under the	Commercial marinas with private moorage must form a condominium association, co-op, or other and manages the marina, littoral rights, upland property sufficient to maintain and operate a marina, nerged land, if present. This entity is responsible for obtaining and maintaining an encroachment se rules and a submerged lands lease under IDAPA 20.03.17, "Rules Governing Leases on Stateed lands and Formerly Submerged Lands."
space per two (2)	Commercial marinas shall provide a minimum of upland vehicle parking equivalent to one (1) or two (2) watercraft moorages that are available for use by the general public, and one (1) parking of float home moorages. Local city or county ordinances governing parking requirements for marinas in have been enacted.
g. road.	If a commercial marina can be accessed from a road, the public must be allowed access via that ()
This change in implementation of	Existing commercial marinas that desire to change their operations and convert some of their te use must keep at least fifty percent (50%) of their moorage available for use by the general public, operations must be approved by the department through a new encroachment permit prior to of the change. The permit application shall describe, in text and in drawings, which moorage will be a moorage will be private.
<u>04.</u>	Covered Slip. ()
<u>a.</u> area.	Covered slips, regardless of when constructed, may not have a temporary or permanent residential ()
<u>b.</u> department.	Slip covers should have colors that blend with the natural surroundings and are approved by the
	Covered slips with permanent roofs and up to three (3) walls may be maintained or replaced at their ey were previously permitted or if they were constructed prior to January 1, 1975. These structures need nor converted to boat garages.
d. are followed:	Fabric covered slips must be constructed as canopies without sides unless the following standards ()
i. surface; and	At least two (2) feet of open space is left between the bottom of the cover and the dock or pier
<u>ii.</u>	Fabric for canopy and sides will transmit at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the natural light.
<u>05.</u>	Boat Garage. ()
<u>a.</u>	Boat garages are considered nonnavigational encroachments. ()
<u>b.</u> existing footprint	Applications for permits to construct new boat garages, or to expand the total square footage of the t, will not be accepted unless the application is to support local emergency services.
<u>c.</u>	Existing permitted boat garages may be maintained or replaced at their current size. ()
<u>d.</u>	Relocation of an existing boat garage will require a permit.
apply to floating	<b>Breakwaters</b> . Breakwaters built upon the lake for use in aid of navigation will not be authorized of normal low water without an extraordinary showing of need, provided, however that this shall not breakwaters secured by piling and used to protect private property from recurring wind, wave, or ice to control traffic in busy areas of lakes. The breakwater shall be designed to counter wave actions of

known wave heig	thts and wave lengths. $(7-1-98)$ (	_)
	Seawalls. Seawalls should be placed at or above the ordinary high water mark, or the artificial hig plicable. Seawalls are not an aid to navigation, and placement waterward of the ordinary or artificial will generally not be allowed.	
<u>08.</u>	<u>Riprap.</u>	)
and angular rock of sand, gravel, ordinary or artific	Riprap used to stabilize shorelines will consist of rock that is appropriately sized to resignificipated wave heights or tractive forces of the water flow. The rock shall be sound, dense, durable resistant to weathering and free of fines. The riprap shall overlie a distinct filter layer which consist or nonwoven geotextile fabric. The riprap and filter layer shall be keyed into the bed below the cial high water mark, as applicable. If the applicant wishes to install riprap with different standard a design that is signed and stamped for construction purposes by a professional engineer registere ho.	e, ts ne s,
b. the bed and may	Riprap used to protect the base of a seawall or other vertical walls may not need to be keyed into not require a filter layer, at the department's discretion.	<u>.o</u>
0 <u>59</u> . right lines of adja	<b>Mooring Buoys</b> . Buoys shall be installed a minimum of thirty (30) feet away from <i>riparian</i> <u>littoral</u> cent <i>riparian</i> <u>littoral</u> owners. One (1) mooring buoy per <i>riparian</i> <u>littoral</u> owner shall be allowed.	<u>al</u> )
<i>96</i> <u>10</u> .	Float Home <u>s Construction, Alteration or Relocation</u> . (7-1-98)(	)
a. existing footprint	Applications for permits to construct new float homes, or to expand the total square footage of the will not be accepted. (7-1-98)(	<u>ie</u> )
<b>b.</b> <u>lake to another</u> sh	Applications for relocation of float homes <i>existing prior to April 5, 1974</i> , within a lake or from or nall be subject to the following requirements: (7-1-98)(	<u>ie</u> )
i. furnished to the I	Proof of ownership or long term lease of the uplands adjacent to the relocation site must be Department. (7-1-98)	
authority. Application home or demonstration a profession	The applicant must show that all wastes and waste water will be transported to shore dispose thod approved by the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality or the appropriate local healt ant must either obtain a letter from the local sewer district stating that the district will serve the float rate that sewage will be appropriately handled and treated. Applicant must also provide a statement on all plumber licensed in the state of Idaho that the plumbing was designed according to the Iding Code, installed properly, and has been pressure tested.  (7-1-98)(	th at nt
<b>c.</b> <i>enlargement of fl.</i> a float home.	Encroachment Aapplications and approved local permits are required for replacement oat homes. Adding another story to a float home shall require a permit of, or adding another story to (7-1-98)(	
<u>d.</u> Building Code.	All plumbing and electrical work on float homes must be done in accordance with the International	<u>al</u> )
every year by a providing this do	All float homes that are hooked to upland sewer or septic systems must be inspected and certified professional plumber licensed in the state of Idaho. Permittees or their designee are responsible for cumentation to the department.	<u>d</u> or )
<u>11.</u>	Excavated or Dredged Channel.	)
a. processed in acco	Excavating, dredging, or redredging channels shall require an encroachment permit and shall be ordance with Section 030 of these rules.	<u>)</u>

environmental de	An excavated or dredged channel or basin to provide access to navigable waters must have a cleconomic, or social benefit to the people of the state, and shall not result in any apprecial egredation. A channel or basin shall not be approved if the cumulative effects of these features in ake would be adverse to fisheries or water quality.	ble
owner; provided nonlittoral owner	Whenever practical, such channels or basins shall be located to serve more than one (1) litted, however, that no basin or channel will be approved that will provide access for watercraft is.	oral to
12. to Navigation sy	ATONs. Aids to Navigation will conform to the requirements established by the United States Astem.	<u>Aid</u> )
<u>13.</u>	General Encroachment Standards.	_)
	Square Footage. The square footage requirements in Subsections 015.01 and 015.02 include d the ordinary or artificial high water mark such as the approach, ramp, pier, dock, and all ot nded structures that cover the lake surface, except for:	
<u>i.</u>	Boat lifts that provide less shading than dock structures and as described in Paragraph 015.13.b.	)
<u>ii.</u>	Jet ski ramp, port, or lift as described in Paragraph 015.13.b.	_)
<u>iii.</u>	Slip covers.	_)
<u>iv.</u>	Undecked portions of breakwaters.	_)
<u>b.</u>	Boat Lifts and Jet Ski Lifts.	_)
<u>i.</u> without adding tootprint of the la	Single-family docks are allowed a single boat lift and two (2) jet ski lifts, or two (2) boat lift heir footprint to the dock square footage. Additional lifts will require that fifty percent (50%) of argest lifts be included in the allowable square footage of the dock or pier as per Subsection 015.0	the
	Two-family docks are allowed two (2) boat lifts and four (4) jet ski lifts, or four (4) boat lifts in footprint to the dock square footage. Additional lifts will require that fifty percent (50%) of argest lifts be included in the allowable square footage of the dock or pier as per Subsection 015.0	the
	Community docks are allowed one (1) boat lift or two (2) jet ski lifts per moorage. Lifts place shall be oriented with the long axis parallel to the dock structure. Additional lifts will require to their footprint be included in the allowable square footage of the dock or pier as per Subsect (	hat
<u>c.</u>	Angle from Shoreline.	)
i. as possible at rig	Where feasible, all docks, piers, or similar structures shall be constructed so as to protrude as nea ht angles to the general shoreline, lessening the potential for infringement on adjacent littoral right.	<u>ırly</u> ıts. )
ii. work with the ap the dock's angle	Where it is not feasible to place docks at right angles to the general shoreline, the department shoplicant to review and approve the applicant's proposed configuration and location of the dock a from shore.	nall and )
	Length of Community Docks and Commercial Marinas. Docks, piers, or other works may extend provide access to a water depth that will afford sufficient draft for water craft customarily in use dy of water, except that no structure may extend beyond the normal accepted line of navigabile	on

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established through use unless additional length is authorized by permit or order of the director. If a normally accepted line of navigability has not been established through use, the director may from time to time as he deems necessary, designate a line of navigability for the purpose of effective administration of these rules. Presumed Adverse Effect. It will be presumed, subject to rebuttal, that single-family and twofamily navigational encroachments will have an adverse effect upon adjacent littoral rights if located closer than ten (10) feet from adjacent littoral right lines, and that commercial navigational encroachments, community docks or nonnavigational encroachments will have a like adverse effect upon adjacent littoral rights if located closer than twenty-five (25) feet to adjacent littoral right lines. Written consent of the adjacent littoral owner or owners will automatically rebut the presumption. All boat lifts and other structures attached to the encroachments shall be subject to the above presumptions of adverse affects. Weather Conditions. Encroachments and their building materials shall be designed and installed to withstand normally anticipated weather conditions in the area. Docks, piers, and similar structures shall be adequately secured to pilings or anchors to prevent displacement due to ice, wind, and waves. Flotation devices for docks, float homes, etc. shall be reasonably resistant to puncture and other damage. Markers. If the department determines that an encroachment is not of sufficient size to be readily seen or which poses a hazard to navigation, the permit shall specify that aids to navigation be used to clearly identify the potential hazard. Overhead Clearance. <u>h.</u> Overhead clearance between the natural or ordinary high water mark or the artificial high water mark, if there be one, and the structure or wires must be sufficient to pass the largest vessel which may reasonably be anticipated to use the subject waters in the vicinity of the encroachment. In no case will the clearance be required to exceed thirty (30) feet unless the department determines after public hearing that it is in the overall public interest that the clearance be in excess of thirty (30) feet. Irrespective of height above the water, approval of structures or wires presenting a hazard for boating or other water related activities may be conditioned upon adequate safety marking to show clearance and otherwise to warn the public of the hazard. The department shall specify in the permit the amount of overhead clearance and markings required. When the permit provides for overhead clearance or safety markings under Paragraph 015.13.h, the department shall consider the applicable requirements of the United States Coast Guard, the Idaho Transportation Department, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission and any other applicable federal, state, or local regulations. Beaded Foam Flotation. Beaded foam flotation shall be completely encased in a manner that will <u>i.</u> Beaded Foam Flotation. Beaded foam flotation shall be completely encased in a m maintain the structural integrity of the foam. The encasement shall be resistant to the entry of rodents.

016. -- 019. (RESERVED).

### 020. APPLICATIONS.

- **O1. Encroachment Applications**. No person shall hereafter make or cause to be made any encroachment on, in or above the beds or waters of any navigable lake in the state of Idaho without first making application to and receiving written approval from the *director* department. The placing of dredged or fill material, refuse or waste matter intended as or becoming fill material, on or in the beds or waters of any navigable lake in the state of Idaho shall be considered an encroachment and written approval by the *director* department is required. If demolition is required prior to construction of the proposed encroachment, then the application must describe the demolition activities and the steps that will be taken to protect water quality and other public trust values. No demolition activities may proceed until the permit is issued.
- **O2. Signature Requirement.** Only persons who are *riparian* <u>littoral</u> owners or lessees of a *riparian* <u>littoral</u> owner shall be eligible to apply for encroachment permits. A person who has been specifically granted *riparian* <u>littoral</u> rights or dock rights from a *riparian* <u>littoral</u> owner shall also be eligible for an encroachment permit; the grantor of such *riparian* <u>littoral</u> rights, however, shall no longer be eligible to apply for an encroachment permit.

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Except for waterlines or utility lines, the possession of an easement to the shoreline does not qualify a person to be eligible for an encroachment permit. (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_)

cligible for all ci	icroachment permit.	
<b>03.</b> from obtaining a	Other Permits. Nothing in these rules shall excuse a person seeking to make an encroaching additional approvals lawfully required by federal, local or other state agencies. (9-13-	
completely repla wharf or similar damaged pilings	Repairs, Replacement Reinstallation of Structures. Approval is not No permit is required or to make repairs to an existing permitted encroachment, but approval a permit is required ace, enlarge or extend an existing encroachment. Replacing Reinstalling the top or deck of a destructure shall be considered a repair; replacing reinstallation of winter damaged or wind and wooks, or float logs used to maintain existing encroachments in position shall be considered a replacement or basin shall be considered a replacement and a permit is necessary unless redredging	d to ock, ater pair.
authorized by t	he outstanding permit. Dredging of a channel or basin will require a new permit. Comp	<del>lete</del>
considered a rep	the entire dock at one (1) time exactly to the same specifications of the currently existing doce that and will not require a new permit so long as dock is made to the same configuration in the set is that adversely affect the bed of the lake will be considered a violation of these rules.  (3-19-99)(	
<u>05.</u>	Dock Reconfigureation.	)
<u>a.</u> encroachment pe	Rearrangement of single-family and two-family docks will require a new application for ermit.	<u>r an</u>
<u>b.</u> encroachment pe made, and shall	Rearrangement of community and commercial docks may not require a new application for ermit if the changes are only internal. The department shall be consulted prior to modifications be use the following criteria to help determine if a new permit must be submitted:	r an eing )
<u>i.</u>	Overall footprint does not change in dimension or orientation;	)
<u>ii</u>	No increase in square footage, as per Paragraph 015.13.a., occurs:	)
<u>iii.</u>	The entrances and exits of the facility do not change.	)
	Redredging. Redredging a channel or basin shall be considered a new encroachment and a persist redredging is specifically authorized by the outstanding permit. Water quality certification from nt of Environmental Quality is required regardless of how redredging is addressed in any existin (	the
available on the publication when encroachments reproposed encroachments where possible, relationship of presented on pa	Forms, Filing. Applications must be in writing on forms provided by the Department or copd plans shall be filed in the <u>local</u> office of the Department—in Coeur d'Alene, whose <u>location internet at www.idl.idaho.gov</u> , or the director's office in <u>Boise</u> , together with filing fees and cost the <u>when</u> required by these rules, except that applications and plans for noncommercial navigation has be filed at any supervisory field office. Plans shall include a lakebed profile in relationship to the the lakebed profile shall show the summer and winter water levels. The plans shall show the lengths of adjacent docks as an indication of the line of navigability. The plans shall show the proposed encroachment in the lake and indicate a general vicinity map. The plans shall per no larger than eight and one half by fourteen (8 1/2" x 14") inches. Costs of preparation of uding all necessary maps and drawings, shall be paid by the applicant.	ts of on is
<u>a.</u> (8 1/2"x14") inc	Plans shall include the following information on paper no larger than eight and one half by fourthes:	teen )
<u>i.</u> summer and win	Lakebed profile in relationship to the proposed encroachment. The lakebed profile shall show tter water levels.	<u>the</u>
<u>ii.</u> adjacent littoral	Copy of most recent survey or county plat showing the full extent of the applicant's lot and lots.	the

### Regulation of Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes Proposed Rule (Fee Rule) <u>iii.</u> Proof of current ownership or control of littoral property or littoral rights. A general vicinity map. <u>iv.</u> Scaled air photos or maps showing the lengths of adjacent docks as an indication of the line of navigability, distances to adjacent encroachments, and the location and orientation of the proposed encroachment in the lake. Total square footage of proposed docks and other structures, excluding pilings, that cover the lake vi. surface. vii. Names and current mailing addresses of adjacent littoral landowners. Applications for nonnavigational encroachments and commercial navigational encroachments æb. must be submitted or approved by the *riparian or* littoral owner or, if the encroachment will lie over or upon private lands between the natural or ordinary high water mark and the artificial high water mark, the application must be submitted or approved by the owner of such lands. Where When the littoral owner is not the applicant, the application <del>(9-13-90)</del>( shall bear the owner's signature as approving the encroachment prior to filing. Applications for noncommercial navigational encroachments associated with private or public uplands must be signed by the riparian or littoral owner or his lessee, or by the owner or lessee of private lands between the natural or ordinary high water mark, and the artificial high water mark, seeking approval to make the encroachment. Owners of riparian or littoral lands or of the aforesaid private lands not making or joining in the application shall be considered adjacent riparian owners entitled to notice under Subsection 025.02, where the encroachment is on or over such riparian or littoral or other private lands. If more than one (1) littoral owner exists, the application must bear the signature of all littoral owners, or the signature of an authorized officer of a designated homeowner's or property management association. Applications for noncommercial encroachments intended to improve waterways for navigation, ed. wildlife habitat and other recreational uses by members of the public must be filed by any municipality, county, state, or federal agency, or other entity empowered to make such improvements. Application fees are not required for these encroachments. <del>(7-1-98)</del>( The following applications shall be accompanied by at the respective nonrefundable filing fees of two hundred-fifty dollars (\$250), together with a deposit toward the cost of newspaper publication, which deposit shall be determined by the director at the time of filing: <del>(9-13-90)</del>( i. Nonnavigational encroachments require a fee of one thousand dollars (\$1,000); (9-13-90)( Commercial navigational encroachments require a base fee of two thousand dollars (\$2,000). If the ii. costs of processing an application exceed this amount, then the applicant may be charged additional costs as allowed by Title 58, Chapter 13, Section 58-1307, Idaho Code; iii. Community navigational encroachments require a fee of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and <del>(7-1-98)</del>( Navigational encroachments extending beyond the line of navigability require a fee of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). <del>(9-13-90)</del>(

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line of navigability or a nonnavigational encroachment for bank stabilization and erosion control or for fisheries and

The Department shall refund any excess at or before final action on the application.

Applicants shall pay any balance due on publication costs before written approval will be issued.

Application for a permit for single-family and joint or two-family docks not extending beyond the

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wildlife habitat improvements shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable filing fee of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).

- **gh.** No publication cost is required for application for noncommercial navigational encroachment not extending beyond the line of navigability or for application for installation of buried or submerged water intake lines and utility lines. (9-13-90)
  - **h**<u>i</u>. Applications and plans shall be stamped with the date of filing.

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**ij.** Applications that are incomplete, not in the proper form, not containing the required signature(s), or not accompanied by filing fees and costs of publication where when required, shall not be accepted for filing. The director department shall notify send the applicant of any deficiency a written notice of incompleteness with a listing of the application's deficiencies. The applicant will be given thirty (30) days from receipt of the notice of incompleteness to resubmit the required information. The deadline may be extended with written consent of the department. If the given deadline is not met, the department will notify the applicant that the application has been denied due to lack of sufficient information. The applicant may reapply provided the required information is submitted at a later date, but will be required to pay another filing fee and publication fee, if applicable.

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### 021. -- 024. (RESERVED).

### 025. PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS FOR NONCOMMERCIAL SINGLE-FAMILY AND JOINT TWO-FAMILY NAVIGATIONAL ENCROACHMENTS WITHIN LINE OF NAVIGABILITY.

**O1.** Noncommercial Single-Family and Two-Family Navigational Encroachments. Applications for single-family and two-family navigational encroachments not extending beyond the line of navigability will be processed with a minimum of procedural requirements and shall not be denied except in the most unusual of circumstances. No newspaper publication, formal appearance by the applicant, or hearing is contemplated.

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- **O2.** Adjacent *Riparian* Littoral Owners. If a proposed encroachment referred to in Subsection 025.01 may infringe upon the *riparian or* littoral rights lines of an adjacent *riparian* littoral owner, the *director* department shall require the applicant to secure the written consent of the adjacent *riparian* littoral owner. (7-1-98)(
- 03. Notification of Adjacent Riparian Littoral Owners. If the signature of the adjacent riparian littoral owner is not required, the Department shall provide a copy of such application to the riparian littoral owners immediately adjacent to the applicant's property. Such adjacent riparian owner shall have twenty-one (21) days from the date of the mailing to provide comments to the Department. If the applicant owns one (1) or more adjacent lots, the department shall notify the owner of the next adjacent lot. This notice notification will be sent by regular mail to the adjacent riparian littoral owners' usual place of address, which, if not known, shall be the address shown on the records of the county treasurer or assessor. The applicant may submit the adjacent riparian littoral owners' signatures as concurring with the application in lieu of the twenty-one (21) day notice period department's notification.

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### 04. Written Objections.

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- a. If an adjacent *riparian* <u>littoral</u> owner files written objections to the application with the <u>director</u> <u>department</u> within <u>twenty-one</u> <u>ten</u> (210) days from the date of service or receipt of notice of the completed application, the <u>director</u> <u>department</u> shall fix a time and a place for <u>a</u> hearing. In computing the time to object, the day of service or receipt of notice of the application shall not be counted. Objections must be received within the <u>twenty-one</u> <u>ten</u> (210) day period by mail or hand delivery in the <u>local department</u> office <u>of the Department in Coeur d'Alene</u> or the director's office in Boise. If the last day of the period is Saturday, Sunday or a legal holiday, the time within which to object shall run until the end of the first business day thereafter. (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- b. The applicant and any objectors may agree to changes in the permit that result in the objections being withdrawn. Department employees may facilitate any such agreement. Participation by department personnel in this informal mediation shall not constitute a conflict of interest for participation in the hearing process. A

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withdrawal of objections must be in writing, completed prior to a scheduled hearing, a	and contain: ()
i. Signatures of the applicant and the objecting party:	<u>()</u>
ii. A description of the changes or clarifications to the permit that are objecting party, and the department.	acceptable to the applicant, the
<b>05. Unusual Circumstances</b> . Even though no objection is filed by an ato a noncommercial navigational encroachment, if the director deems it advisable because circumstances, he may require a hearing.	adjacent <i>riparian</i> <u>littoral</u> owner ause of the existence of unusual (7-1-98)()
<b>06. Hearings</b> . Hearings fixed by the director following an objection put the Director's own determination pursuant to Subsection 025.05 shall be fixed as to the sixty (60) days from date of acceptance for filing of the application. At the hearing riparian owner filing timely objections may appear personally or through an author evidence. Said hearing shall be in the nature of a formal contested case hearing at 010.07. The department may also appear and present evidence at the hearing. In hearing coordinator shall act as the a fact finder and not a party. The Director, at he Department representative to sit as the hearing officer coordinator. Provided, however informal disposition of an application by stipulation, agreed settlement, consent order.	ime and place, but no later than the applicant and any adjacent ized representative and present s defined herein by Subsection such hearings the Department his discretion, shall designate a er, that the parties may agree to
<b>07. Decision Following a Hearing</b> . The director shall, within forty-fine hearing provided for in Subsections 025.04 or 025.05 render a final decision and gi appearing before him either personally or by certified or registered mail. The final decision are considered to the contract of the contract	ve notice thereof to the parties
<b>108.</b> Reconsideration. The applicant, if dissatisfied with the Director's party who participated at a hearing, shall have twenty (20) days from the date of the reconsideration thereof. If reconsideration is requested, the director shall set a time of hearing, not to exceed thirty (30) days from receipt of the request, at which time as reconsideration and the applicant may appear in person or through an authorized repand oral argument. Upon conclusion of reconsideration, the director shall by person certified mail notify the applicant of his decision. <b>Disposition Without Hearing.</b> Subsection 025.04 or Subsection 025.05, then the department shall act upon a consubsection 025.01 as expeditiously as possible but no later than sixty (60) days from Failure to act within this sixty (60) day timeframe shall constitute approval of determined to be incomplete under Subsection 020.07 are not subject to the sixty information requested by the department and required by the rules has been submitted other an aggrieved party appearing at a reconsideration hearing, shall have a right to decision reviewed by the district court in the county where the encroachment is proposed.	e Director's decision to request and place for a reconsideration and place the person requesting resentative and present briefing and service or by registered or If a hearing is not held under acceptance of the application. The application Applications (60) day timeframe until the (3-19-99)() decision—on reconsideration, or have the proceedings and final used by filing a notice of appeal
within thirty (30) days from the date of the final decision. An adjacent <i>riparian</i> litt deposit an appeal bond with the court, a in an amount to be determined by the court dollars (\$500) appeal bond insuring payment to the applicant of damages caused by including reasonable attorney fees, incurred on the appeal in the event the district of director. The applicant need post no bond with the court to prosecute an appeal.	oral owner shall be required to but not less than five hundred delay and costs and expenses,
10. Disposition Without Hearing. In the event no objection to the prop- for hearing is filed with the director by an adjacent riparian owner under Subsection the director under Subsection 025.05, then the director shall act upon an application as expeditiously as possible but no later than sixty (60) days from acceptance of the within such time shall constitute approval of the application.	1 025.04, or hearing ordered by 1 filed under Subsection 025.01
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### 030. PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS FOR ALL OTHER TYPES OF ENCROACHMENTS.

- **O2.** Encroachments Not in Aid of Navigation. Encroachments not in aid of navigation in navigable lakes will normally not be approved by the Department and will be considered only in cases involving major environmental, economic, or social benefits to the general public. Approval under these circumstances is authorized only when consistent with the public trust doctrine and when there is not other feasible alternative with less impact on public trust values.

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- **O3.** Agency Comments Notifications. Upon request or when the director department deems it appropriate, the director department may furnish copies of the application and plans to federal, state and local agencies and to adjacent riparian littoral owners, requesting comment on the likely effect of the proposed encroachment upon adjacent riparian littoral property and lake public trust values factors of such as navigation, fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty, or water quality, etc. Within thirty (30) days following receipt of a copy of the application and plans, such agencies shall notify the director of their opinions and recommendation, if any, for alternate plans determined by such agencies to be economically feasible to accomplish the purpose of the proposed encroachment without adversely affecting unreasonably adjacent riparian property or other lake value factors and public trust values.

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- **04.** Written <u>Comments or Objections</u>. Any resident of the state of Idaho, or a nonresident owner or lessee of real property adjacent to the lake in question, or any state, federal or local agency may, wWithin thirty (30) days of the first date of publication, an agency, adjacent littoral owner or lessee, or any resident of the state of Idaho may do one (1) of the following:

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- <u>a.</u> Notify the department of their opinions and recommendation, if any, for alternate plans they believe will be economically feasible and will accomplish the purpose of the proposed encroachment without unreasonably adversely affecting adjacent littoral property or public trust values; or
- **<u>b.</u>** <u>fFile</u> with the <u>director</u> <u>Department</u> written objections to the proposed encroachment and <u>a</u> request <u>for</u> a public hearing on the application. <u>The hearing must be specifically requested in writing.</u> Any person or agency requesting a hearing on the application shall deposit and pay to the <u>director</u> <u>department</u> an amount sufficient to cover the cost of publishing notice of hearing provided in Subsection 030.05. (3-19-99)(\_\_\_\_)
- **05. Hearing.** Notice of the time and place of public hearing on the application shall be published by the director once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks in a newspaper in the county in which the encroachment is proposed, which hearing shall be held within ninety (90) days from the date the application is accepted for filing.

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- **06. Hearing Participants**. Any person may appear at the public hearing and present oral testimony. Written comments shall also be received by the Department. (7-1-98)

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public he departme or benefit real proprecreation	ent, based t, public berty <del>, <i>lak</i></del> n, aesthe	In the event no objection to the proposed encroachment is filed with requested under Subsection 030.04, or ordered by the director under dupon his its investigation and considering the economics of the navior private, of such proposed encroachment as well as its detrimentate value factors and public trust values such as navigation, fish an tic beauty, or water quality, etc. shall prepare and forward to the applied mail, his its decision.	Subsection 030.01, the <i>director</i> igational necessity, justification al effects, if any, upon adjacent d wildlife habitat, aquatic life,
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<u>035.</u>	TEMPO	PRARY PERMITS.	
	01. l encroad	Applicability. Temporary permits are used for construction, technents, or other activities approved by the department.	emporary activities related to
	<u><b>02.</b></u> ved by th	Permit Term. These permits are generally issued for less than one and department and permits may be extended with department approva	(1) year, but longer terms may al. ()
9	<u>03.</u>	Bonding. The department may require bonds for temporary permits	<u>.</u> ()

040. PERMIT REVOCATION OR WITHDRAWAL.

applicant paying the advertising fee as per Subsection 020.07.

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amounts listed for the respective permit types in Subsection 020.07. Fee information is available on the Internet at

Fee. The board shall set fees for temporary permits, but the fees shall be no greater than the

Processing. These permits may be advertised if the department deems it appropriate, with the

- 01. Administrative Action on Revocation of Lake Encroachment Permit. The Department may institute an administrative action to revoke a lake encroachment permit for violation of the conditions of a permit, or for any other reason authorized by law. All such proceedings shall be conducted as contested case hearings subject to the provisions of Idaho Code, Title 67, Chapter 52 and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the State Board of Land Commissioners."
- 02. Notice of Noncompliance/Proposed Permit Revocation. When the Department determines that cause exists for revocation of a lake encroachment permit, it shall provide the permittee with a "Notice of Noncompliance/Proposed Permit Revocation," which shall consist of a short and plain statement of the reason for the proposed revocation, including any pertinent legal authority. (7-1-98)
- 03. Request for Contested Case Hearing. If the permittee disputes the Department's basis for revocation, the permittee shall, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notice of noncompliance, request a contested case hearing in which to request a contested case hearing, the Department may proceed to revoke the permit administratively. If the permittee requests a contested case hearing, the Department shall proceed to schedule and conduct the hearing in accordance with these rules, Idaho Code, Title 67, Chapter 52 and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the State Board of Land Commissioners."
- **04.** Recommended Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law. A hearing officer appointed to conduct the revocation hearing shall prepare recommended findings of fact and conclusions of law and forward them to the Director for final adoption or rejection.

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### 050. RECORDATION.

Recordation of an issued permit in the records of the county in which an encroachment is located shall be a condition of issuance of a permit and proof of recordation shall be furnished to the Department by the permittee before a permit becomes valid. Such recordation shall be at the expense of the permittee. Recordation of an issued permit serves only to provide constructive notice of the permit to the public and subsequent purchasers and mortgagees, but conveys no other right, title, or interest on the permittee other than validation of said permit. (*Idaho Code, Section 58-1306(e)*)

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051. -- 054. (RESERVED).

### 055. LEASES AND EASEMENTS.

- May require a submerged land lease or easement for use of any part of the state-owned bed of the lake where such lease or easement is required in accordance with "Rules Governing Leases on State-owned Submerged Lands and Formerly Submerged Lands," IDAPA 20.03.17, or "Rules For Easements On State-owned Submerged Lands And Formerly Submerged Lands," IDAPA 20.03.09. A lease or easement may be required for uses including, but not limited to, commercial uses. Construction of an encroachment authorized by permit without first obtaining the required lease or easement shall constitute a trespass upon state-owned public trust lands. This rule is intended to grant the state recompense for the use of the state-owned bed of a navigable lake where reasonable and it is not intended that the director department withhold or refuse to grant such lease or easement if in all other respects the proposed encroachment would be permitted.

  (3-19-99)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
- **O2. Seawalls, Breakwaters, Quays.** Seawalls, breakwaters, and quays on or over state-owned beds, designed primarily to create additional land surface, will be authorized, if at all, by an encroachment permit and submerged land lease or easement, upon determination by the director department to be an appropriate use of submerged lands.

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056. -- 059. (RESERVED).

060. INSTALLATION.

01.	<b>Installation Only After Permit</b>	Issued. Installation	or on site construc	tion of an encroachment
may commence	only when the permit is issued or v	when the <i>director</i> <u>de</u> p	partment notifies the	e applicant in writing that
installation may	be commenced or when the dire	etor department has	failed to act in acc	ordance with Subsection
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<del>02.</del>	Construction	Whore feasible	all dooks	niars or similar	structures shall be	constructed so as to
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- Water Access. Docks, piers or other works may extend to a length that will provide access to a water depth that will afford sufficient draft for water craft customarily in use on the particular body of water during the normal low water period, except that no structure may extend beyond the normal accepted line of navigability established through use unless additional length is authorized by permit or order of the director. If a normally accepted line of navigability has not been established through use, the director may from time to time as he deems necessary, after public hearing, designate a line of navigability for the purpose of effective administration of these rules.
- **64.** Exeavated or Dredged Channel. An excavated or dredged channel or basin to provide access to navigable waters may be authorized only when the applicant can show that it will provide a clear environmental, economic, or social benefit to the people of the state and will not result in any appreciable environmental degredation. A channel or basin shall not be approved if it appears that the cumulative effect of the proposed channel or basin plus all reasonably foreseeable future basins or channels in the same navigable lake would be adverse to fisheries or water quality. Whenever practical, such channels or basins shall be located to serve more than one (1) riparian owner; provided, however, that no basin or channel will be approved that will provide access for watercraft to nonriparian owners.
- 95. Presumed Adverse Effect. It will be presumed, subject to rebuttal, that commercial navigational encroachments, community docks or nonnavigational encroachments will have an adverse effect upon adjacent riparian property if located closer than twenty-five (25) feet to adjacent riparian property lines and that single-family and two-family navigational encroachments will have a like adverse effect upon adjacent riparian property if located closer than ten (10) feet from adjacent riparian property lines. Consent of the adjacent riparian owner or owners will automatically rebut the presumption.
- 06. Upland Vehicle Parking. Commercial navigational encroachments shall provide upland vehicle parking equivalent to one (1) parking space per two (2) watercraft moorages. Local city or county ordinances governing parking requirements for marinas will apply if such have been enacted.

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- 07. Weather Conditions. Encroachments shall be designed and installed to withstand normally anticipated weather conditions in the area. Docks, piers and similar structures shall be adequately secured to pilings or anchors to prevent displacement due to ice, wind and waves.

  (9-13-90)
- **08.** Markers. If the director determines that an encroachment is not of sufficient size to be readily seen or which poses a hazard to navigation, he shall specify in the permit approved markers be used to identify clearly the extent and size of the encroachment.

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### 092. Removal of <u>Construction</u> Waste.

<u>a.</u>	Pilings, anchors, old	docks, and other	r structures <del>, <i>or</i></del>	<del>'<i>material</i> or</del> w	aste at the site	of the installati	ion
or reinstallation	and not used as a part	of the encroachn	nent shall be re	emoved from	the water and la	kebed at the tir	me
of the installatio	n or reinstallation to a	point above norm	nal flood water	levels; provid	ed, however, tha	at this shall not	be
construed to pre	event the use of trash	booms for the te	mporary conti	ol of floatable	e piling ends ar	id other floatal	ble
materials in a se	curely maintained tras	h boom, but appr	oval for a trasl	n boom shall b	e required as pa	rt of a permit.	
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**b.** Demolition of encroachments shall be done in a manner that does not unnecessarily damage the lakebed or shoreline. Demolition work must comply with water quality standards administered by the Department of

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- 10. Seawalls or Breakwaters. Seawalls or breakwaters built upon the lake for use in aid of navigation will not be authorized below the level of normal low water without an extraordinary showing of need; provided, however that this shall not apply to floating breakwaters secured by piling and used to protect private property from recurring wind, wave or ice damage, or used to control traffic in busy areas of lakes.

  (9-13-90)
- **H03.** Compliance with Permit. All work shall be done in accordance with these rules, and the application submitted, and is subject to any condition specified in the permit. (7-1-98)
- 12. Overhead Clearance. Overhead clearance between the natural or ordinary high water mark or the artificial high water mark, if there be one, and the structure or wires must be sufficient to pass the largest vessel which may reasonably be anticipated to use the subject waters in the vicinity of the encroachment. In no case will the clearance be required to exceed twenty (20) feet unless the director shall determine after hearing that it is in the overall public interest that the clearance be in excess of twenty (20) feet. Irrespective of height above the water, approval of structures or wires presenting a hazard for boating or other water related activities may be conditioned upon adequate safety marking to show clearance and otherwise to warn the public of the hazard. The director shall specify in the permit the amount of overhead clearance and markings required.
- 13. Overhead Clearance; Other Requirements. When the permit provides for overhead clearance or safety markings under Subsection 060.08, the director shall consider the applicable requirements of the U.S. Coast Guard, the Idaho Transportation Department, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission and any other applicable federal, state or local regulations.

  (3-19-99)
- **104. Sunset Clause.** All activities authorized within the scope of the encroachment permit must be completed within three (3) years of issuance date. If the activities are not completed within three (3) years, the permit shall automatically expire unless it was previously revoked or *otherwise* extended by the department. (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
- 061. -- 06<del>9</del>4. (RESERVED).

### <u>065.</u> ASSIGNMENTS.

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Assignment of Encroachment Permit.</u> Encroachment permits may be assigned upon approval of the department provided that the encroachment conforms with the approved permit. The assignor and assignee must complete a department assignment form and forward it to the appropriate area office.
- **O2.** Assignment Fee. The assignment fee shall be one hundred fifty dollars (\$150). The fee shall be paid at the time the assignment is submitted to the department.
- <u>03.</u> <u>Approval Required for Assignment</u>. An assignment is not valid until it has been approved by the <u>department</u>.
- **04.** Assignment With New Permit. Encroachments not in compliance with the approved permit may be assigned only if:
  - <u>a.</u> An application for a new permit to correct the noncompliance is submitted at the same time.( )
  - **b.** The assignee submits written consent to bring the encroachment into compliance.

### <u>066. -- 069.</u> (RESERVED).

### 070. MISCELLANEOUS.

**O1. Water Resources Permit**. A permit to alter a navigable stream issued by the Department of Water Resources pursuant to Title 42, Chapter 38, Idaho Code, may, in appropriate circumstances, contain language stating the approval of the Department of Lands to occupy the state-owned bed of the navigable stream. (9-13-90)

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the land Idaho C		<b>Dredge and Placer Mining</b> . Department authorization is required for dredge and placer mining in nd rivers within the state, whether or not the state owns the beds, pursuant to Title 47, Chapter 13, (9-13-90)
beds of	navigable	Mineral Leases. Littoral rights do not include any right to remove bed materials from state-owned ations to lease minerals, oil, gas and hydrocarbons, and geothermal resources within the state-owned backs will be processed by the department pursuant to Title 47, Chapters 7, 8 and 16, Idaho Code, gated thereunder.
local rul	04. es and la	Other Laws and Rules. The permittee shall comply with all other applicable state, federal and we insofar as they affect the use of public trust resources.
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080.	VIOLA	TIONS - PENALTIES.
permitte that shall violation	d encroad ll consist n may be	Cease and Desist Order. When the department determines that a violation of these rules is the ongoing construction of an unauthorized encroachment or an unauthorized modification of a chment, it may provide the landowner, contractor, or permittee with a written cease and desist order of a short and plain statement of what the violation is, the pertinent legal authority, and how the rectified. This order will be served by personal service or certified mail. The cease and desist order naintain the status quo pending formal proceedings by the department to rectify the violation.( )
occurred of a shor	d, it shall rt and pla	Notice of Noncompliance/Proposed Permit Revocation. When the department determines that been violated, a cause exists for revocation of a lake encroachment permit, or both of these have provide the permittee with a notice of noncompliance/proposed permit revocation that shall consist in statement of the violation including any pertinent legal authority. This notice shall also inform the steps are needed to either bring the encroachment into compliance, if possible, or avoid revocation,
violation	n shall be	Noncompliance Resolution. The department will attempt to resolve all noncompliance issues ce with the permittee or other involved party. Any period set by the parties for correction of a binding. If the department is unsuccessful in resolving the violations, then the department may edies under Section 080 of these rules.
		<b>Violations</b> . The following acts or omissions shall subject a person to a civil penalty of not less than dollars (\$150) nor more than two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) as allowed by Title 58, on 58-1308, Idaho Code:
rules and	<b>a.</b> d general	A violation of the provisions of Section 58-1301, et seq. <u>Title 58, Chapter 13</u> , Idaho Code, or of the orders adopted thereunder and applicable to navigable lakes; (9-13-90)()
	b.	A violation of any special order of the director applicable to a navigable lake; or (9-13-90)
service o	<b>c.</b> to do so  or certifie  is provide	Refusal to cease and desist from any violation in regards to a navigable lake after having been in writing by the director received a written cease and desist order from the department by personal d mail, within the time provided in the notice, or within thirty (30) days of service of such notice if ed.
<u>rules.</u>	<u>d.</u>	Willfully and knowingly falsifying any records, plans, information, or other data required by these ()

<u>e.</u>

**025. Injunctions**, **Damages**. The Board expressly reserves the right, through the director, to seek injunctive relief under <u>Title 58</u>, <u>Chapter 13</u>, Section 58-1308, Idaho Code and mitigation of damages under <u>Title 58</u>, <u>Chapter 13</u>, Section 58-1309, Idaho Code, in addition to the civil penalties provided for in Subsection 080.0*1*4 of

Violating the terms of an encroachment permit.

# these rules. | Obs. | Mitigation, Restoration. The board expressly reserves the right, through the director, to require mitigation and restoration of damages under Title 58, Chapter 13, Section 58-1309, Idaho Code, in addition to the civil penalties and injunctive relief provided for in Subsections 080.04 and 080.05 of these rules. The department may consult with other state agencies to determine the appropriate type and amount of mitigation and restoration required. | Obs. | Ob

proceedings and final decision of the director reviewed by the district court of the county in which the violation or revocation occurred by filing a notice of appeal within twenty-eight (28) days from the date of the final decision.

A hearing officer appointed to conduct the revocation hearing shall prepare recommended findings

An aggrieved party who appeared and testified at a hearing shall have the right to have the

20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure before the State Board of Land Commissioners."

of fact and conclusions of law and forward them to the director for final adoption or rejection.

**DEPARTMENT OF LANDS** 

Docket No. 20-0304-0701

### 20.03.17 - RULES GOVERNING LEASES ON STATE-OWNED SUBMERGED LANDS AND FORMERLY SUBMERGED LANDS

**DOCKET NO. 20-0317-0701 (FEE RULE)** 

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Idaho Code 67-5221(1) and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the State Board of Land Commissioners" (Board), Sections 830 through 835, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. This proposed rulemaking is authorized pursuant to Section 58-104(6), Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** A public hearing concerning this rulemaking, and changes to 20.03.04, will be held on:

October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2007 -- 8 am to 5 pm 3780 Industrial Avenue South Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

The purpose of the hearing is to gather public comments on the proposed rules. The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) is initiaing this rulemaking to provide continuity with IDAPA 20.03.04 and to address significant issues associated with development pressure, escalating resource demands, increased property values, and the economics of marina operation. The issues to be addressed by this rulemaking include changing definitions to match those of IDAPA 20.03.04, "Rules for the Regulation of Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes in the State of Idaho," and allowing commercial marinas to have some private moorage without permanently encumbering public trust lands and with sufficient protections for the parties involved. The rules will also specify what types of rental rates should be used. Yearly reporting requirements are added to assist the department in determining current market rental rates and to ensure our lessees are maintaining proper insurance coverage. These rules will also provide enforcement remedies in addition to lease cancellation. This rulemaking will be conducted in conjunction with the IDAPA 20.03.04 rulemaking.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fees: Lease application and renewal fees are \$150; lease assignment fees are \$150. Lease application and assignment fees will be required in addition to similar fees collected under IDAPA 20.03.04. Rental rates will be set by the board. Lease violations may be remedied with payment of a civil penalty to be collected as additional rent.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** This is a general fund program. The department anticipates a positive fiscal impact of approximately \$4,000 on the state general fund due to increased application and assignment fees.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was conducted. The Notice of Negotiated Rulemaking was published in the June 6, 2007 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 07-6 page 77. Negotiations were conducted over six (6) meetings in June and July, 2007.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Eric Wilson, (208) 334-0261 or ewilson@idl.idaho.gov. More information is also at http://www.idl.idaho.gov/adminrule/rulemaking.html

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2007.

Eric Wilson, Navigable Waters/Minerals Program Manager Idaho Department of Lands 300 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 103, Boise, ID 83702

Phone (208) 334-0261/ Fax (208) 334-3698 ewilson@idl.idaho.gov

### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 20-0317-0701

000. AUTHORITY.  These rules are promulgated pursuant to, and shall be construed in a manner consistent with, the duties and
responsibilities of the Idaho State Board of Land Commissioners as set forth in Idaho Code, Chapters 1, 3, and 6, Title 58, and the Public Trust Doctrine. This Chapter is adopted under the legal authorities of Title 58, Chapter 1, Idaho Code, Sections 58-104(6), 58-104(9), and 58-105; Title 58, Chapter 3, Idaho Code, Sections 58-304 through 58-312; Title 58, Chapter 6, Idaho Code; Title 58, Chapter 12; and Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)( )
001. TITLE AND SCOPE.
<b>O1.</b> Application of Rules. These rules set forth procedures concerning the issuance of leases on state-owned submerged lands. Title. These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 20.03.17, "Rules Governing Leases on State-Owned Submerged Lands and Formerly Submerged Lands."  (7-1-97)(
<b>O2.</b> Additional Application of Rules. Scope. These rules govern the issuance of leases on state-owned submerged lands.
<u>a.</u> These rules also apply to state-owned islands raised from submerged lands, or filled submerged lands, or other formerly submerged lands that are no longer covered by water at any time during an ordinary year.  (7-1-97)()
03b. State's Rights. While the State asserts the right to issue leases for all encroachments, navigational or non-navigational, upon, in or above the beds or waters of navigable lakes and rivers, nothing in these rules shall be construed to vest in the state of Idaho any property, right or claim of such right to any private lands lying above the natural or ordinary high water mark of any navigable lake or river.
<i>There are no written interpretations of these rules.</i> The Idaho Department of Lands maintains written interpretations of its rules which may include, but may not be limited to, written procedures manuals and operations manuals, Attorney General formal and informal opinions, and other written guidance, which pertain to the interpretation of the rules of this chapter. Copies of the procedures manuals and operations manuals, Attorney General opinions, and other written interpretations, if applicable, are available for public inspection and copying at the director's office of the Idaho Department of Lands, Boise, Idaho, or are available on the Internet at www.idl.idaho.gov. (7-1-97)( )
003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.  This chapter does not provide for appeal of the administrative requirements for agencies. Any person aggrieved by any final decision or order of the board shall be entitled to judicial review pursuant to the provisions of Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code, and IDAPA 20.01.01, "Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the State Board of Land Commissioners."
<u>004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.</u> There are no documents that have been incorporated by reference into this rule.
OFFICE OFFICE HOURS MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET ADDRESS.  The principal place of business of the Idaho Department of Lands is in Boise, Idaho and it is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Saturday, Sunday, and legal holidays. The mailing address is: Idaho Department of Lands, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0050. The telephone number of the office is (208) 334-0200.
<u>O06.</u> <u>PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.</u> The rules contained herein have been promulgated according to the provisions of Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code, and are public records.  (
004 <u>7</u> 009. (RESERVED).

### 010. **DEFINITIONS.**

- **01. Artificial High Water Mark**. The high water elevation above the natural or ordinary high water mark resulting from construction of man-made dams or control works and impressing a new and higher vegetation line. (Section 58-1302(d), Idaho Code). (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **O4.** Community Dock or Multiple Family Dock. SA structures that provides private moorage facilities for more than two (2) adjacent riparian/littoral property owners, or other littoral owners possessing a littoral common area with littoral rights including, but not limited to, homeowners' associations. A community dock shall be considered a commercial navigational aid. No public access is required for a community dock. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - **05. Department**. The Idaho Department of Lands <u>or its designee</u>.

<del>(7-1-97)</del>(

- **O7. Dock Surface Area**. Includes docks, slips, piers, and ramps and is calculated in square feet. Dock surface area does not include *piles* pilings, submerged anchors, or <u>undecked</u> breakwaters. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **10. Formerly Submerged Lands**. The beds of navigable lakes, rivers, and streams that have either been filled or subsequently became uplands because of human activities including construction of dikes, berms, and seawalls. Also included are islands that have been created on submerged lands through natural processes or human activities since statehood, July 3, 1890. (7-1-97)
- 12. Natural or Ordinary High Water Mark. The line that the water impresses upon the soil by covering it for a sufficient period of time to deprive the soil of its vegetation and destroy its value for agricultural purposes (Section 58-104 and 58-1302(e), Idaho Code). If, however, the soil, configuration of the surface, or vegetation has been altered by man's activity, the ordinary high water mark shall be located where it would have been

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if the alt	teration h	ad not occurred.	<del>(7-1-97)</del> (
to do bu	13. siness in	<b>Person</b> . An individual, partnership, association, or corporation, natural person, or the state of Idaho, and any federal, state, county tribal, or local municipal unit of go	entity qualified vernment. (7-1-97)(
riparian	or littora	<b>Riparian or Littoral Rights</b> . <i>Only f</i> The rights of owners or lessees of land adjace treams to maintain their adjacency to the lake, river, or stream and to make use of lowners or lessees in building or using aids to navigation but does not include any right of the waters or to remove state-owned bed materials. (Section 58-1302(f), Idaho Co	f their rights as ght to make any
serves o	<b>15.</b> one (1) <i>rip</i>	Single-Family Dock. A structure that provides providing noncommercial moorage parian/littoral waterfront owner whose waterfront footage is no less than twenty-five	
natural o	<b>16.</b> or ordina	<b>Submerged Lands</b> . The state-owned beds of navigable lakes, rivers, and streams ry high water marks.	<del>lying</del> below the (7-1-97)(
	17.	Uplands. The land bordering on navigable lakes, rivers, and streams.	<del>(7-1-97)</del> (
<u>011.</u>	ABBRE	EVIATIONS.	
	01.	IDAPA. Idaho Administrative Procedure Act.	(

### 020. APPLICABILITY.

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Leases shall be required for all encroachments on, in, or over state-owned submerged land except:

(7-1-97)

- **01.** Single or Multiple Family or Two-Family Docks. Single or multiple family or two-family docks that were constructed on or before July 1, 1993, that occupying less than eleven hundred (1,100) square feet of dock surface area lakeward of the ordinary high water mark, and for which all required permits and approvals have been obtained.

  (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **O2. Single-Family Docks**. Single-family docks that were constructed after July 1, 1993, <u>that</u> occupy *ing* less than seven hundred (700) square feet of dock surface area lakeward of the ordinary high water mark, and for which all required permits and approvals have been obtained. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **Multiple** Two-Family Docks. Multiple Two-family docks that were constructed after July 1, 1993, that occupy ing less than eleven hundred (1,100) square feet of dock surface area lakeward of the ordinary high water mark, and for which all required permits and approvals have been obtained. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **04. Encroachments Free to the Public**. Encroachments in aid of navigation for which the complete use is offered free to the public. (7-1-97)
- **O5. Temporary Permits or Easements.** Uses or encroachments that are customarily authorized by temporary permits or easements, such as roads, railroads, overhead utility lines, submerged cables, and pipelines. (See Information on easements can be found in IDAPA 20.03.09, "Easements on State-Owned Submerged Lands and Formerly Submerged Lands.") (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_)
- 021. -- 024. (RESERVED).
- 025. POLICY.
- **01. Policy of the State of Idaho**. It is the policy of the state of Idaho to regulate and control the use and disposition of lands in the beds of navigable lakes, rivers and streams to the natural or ordinary high water mark

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thereof, so as to provide for their commercial, navigational, recreational or other public use; provided that the Board shall take no action in derogation of or seeking to interfere with the riparian or littoral rights of the owners of upland property abutting or adjoining such lands. (Section 58-104, Idaho Code). (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **02. Director May Grant Leases.** The director may grant leases for uses that are in the public interest and consistent with these rules. (7-1-97)
- **Requests or Inquiries Regarding Navigability**. The State owns the beds of all lakes, rivers, and streams that <u>are were</u> navigable in fact <u>at statehood</u>. The Department will respond to requests or inquiries as to which lakes, rivers, and streams are deemed navigable in fact. Additional information about streams deemed navigable by the State of Idaho is available from the Department.

  (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_)
- **04. Stream Channel Alteration Permit or Encroachment Permit.** Issuance of a lease shall be contingent upon the applicant obtaining a stream channel alteration permit if required by the Idaho Department of Water Resources, pursuant to Title 42, Chapter 38, Idaho Code, or an encroachment permit if required by the Department pursuant to the Lake Protection Act, Title 58, Chapter 13, Idaho Code, and compliance with local planning and zoning regulations if applicable. (7-1-97)
- **05. Other Permits and Licenses.** Issuance of a lease shall not relieve an applicant from acquiring other permits and licenses that are required by law. (7-1-97)
- **06. Submerged Lands Lease Required Upon Notification**. All persons using submerged lands in a manner that requires a submerged land lease shall obtain such a lease from the director when notified to do so. (7-1-97)
- **O7. Term of Lease, Renewal of Lease.** Leases shall be issued for a term *not to exceed ten (10) years* in accordance with Title 58, Chapter 3, Section 58-304, Idaho Code, and *shall* may be renewed for additional *ten (10) year* periods to be determined by the department based upon satisfactory performance during the present term. Renewals shall be processed with a minimum of procedural requirements and shall not be denied except in the most unusual circumstances or noncompliance with the terms and conditions of the previous lease. Lease renewals shall be initiated by the *director* department. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **08. Director's Authorization to Issue and Renew Leases**. The director is authorized to issue and renew leases for the use of submerged lands in accordance with these rules. (7-1-97)
- **09. Rights Granted**. The lease grants only such rights as are specified in the lease. The right to use the property for all other purposes that do not interfere with the rights authorized in the lease remains with the state.

  (7-1-97)
- **10.** Rules Applicable to All Existing and Proposed Uses and Encroachments. These rules shall apply to all existing and proposed uses and encroachments, whether or not authorized by permit under the Lake Protection Act, <u>Title 58</u>, <u>Chapter 13</u>, <u>Idaho Code</u>, or the Stream Channel Protection Act, <u>Title 42</u>, <u>Chapter 38</u>, <u>Idaho Code</u>. These rules provide that a lease may be required in addition to existing permits. See Subsection 020.01 through 020.05 of these rules for information about exceptions to lease requirements.
- 11. Waiver of Lease Requirements. The director may, in his discretion, waive lease requirements for single or multiple-family or two-family dock encroachments whose dock surface areas exceed square footages described in Subsections 020.01 through 020.03 of these rules when the additional dock surface area square footage is necessary to gain or maintain access to water of sufficient depth to sustain dock use for water craft customarily in use on that particular lake.

  (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

<u>12.</u>	Private Slips at Commercial Marinas.	(	_)
<u>a.</u>	This Subsection (025.12) does not apply to community docks.	(	)

<u>b.</u> Private moorage at commercial marinas is allowed as long as the requirements of IDAPA 20.03.04, "Rules for the Regulation of Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes in the State of Idaho," Subsection

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015.03 are met.		()
	The sale, lease, or rental of private moorage is in no way an encur sactions related to private moorage are subject to the limitations of	
<u>d.</u> convey public tru	Acquisition of private moorage must be documented with a disclost lands and only conveys the right to use the designated portion of	Sture that the transaction does not the marina.
e. disputes between	The department shall make no policy regarding the cost of private the involved parties.	te moorage and the resolution of ()
026 029.	(RESERVED).	
030. LEASE	APPLICATION, FEE, AND PROCEDURE.	
<b>01.</b> fifty dollars (\$150	Fee <i>Determined by Board</i> . The lease application fee shall be <i>deter</i> 1).	rmined by the Board one hundred (7-1-97)()
permit applicatio	Fee May Not Be Required. A lease application and fee may not in for a new or changed encroachment is filed simultaneously. In and fee will also serve as a lease application and fee.	
existing encroach	<b>Fee Shall Be Required</b> . A lease application and <u>nonrefundable</u> freents-unless application for a new encroachment permit is filed sired for leases that are renewed upon expiration.	ee shall be required for <u>new and</u> multaneously. A lease application (7-1-97)()
04. may be found in 1 the State of Idaho	Eneroachment Permit Application Fees. Information on encroed to DAPA 20.03.04, "Rules for the Regulation of Beds, Waters and A."."	achment permit application fees irspace over Navigable Lakes in (7-1-97)
	Application to Lease and Fee. The lease application and fee sh	
improvements, in applicable encro- 030.03.c., in suff	e-purpose of the lease; a scale drawing of the proposed lease area- cluding reference to the nearest known property corner(s); the schment permit(s); and the required rent. the information from scient detail for the department to determine an appropriate lease to other permit information:	permit number of each existing Subsections 030.03.a. through
<u>a.</u>	A letter of request stating the purpose of the lease.	()
b. including reference	A scale drawing of the proposed lease area with plans detail to the nearest known property corner(s). An encroachment perm	ing all intended improvements, it may satisfy this requirement.
<u>c.</u>	The permit number of each existing applicable encroachment perm	<u>nit.</u> ()
	Submittal of Application to Lease and Fee. The lease applicate Department shall be filed in the local office of the department, we dl.idaho.gov, or the director's office in Boise.	ion and fee <i>may be submitted to</i> hose location is available on the (7-1-97)()
	<b>Notification of Approval</b> or <b>Denial</b> . The applicant shall be roved or denied. The applicant shall also be notified of any addition	
	<b>Request for Reconsideration</b> . Any applicant aggrieved with the dipplication may request reconsideration by the Director.	lirector's determination of rent or (7-1-97)
031 034.	(RESERVED).	

### 035. RENTAL.

<del>01.</del>	<b>Rental Rates Determined by the Board.</b> The rental rates policy for submerged la	and leases shall	l be
set by the Board.	This policy is available on the Internet at www.idl.idaho.gov.	<del>(7-1-97)</del> (	)

- **91.** Standardized Rental Rates. The board shall set standard submerged land lease rental rates for common uses such as marinas, community docks, floathomes, restaurants, and retail stores. These rates may use a percentage of market value or gross receipts as well as other methods determined appropriate by the board. ( )
- 02. Modification of Rent. The director may temporarily reduce or waive annual lease rent for commercial submerged lands leases for a period not to exceed two (2) years upon showing by the lessee that irreversible financial harm will occur if the rent is not temporarily modified. Nonstandard Rental Rates. The board shall direct the department to use a percentage of market value or gross receipts, or other methods determined appropriate by the board, as the submerged lands lease rental rate for uses that are uncommon, especially for non-navigational encroachments.

### <u>036.</u> <u>YEARLY REPORTING.</u>

	<u>01.</u>	Annual Report. Lessees shall provide an annual report to the department which shall include	<u>de:</u>
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	<u>a.</u>	A schedule of moorage rental rates, including moorage sizes and types.	()
	<u>b.</u>	The number and size of any private and public moorage.	()
	<u>c.</u>	The number and size of any private and public float home slips.	()
	<u>d.</u>	Current proof of insurance that is required by the lease.	()
1	<u>02.</u>	Failure to Report. Failure to provide the annual report information will be a violation of	of these
<u>rules.</u>			<u>(</u>

### 0367. -- 039. (RESERVED).

### 040. LATE PAYMENT, EXTENSIONS OF PAYMENT.

- **91. Penalty for Late Payment of Rent**. Rent not paid by the due date shall be considered late. A penalty, calculated from the day after which payment was due, shall be added to the rent. The penalty shall be determined by the Board for the first month or any portion thereof and one percent (1%) of the rent due, including penalty, per month thereafter. (7-1-97)
- **O2.** Extension in Time for Payment of Rent. An extension in time in which to submit payment of rent may be granted for commercial submerged lands leases only. Such extensions may not exceed two (2) successive years, (Section 58-305, Idaho Code) as required by Title 58, Chapter 3, Idaho Code, Section 58-305. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **03. Request for Extension in Time for Payment of Rent.** Lessees must request extensions on forms supplied by the lessor and pay an extension fee to be determined by the Board. The lessee must also provide a statement from his banker or accountant verifying that money is not available for the payment of rent. (7-1-97)
- **04. Interest Rate for Extension in Time for Payment of Rent**. If an extension is granted, rent plus interest at a rate established by the Board will be due no later than October 1 of the rent year. Specifically, interest will be the average monthly rate for conventional mortgages as quoted in the Federal Reserve Statistical Report; the rate to be rounded downward to the nearest one quarter percent (1/4%) on the tenth of each month following the release of data. (7-1-97)

### 041. -- 044. (RESERVED).

045.	ADDDAIGAI	PROCEDURES.
V45.	APPKAISAL	PRUCEDURES.

Appraisals may be used to determine the market value of adjacent uplands for calculating submerged lease rental rates.

- **01. Appraisal**. An appraisal *normally* will <u>either</u> be performed by qualified department staff. *If desired by the applicant and agreed to by the director, the applicant may ask the Department for or an independent contract appraisal*. Any appraisal must be under the control of the Department. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **O2.** Cost of Appraisal. If the appraisal is performed by department staff or by an independent contract appraiser, t he appraisal costs shall be the actual cost for department personnel plus transportation, including per diem and administrative overhead, or the bid amount for the contract appraiser. An itemized statement of these costs shall be provided to the applicant. The cost of the appraisal shall be in addition to those costs outlined in Subsections  $\frac{035.01 \text{ and}}{035.02 \text{ of these rules}}$  and shall be billed separately from the application fee and rent.  $\frac{(7-1-97)(1-1)}{(7-1-97)(1-1)}$

### 046. -- 049. (RESERVED).

### 050. LEASE MODIFICATION OR AMENDMENT.

- **01. Encroachment Amendment**. A lease modification or amendment must first be permitted through an amendment to the lake encroachment permit or stream alteration permit, if needed. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
- **02. Modification of Existing Lease.** Modification or amendment of an existing lease will be processed in the same manner as a new application, but no fee will be required. Modification or amendment includes change of use, location, size or scope of the lease site, but does not include ordinary maintenance, repair or replacement of existing structures or facilities. (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

### 051. -- 054. (RESERVED).

### 055. ASSIGNMENTS, ASSIGNMENT FEE.

- **01. Assignment of Lease**. Leases may be assigned upon approval of the director provided that the lease conforms with Subsection 025.02 and all other provisions of these rules. The assignor and assignee must complete the Department's standard assignment form and forward it to any department office. (7-1-97)

- **O4. Approval Required for Assignment**. An assignment is not valid until it has been approved by the director. (7-1-97)
- 056. -- 059. (RESERVED).

### 060. CANCELLATION AND ADDITIONAL REMEDIES.

**01.** Cancellation of Lease for Violation of Terms. Any violation of the terms of the lease by the

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lessee, including non-payment of rent or any violation by lessee of any rule now in force or hereafter adopted by the Board may subject the lease to cancellation. The lessee shall be provided written notification of any violation. The letter shall specify the violation, corrective action necessary, and specify a reasonable time to make the correction. If the corrective action is not taken within the specified reasonable period of time, the Department shall notify the lessee of cancellation of the lease; provided, however, that the notice shall be provided to lessee no later than thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such cancellation. (7-1-97)

- **02. Reinstatement of Lease**. A lease may be reinstated within *thirty* <u>ninety</u> (390) days after cancellation for non-payment by paying the rental, plus interest, and a reinstatement fee to be determined by the Board.
- **O3.** Cancellation of Lease for Use Other Than Intended Purpose. A lease not used for the purpose for which it was granted may be canceled. The Department shall notify the lessee in writing of any proposed cancellation. The lessee shall have thirty (30) days to reply in writing to the Department to show cause why the lease should not be cancelled. Within sixty (60) days, the Department shall notify the lessee in writing as to the Department's decision concerning cancellation. The lessee will have thirty (30) days to appeal an adverse decision to the director.

  (7-1-97)
- **Removal of Improvements Upon Cancellation.** Upon cancellation, the director shall provide the lessee with a specific, but reasonable, amount of time, not to exceed six (6) months from the date of final notice, to remove any facilities and improvements. Failure to remove any facilities or structures within such time period established by the director shall be deemed a trespass on submerged or formerly submerged lands. (7-1-97)
- Additional Remedies Available. In addition to termination of the lease for the material default of the lessee, the lease may provide for other remedies to non-monetary breach of the lease, including, but not limited to:

  a. Civil penalties as determined by the board and to be collected as additional rent;

  b. The reasonable costs of remedial action undertaken by the department as a result of the lessee's failure to perform a requirement of the lease, These costs will be collected as additional rent; and

  c. Such other remedies as the board shall deem appropriate.

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- 065. BOND.
- **O1. Bond Requirement Determined by Director.** Bonds may be required for commercial *non*-navigational, community dock, and nonnavigational leases. The need for bond shall be at the discretion of the director who shall consider the potential for abandonment of the facility, harm to state-owned submerged land and water resources, the personal and real property of adjacent upland owners and the personal and real property owned by the encroachment owner that is appurtenant to and supportive of the encroachment.

  (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_)
- **O2. Performance Bond**. In the event a bond is necessary, the lessee shall submit a performance bond in favor of the state of Idaho and in a format acceptable to the director before a lease is issued. Acceptable bonds include surety, collateral, and letters of credit. The amount of bond shall be the estimated cost of restoration as established by the director in consultation with the lease applicant on a case by case basis. To determine restoration costs, the director may consider the potential for damage to land, to improvements, and the cost of structure removal. (7-1-97)

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 075. OTHER RULES AND LAWS-OF THE STATE.

The lessee shall comply with all applicable <u>state</u>, <u>federal</u>, <u>and local</u> rules and laws <u>of the state of Idaho</u> insofar as they affect the use of the lands described in the lease. (7-1-97)(

### **IDAPA 21 - DIVISION OF VETERANS SERVICES**

# 21.01.01 - RULES GOVERNING ADMISSION, RESIDENCY, AND MAINTENANCE CHARGES IN IDAHO STATE VETERANS HOMES AND DIVISION OF VETERANS SERVICES ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

### **DOCKET NO. 21-0101-0701**

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - ADOPTION OF PENDING RULE.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This rule has been adopted by the agency and is now pending review by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature for final approval. The pending rule becomes final and effective at the conclusion of the legislative session, unless the rule is approved, rejected, amended or modified by concurrent resolution in accordance with Section 67-5224 and 67-5291, Idaho Code. If the pending rule is approved, amended or modified by concurrent resolution, the rule becomes final and effective upon adoption of the concurrent resolution or upon the date specified in the concurrent resolution.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5224, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a pending rule. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 65-202, Idaho Code.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a concise explanatory statement of the reasons for adopting the pending rule and a statement of any change between the text of the proposed rule and the text of the pending rule with an explanation of the reasons for the change.

The pending rule is being adopted as proposed. The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the August 1, 2007 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 07-8, pages 119 through 125.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this pending rule, contact David E. Brasuell, Administrator, at (208) 334-3513.

DATED this 30th day of August, 2007.

David E. Brasuell Administrator Division of Veterans Services 320 Collins Rd. Boise, Idaho 83702 (208) 334-3513 phone (208) 334-2627 fax

### DOCKET NO. 21-0101-0701 - ADOPTION OF PENDING RULE

There are no substantive changes from the proposed rule text.

The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Volume 07-8, August 1, 2007, pages 119 through 125.

This rule has been adopted as a pending rule by the Agency and is now pending review and approval by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature as a final rule.

### **IDAPA 22 - BOARD OF MEDICINE**

## 22.01.01 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF MEDICINE FOR THE LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY AND OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE AND SURGERY IN IDAHO

### **DOCKET NO. 22-0101-0701 (FEE RULE)**

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-1806 (2) (4) and (11) and 54-1806A, 54-1812, 54-1813, 54-1814 and 54-1841, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These proposed changes amend existing language relating to the graduates of U.S., Canadian and international medical schools; clarify post-graduate medical training requirements; augment international medical school requirements; include definitions; require lawful presence in the U.S.; broaden the fee schedules and to update and clarify rules.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

The fee schedule has been broadened, however, there will be no increase in fees. Authority for imposition of these fees is found in Sections 54-1806 (11), 54-1808 and 54-1813, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted, however, the Board received input and comments regarding the licensure of qualified well-trained graduates of international medical schools, particularly given the shortage of physicians, from legislators, international medical school graduates, physicians and the public.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Nancy M. Kerr, Idaho State Board of Medicine, (208) 327-7000.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 21, 2007.

Nancy M. Kerr Executive Director Idaho State Board of Medicine 1755 Westgate Drive, Suite 140, Boise, ID 83704 PO Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0058 Telephone: (208) 327-7000 Fax: (208) 327-7005

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Association ACGME, AOA or Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada or the Board, and shall submit a completed written application to the Board on forms prescribed by the Board, together with the nonrefundable application fee. Any certificate or document required to be submitted to the Board which is not in the English language must be accompanied by a certified translation thereof into English. The application form shall be verified and shall require the following:

(3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)

- **a.** The Personal identification information and education background of the applicant including, but limited to, his college education, medical school education and postgraduate training; (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **c.** The disclosure of any criminal charges, convictions or guilty pleas against the applicant other than minor traffic offenses; (7-1-93)
- **d.** The current mental and physical condition of the applicant, together with disclosure of any previous physical or mental illness which impacts the applicant's ability to practice medicine; (3-30-01)
- **e.** The disclosure of any past or pending medical malpractice actions against the applicant, and the settlements, if any, of such claims; (7-1-93)
- **f.** The disclosure of any disciplinary action by any *state* board of medicine, <u>licensing authority</u>, medical society, professional society, hospital, <u>medical school</u>, or institution staff <u>in any state or country</u>;

(7-1-93)( )

- g. The disclosure of the refusal to issue or renew a license to practice medicine by any state, Canadian or *foreign* international licensing authority;

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **h.** References to include two (2) letters of recommendation signed by licensed physicians who have known the applicant professionally for at least one (1) year; (3-30-06)
- i. An unmounted photograph of the applicant, of adequate size and clarity to identify the applicant and no larger than four inches tall by three inches wide (4" x 3"), taken not more than one (1) year prior to the date of the application; (3-30-06)
- **j.** A certified copy of a full set of the applicant's fingerprints on forms supplied by the Board which shall be forwarded to the Idaho Department of Law Enforcement and to the FBI Identification Division for the purpose of a fingerprint-based criminal history check of the Idaho central criminal database and the Federal Bureau of Investigation criminal history database; (5-3-03)
  - **k.** The employment history and relevant practice locations of the applicant; (3-30-06)
- Each state, country and jurisdiction in which the applicant has applied for a license to practice medicine;

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
  - **m.** Each state, country and jurisdiction wherein the applicant is licensed to practice mediciner; and (3-30-06)(
- **n.** Such other information or examinations as the Board deems necessary to identify and evaluate the applicant's credentials and competency. (3-30-06)
- **045. Examination**. Each applicant must pass an examination acceptable to the Board, within the time period recommended by the examination authority, which shall thoroughly test the applicant's fitness to practice medicine or successfully completed all three (3) steps of the United States Medical Licensing Exam (USMLE). If an applicant fails to pass the examination on two (2) separate occasions the applicant may be required to be interviewed,

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evaluated or examined by the Board.

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- **056. Interview.** Each applicant may be personally interviewed by the Board or a designated committee of the Board. The interview shall include a review of the applicant's qualifications and professional credentials. (3-30-01)
- **067. Applicants**. All applicants must complete their license application within one (1) year unless extended by the Board after filing an application for extension. Unless extended, applications that remain on file for more than one (1) year will be considered null and void and a new application and new fees will be required as if filing for the first time. (3-30-06)
- **072. Health Care Standards**. In reviewing the application or conducting the applicant's interview, the Board shall determine whether the applicant possesses the requisite qualifications to provide the same standard of health care as provided by licensed physicians in this state. If the Board is unable to reach such a conclusion through the application and interview, it shall conduct further inquiry, to establish such qualifications. (3-30-06)
- **a.** Upon inquiry, if further examination is required, the Board may require passage of the Special Purpose Examination (SPEX) administered by the *Federation of State Medical Boards of the United States* (FSMB), a post licensure assessment conducted by the *Federation of State Medical Boards* FSMB, or a evaluation by an independent agency *approved* accepted by the Board to evaluate physician competence; (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- **b.** The Board will require further inquiry when in its judgment the need is apparent, including but not limited to the following circumstances: (3-30-06)
- ii. Applicant whose background investigation reveals evidence of impairment, competency deficit, or disciplinary action by *another* any licensing or regulatory agency; (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- iii. An applicant has not been in active medical practice for a period exceeding one (1) year, or when practice has been significantly interrupted; (3-30-06)
- iv. An applicant has not written a recognized examination intended to determine ability to practice medicine within a period of five (5) years preceding application; (3-30-06)
- v. An applicant whose initial licensure was issued on the basis of an examination not recognized by the Board; or (3-30-06)
  - vi. When there is any reason whatsoever to question the identity of the applicant. (3-30-06)
- c. Recommendations of the assessment and or evaluation acceptable to the Board related to the ability of the applicant to practice medicine and surgery will be considered by the Board in its decision whether to issue a license and the Board may limit, condition, or restrict a license based on the Board's determination and the recommendation of the assessment or evaluation. (3-30-06)

## 051. LICENSURE FOR GRADUATES OF <u>INTERNATIONAL</u> MEDICAL SCHOOLS LOCATED OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA.

- **01.** Foreign International Medical Graduate. In addition to meeting the requirements of Section 050, graduates of international medical schools located outside of the United States and Canada must submit to the Board:

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- a. An <u>oO</u>riginal certificate from the <u>Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates</u> (ECFMG) or <u>must submit original</u> documentation that the applicant has passed the examination either administered or recognized by the <u>Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates</u>; <u>ECFMG</u> and <u>IDAPA 22.01.01</u> passed an examination acceptable to the Board that demonstrates qualification for licensure or successfully completed all three

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Schools, which issued its first doctor of medicine degree more than fifteen (15) years prior to an application for licensure, may, in the Board's discretion, be required to provide original documented evidence of degree equivalency acceptable to the Board.

- O3. Postgraduate Training. The foreign medical school graduate must submit documentation that the applicant has satisfactorily completed three (3) years of progressive postgraduate training in a program which is located in the United States or Canada, which is approved for such training by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education and which is conducted under the direction of an acceptable school of medicine; provided however, applicants who do not have an ECFMG certificate must also submit documentation that their three (3) years of postgraduate training included at least one (1) academic year of supervised clinical training conducted under the direction of an acceptable school of medicine.
- **94.** ECFMG. The certificate from the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates is not required if the applicant holds a license to practice medicine which was issued prior to 1958 in one (1) of the states of the United States and which was obtained by written examination.

  (3-30-06)
- 05: English Language. The foreign medical student applicant must be able to speak, write and read the English language. (7-1-93)

# 052. GRADUATES OF UNAPPROVED $\underline{INTERNATIONAL}$ MEDICAL SCHOOLS LOCATED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES OR CANADA.

In addition to meeting the requirements of Section 050, Geraduates of unapproved international medical schools located outside the United States or Canada that do not meet the requirements of Section 051, shall meet submit to the Board an original certificate or document of three (3) of the four (4) following requirements.

- **01.** Hold Valid ECFMG Certificate. Hold a valid certificate issued by ECFMG. (5-3-03)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **O2.** Three (3) Years of Completed Post Graduate Training. Completed Successful completion of three (3) years of progressive post graduate training at one (1) training program accredited for internship, residency or fellowship training in an American Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) or American Osteopathic Association (AOA) or Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada approved program. (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
- **93. Hold Board Certification**. Hold <u>current</u> <u>Bb</u>oard certification by a <u>speciality</u> <u>specialty</u> board approved by the American Board of Medical S<u>pecialities</u> <u>Specialties</u> or the AOA. (5-3-03)(\_\_\_\_)
- **04.** Have Five (5) Years Unrestricted Practice. Provide eEvidence of five (5) years of unrestricted practice as a licensee of any United States or Canadian jurisdiction. (5-3-03)(\_\_\_\_\_)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 077. INACTIVE LICENSE.

- **01. Issuance of Inactive License**. Any applicant who is *entitled* <u>eligible</u> to be issued a license to practice medicine, except a volunteer license, may be issued, upon request, an inactive license to practice medicine on the condition that he will not engage in the practice of medicine in this state. An inactive license fee shall be collected by the Board.

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- **O2. Inactive License Renewal**. Inactive licenses shall be issued for a period of not less than one (1) year or more than five (5) years and such licenses shall be renewed upon payment of an inactive license renewal fee. The inactive license certificate shall set forth its date of expiration. (3-30-06)
- **03. Inactive to Active License.** An inactive license may be converted to an active license to practice medicine by application to the Board and payment of required fees. Before the license will be converted the applicant must account for the time during which an inactive license was held. The Board may, in its discretion, require a personal interview. (7-1-93)

#### 078. LICENSES.

- **01. Licensure Expiration.** Each license to practice medicine shall be issued for a period of not less than one (1) year or more than five (5) years. Each license shall set forth its expiration date on the face of the certificate. Prorated fees may be assessed by the Board to bring the expiration date of the license within the next occurring license renewal period. The Board may condition the issuance of such a license for the full term upon the occurrence of events specified by the Board and the Board may extend a license for an intermediate period of time.
- **Renewal**. Each license to practice medicine may be renewed prior to its expiration date by the payment of a renewal fee to the Board and by completion of a renewal form provided by the Board. In order to be eligible for renewal, a licensee must provide a current address to the Board and must notify the Board of any change of address prior to the renewal period. Licenses not renewed by their expiration date shall be canceled. (3-30-06)
- **Reinstatement**. Licenses canceled for nonpayment of renewal fees may be reinstated by filing a reinstatement application on forms prescribed by the Board and upon payment of a reinstatement fee and applicable renewal fees for the period the license was lapsed. (3-30-06)
- **Q4.** Relicensure. <u>Persons Physicians</u> whose licenses have been canceled for a period of more than five (5) years, shall be required to make application to the Board as new applicants for licensure. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)

## 079. CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME) REQUIRED.

- **01. Purpose**. The purpose of practice relevant CME is to enhance competence, performance, understanding of current standards of care, and patient outcomes. (5-3-03)
- **02. Renewal**. Each person licensed to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine or surgery in Idaho shall complete no less than forty (40) hours of practice relevant, Category 1, CME every two (2) years. (5-3-03)
- **03. Approved Programs**. All education offered by institutions or organizations accredited by the *Accreditation Council on Continuing Medical Education* (ACCME) and reciprocating organizations or the *American Osteopathic Association* (AOA) are considered approved. (5-3-03)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **04. Verification of Compliance**. Licensees shall, at license renewal, provide a signed statement to the Board indicating compliance. The Board, in its discretion, may require such additional evidence as is necessary to verify compliance. (5-3-03)
- **05. Alternate Compliance**. The Board may accept certification or recertification by a member of the American Board of Medical Specialties, the American Osteopathic Association Bureau of Professional Education, or the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada in lieu of compliance with continuing education requirements during the cycle in which the certification or recertification is granted. The Board may also grant an exemption for full time participation in a residency or fellowship training at a professionally accredited institution.

  (5-3-03)
- **96. Penalties for Noncompliance**. The Board may condition, limit, suspend, or refuse to renew the license of any person whom the Board determines has failed to comply with the continuing education requirements of this chapter. (5-3-03)

#### 080. VOLUNTEER LICENSE.

**01. License.** Upon completion of an application and verification of qualifications, the Board may issue a volunteer license to a physician who is retired from active practice for the purpose of providing medical service to people who, due to age, infirmity, handicap, indigence or disability, are unable to receive regular medical treatment. (3-30-06)

- **02. Retired Defined**. A physician previously holding a license to practice medicine and surgery and osteopathic medicine and surgery in Idaho or another state shall be considered retired if, prior to the date of the application for a volunteer's license, he has: (3-30-06)
- **a.** Surrendered or allowed his license with active status to expire with the intent of ceasing active practice for remuneration or; (3-30-06)
- **b.** Converted his active license to an inactive status with the intention of ceasing to actively practice for remuneration or; (3-30-06)
- **c.** Converted his license with active or inactive status to a license with retirement or similar status that proscribed the active practice of medicine. (3-30-06)
- **03. Eligibility**. A physician whose license has been restricted, suspended, revoked surrendered, resigned, converted, allowed to lapse or expire as the result of disciplinary action or in lieu of disciplinary action shall not be eligible for a volunteer license. The volunteer license cannot be converted to a license with active, inactive or temporary status. (3-30-06)
- **04. Application**. The application for a volunteer license shall include the requirements listed in Section 050 of these rules and: (3-30-06)
- **a.** Verification that the applicant held an active license in good standing in Idaho or another state within five (5) years of the date of application for a volunteer license. (3-30-06)
- **b.** The Board may at its discretion issue a volunteer license to a physician who has not held an active license in good standing for greater than five (5) years if the applicant has completed an examination acceptable to the Board that demonstrates the applicant possesses the knowledge and skills required to practice. (3-30-06)
- c. A notarized statement from the applicant on a form prescribed by the Board, that the applicant will not provide any physician services to any person other than those permitted by the license and that the applicant will not accept any amount or form of remuneration, other than as reimbursement for the amount of actual expenses incurred as a volunteer physician, for any physician services provided under the authority of a volunteer's license.

  (3-30-06)
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  - **d.** A completed self query of the National Practitioner Databank submitted to the Board. (3-30-06)
- **O5. Expiration**. The volunteer license shall be valid until the expiration date printed on the license and may be renewed in accordance with these rules. (3-30-06)
- **06. Discipline**. The volunteer license is subject to discipline in accordance with Section 54-1814, Idaho Code, and these rules. (3-30-06)
- 081. -- 099. (RESERVED).
- 100. FEES. -- TABLE.
  - **01. Fees -- Table**. Nonrefundable <u>Ff</u>ees by the Board are as follows:

Fixed Fees Table		
Licensure Fee	Not more than \$4600	
Temporary License	Not more than \$4300	
Reinstatement License Fee plus total of renewal fees not paid by applicant	Not more than \$4300	

<i>Fixed</i> Fees Table	
Inactive License Renewal Fee	Not more than \$75100
Renewal of License to Practice Medicine Fee	Not more than \$2300
Reactivation License Fee	Not more than \$4200
Duplicate Wallet License	Not more than \$420
Duplicate Wall License	Not more than \$250
Volunteer License Application Fee	\$0
Volunteer License Renewal Fee	\$0

<del>(3-30-06)</del>( )

**O2. Administrative Fees for Services**. Administrative fees for services shall be billed on the basis of time and cost. (7-1-93)

## 101. ADDITIONAL GROUNDS FOR SUSPENSION, REVOCATION OR DISCIPLINARY SANCTIONS.

- **01. Discipline.** In addition to the statutory grounds for medical discipline set forth in Idaho Code, Section 54-1814, every person licensed to practice medicine or registered as an extern, intern, resident or physician's assistant is subject to discipline by the Board upon any of the following grounds: (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_)
- **02. Unethical Advertising.** Advertising the practice of medicine in any unethical or unprofessional manner, includes but is not limited to: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Using advertising or representations likely to deceive, defraud or harm the public. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Making a false or misleading statement regarding his or her skill or the efficacy or value of the medicine, treatment or remedy prescribed by him or her at his or her direction in the treatment of any disease or other condition of the body or mind.

  (7-1-93)
- **03. Standard of Care.** Providing health care which fails to meet the standard of health care provided by other qualified physicians in the same community or similar communities, includes but is not limited to: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Being found mentally incompetent or insane by any court of competent jurisdiction. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Engaging in practice or behavior that demonstrates a manifest incapacity or incompetence to practice medicine. (7-1-93)
  - c. Allowing another person or organization to use his or her license to practice medicine. (7-1-93)
- **d.** Prescribing, selling, administering, distributing or giving any drug legally classified as a controlled substance or recognized as an addictive or dangerous drug to himself or herself or to a spouse, child or stepchild.

  (3-19-99)
  - **e.** Violating any state or federal law or regulation relating to controlled substances. (7-1-93)
- **f.** Directly promoting surgical procedures or laboratory tests that are unnecessary and not medically indicated. (7-1-93)
- **g.** Failure to transfer pertinent and necessary medical records to another physician when requested to do so by the subject patient or by his or her legally designated representative. (7-1-93)

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- **h.** Failing to maintain adequate records. Adequate patient records means legible records that contain, at a minimum, subjective information, an evaluation and report of objective findings, assessment or diagnosis, and the plan of care. (3-30-06)
- **04. Conduct**. Engaging in any conduct which constitutes an abuse or exploitation of a patient arising out of the trust and confidence placed in the physician by the patient, includes but is not limited to: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Obtaining any fee by fraud, deceit or misrepresentation. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Employing abusive billing practices. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Failure to transfer pertinent and necessary medical records to another physician when requested to do so by the subject patient or by his or her legally designated representative. (7-1-93)
- **d.** Commission of any act of sexual contact, misconduct, exploitation or intercourse with a patient or former patient or related to the licensee's practice of medicine. (7-1-93)
  - i. Consent of the patient shall not be a defense. (3-19-99)
- ii. Section 101 does not apply to sexual contact between a medical care provider and the provider's spouse or a person in a domestic relationship who is also a patient. (3-19-99)
- iii. A former patient includes a patient for whom the physician has provided medical services or prescriptions within the last twelve (12) months. (3-19-99)
- iv. Sexual or romantic relationships with former patients beyond that period of time may also be a violation if the physician uses or exploits the trust, knowledge, emotions or influence derived from the prior professional relationship with the patient.

  (3-19-99)
- **e.** Accepting any reimbursement for service, beyond actual expenses, while providing physician services under a volunteer license. (3-30-06)
- **f.** Interfering with an investigation or disciplinary proceeding by willful misrepresentation of facts or by use of threats or harassment against any patient, Board or Committee on Professional Discipline member, Board staff, hearing officer or witness in an attempt to influence the outcome of a disciplinary proceeding, investigation or other legal action. (3-30-06)
  - **g.** Failure to obey state and local laws and rules governing the practice of medicine.
  - **h.** Failure to be lawfully present in the United States. (\_\_\_\_\_)

#### **IDAPA 22 - BOARD OF MEDICINE**

## 22.01.02 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF MEDICINE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF EXTERNS, INTERNS, AND MEDICAL RESIDENTS

### **DOCKET NO. 22-0102-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-1806 (2)(11), 54-1806A, 54-1812, 54-1813 (2) and 54-1814, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These proposed changes amend existing language relating to the registration for students and graduates of medical schools in the U.S. and Canada as well as international medical students and graduates; clarify medical education requirements; include definitions; broaden the fee schedule and to update and clarify rules.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

The fee schedule has been broadened, however, there will be no increase in fees. Authority for imposition of this fee is found in Section 54-1807, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted, however, the Board received input and comments from legislators, international medical school students and graduates, physicians and the public regarding the registration of qualified externs, interns and residents from international medical schools particularly given the shortage of physicians in Idaho.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Nancy M. Kerr, Idaho State Board of Medicine, (208) 327-7000.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 21, 2007.

Nancy M. Kerr Executive Director Idaho State Board of Medicine 1755 Westgate Drive, Suite 140 PO Box 83720-0058 Boise, Idaho 83704 Telephone: (208) 327-7000 Fax: (208) 327-7005

## THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 22-0102-0701

## 22.01.02 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF MEDICINE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF EXTERNS, INTERNS, AND MEDICAL RESIDENTS

<b>000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.</b> Pursuant to Idaho Code, Sections 54-1806 (2)(11), and Section 54-1806A, 54-1812, 54-1813 (2) and 54-1814, the Idaho State Board of Medicine is authorized to promulgate rules to govern the activities of persons employed as or serving as externs, interns and residents.  (7-1-93)()
<b>001. TITLE AND SCOPE.</b> The rules shall be cited as IDAPA 22.01.02, "Rules of the Board of Medicine for the Registration of Externs, Interns, and <i>Medical</i> Residents." (7-1-93)(
Written interpretations of these rules in the form of explanatory comments accompanying the notice of proposed rule making that originally proposed the rules and review of comments submitted in the rulemaking process in the adoption of these rules are available for review and copying at cost from the Board of Medicine, 1755 Westgate Drive, Suite 140, Box 83720 Boise, Idaho 83720-0058.
003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL.  All contested cases shall be governed by the provisions of IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedures of the Attorney General" and IDAPA 22.01.07, "Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Board of Medicine."
<u>004.</u> <u>PUBLIC RECORD ACT COMPLIANCE.</u> These rules have been promulgated according to the provisions of Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code, and are public records.
<u>005. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.</u> There are no documents incorporated by reference into these rules. (
O06. OFFICE OFFICE HOURS MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET ADDRESS.  The central office of the Board of Medicine will be in Boise, Idaho. The Board's mailing address, unless otherwise indicated, will be Idaho State Board of Medicine, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0058. The Board's street address is 1755 Westgate Drive, Suite 140, Boise, Idaho 83704. The telephone number of the Board is (208) 327-7000. The Board's facsimile (FAX) number is (208) 327-7005. The Board's web site is www.bom.state.id.us. The Board's office hours for filing documents are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. MST.
O07. FILING OF DOCUMENTS NUMBER OF COPIES.  All documents in rulemaking or contested case proceedings must be filed with the office of the Board. The original and ten (10) copies of all documents must be filed with the office of the Board.
008. SEVERABILITY.  The sections and subsections of these administrative rules are presumed severable unless specifically provided to the contrary. If any rule, or part thereof, or the application of such rule to any person or circumstance is declared invalid, that invalidity does not affect the validity of any remaining portion.
009. (RESERVED).  010. DEFINITIONS.

- 11. Original Certificate or Document. An original document itself or a certified copy thereof issued by the agency or institution and mailed or delivered directly from the source to the Board or a Board approved credential verification service.
  - <u>12.</u> <u>Person</u>. A natural, living human individual.
- **9513. Supervising Physician.** A <u>person physician</u> approved by the Board who <u>is licensed holds a current active license</u> to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery in Idaho, in good standing with no restrictions upon or actions taken against his license, who signs the application for registration of a extern, intern or resident, and who is responsible for the direction and supervision of their activities.

  (3-15-78)(\_\_\_\_)
- 011. -- 015. (RESERVED).
- 016. REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF EXTERNS, INTERNS, AND RESIDENTS.
  - **01. Residence.** No period of residence in Idaho shall be required of any applicant, however, each

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applicant for registration must be legally able to work and live in the United States. Original documentation of lawful presence in the United States must be provided upon request only. The Board shall refuse to issue a registration or renew a registration if the applicant is not lawfully present in the United States. English Language. Each applicant shall speak, write, read, understand and be understood in the English language. Evidence of proficiency in the English language must be provided upon request only. **Application**. Each extern, intern or resident intending to commence activities in the state of Idaho which may involve activities constituting the practice of medicine, must submit a completed registration application to the Board on forms furnished by the Board and be issued a registration certificate prior to the commencement of any such activities. Any diploma or other document required to be submitted to the Board which is not in the English language must be accompanied by a certified translation thereof into English. The application form shall be verified and shall require the following information: (3-15-78)( Personal identification information and Fthe educational background of the extern, intern, or resident including his college education, medical school education and any postgraduate training programs; <del>(3-15-78)</del>( The disclosure of any criminal convictions, criminal charges, medical disciplinary actions or medical malpractice actions involving the extern, intern, or resident; (3-15-78)A complete description of the program or course of study he in the acceptable training program or acceptable post graduate training program the applicant intends to follow, including documentation of the liability coverage to be provided to the applicant; <del>(3-15-78)</del>( The name and address of the supervising physician and alternate supervising physician and the location of the program or course of study; (3-15-78)The signature by the supervising physician and alternate supervising physician by which they acknowledge and accept responsibility for the activities of the extern, intern, or resident; (3-15-78)An original certificate or document confirming ECFMG certification of the international medical graduate; and fg. Such other information as the Board deems relevant in reviewing the registration application. (3-15-78)**017.** GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR REGISTRATION.

- O1. Character. The Board may refuse registration or to renew registration if it finds that the applicant has engaged in conduct prohibited by Section 54-1814, Idaho Code; provided the Board shall take into consideration the rehabilitation of the applicant and other mitigating circumstances.
- <u>**O2.**</u> No Action on Application. An application upon which the applicant takes no further action will be held for no longer than one (1) year.
- **Registration Certificate.** Upon approval of the registration application, the Board *shall* may issue a registration certificate which shall set forth the period during which the registrant *is entitled to* may engage in activities which may involve the practice of medicine, *and which*. Each registration shall be issued for a period of not less than one (1) day or more than three (3) years and shall set forth its expiration date on the face of the certificate. Each registration shall identify the supervising physician and alternate supervising physician. If the Board deems the intern or resident qualified, and if the course study requires, the Board *shall* may additionally certify on the registration certificate that the intern or resident is qualified to write prescriptions for Class III through Class V scheduled (*but nontriplicate*) medications.
- **034. Termination of Registration**. The registration of an extern, intern or resident may be terminated, suspended or made conditional by the Board on the grounds set forth in Section 54-1814, Idaho Code, and under the

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procedures set forth in Section 54-1806A, Idaho Code.

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- <u>05.</u> Extension of Registration. Each registration may be extended one (1) time and may be extended prior to its expiration date upon approval of a written request to the Board. Registrations not extended by their expiration date shall be canceled.
- <u>06.</u> <u>Notification of Change</u>. Externs, interns and residents must notify the Board of any adverse action or termination from any training program or post graduate training program and any name changes within thirty (30) days of such event.
- O7. Disclosure. It shall be the responsibility of each registrant to ensure that every patient is aware of the fact that such extern, intern and resident is currently enrolled in a training program or post graduate training program and under the supervision of a licensed physician. This disclosure requirement can be fulfilled by the use of name tags, correspondence, oral statements or such other procedures that under the involved circumstances adequately advise the patient of the education and training of the extern, intern and resident.

#### 01<del>7</del>8. FEES.

- **Registration Fee.** The nonrefundable registration fee shall be no more than  $\frac{ten}{(7-1-93)(...)}$
- **02. Other.** Administrative fee for services, including photocopying and review of records shall be billed on the basis of time and charges. (3-15-78)

#### 0189. EFFECTIVE DATE.

These rules shall be effective March 15, 1978 and thereafter.

(3-15-78)

0<del>19</del>20. -- 999. (RESERVED).

#### **IDAPA 22 - BOARD OF MEDICINE**

## 22.01.11 - RULES FOR LICENSURE OF RESPIRATORY THERAPISTS AND PERMITTING OF POLYSOMNOGRAPHERS IN IDAHO

## **DOCKET NO. 22-0111-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-4304A, 54-4305, 54-4309, 54-4311, 54-4312, 54-4314 and 54-4316, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These proposed changes amend existing language to include a renewal requirement of current CRT certification, current RRT registration or current registration as a polysomnographic technologist; require English language proficiency; require lawful presence in the U.S.; broaden the fee schedules and to update and clarify rules.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

The Licensure Board recognized the need to broaden the fee schedules and to increase three (3) reinstatement fees to reflect and provide for real costs of administration. The respiratory care practitioner license reinstatement fee was increased from thirty-five dollars (\$50); the polysomnographic technologist/technician permit reinstatement fee was increased from thirty-five dollars (\$35) to fifty dollars (\$50) and the dual license/permit reinstatement fee was increased from thirty-five dollars (\$35) to fifty dollars (\$50). Authority for imposition of these fees is found in Section 54-4311, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because there was no controversy on the amendments.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Nancy M. Kerr, Idaho State Board of Medicine, (208) 327-7000.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 21st, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 22-0111-0701

## 000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

Pursuant to Sections <u>54-4304A</u>, <u>54-4305</u>, <u>54-4309</u>, <u>54-4310</u>, <u>54-4311</u>, <u>54-4312</u> and <u>54-4316</u> and <u>54-4304A</u>, Idaho Code, the Idaho State Board of Medicine is authorized to promulgate rules governing the practice of respiratory care and polysomnography related respiratory care.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 008. SEVERABILITY.

The sections and subsections of these administrative rules are presumed severable unless specifically provided to the contrary. If any rule, or part thereof, or the application of such rule to any person or circumstance is declared invalid, that invalidity does not affect the validity of any remaining portion.

## <del>008. -- 009.</del> (RESERVED).

#### 010. **DEFINITIONS.**

- **01.** Act. The Respiratory Care Practice Act of 1991, Title 54, Chapter 43, Idaho Code. (4-28-93)
- **02. Applicant**. A person who applies for a license, dual license/permit, permit, conditional permit, or a temporary permit pursuant to this chapter and Title 54, Chapter 43, Idaho Code. (3-16-04)
  - **803. Board**. The Idaho State Board of Medicine, established pursuant to Section 54-1805, Idaho Code. (3-16-04)
- **04. Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists**. A nationally recognized private testing, examining and credentialing body for the polysomnography related respiratory care profession. (3-16-04)
- **05. Certified Pulmonary Function Technologist (CPFT)**. The professional designation earned by a person who has successfully completed the entry level pulmonary function certification examination administered by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., or by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board. (3-16-04)
- **06. Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT)**. The professional designation earned by a person who has successfully completed the entry level examination administered by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., or by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board. (3-16-04)
- **07. Comprehensive Registry Exam**. The comprehensive registry examination administered by the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists, or administered by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board, the successful completion of which entitles a person to the professional designation of Registered Polysomnographic Technologist (RPSGT). (3-16-04)
- **08. Conditional Permit**. A time-restricted permit issued by the Board, upon the recommendation of the Licensure Board, as set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, to a registered polysomnographic technologist, polysomnographic technician or a polysomnographic trainee, on or after January 1, 2004, and issued until issuance of permits as provided in this chapter. (3-16-04)
- **09. Entry Level Examination**. The certification examination for entry level respiratory therapy practitioners administered by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., or certification examination administered by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board, the successful completion of which entitles a person to the professional designation of "Certified Respiratory Therapist" (CRT). (3-16-04)

- **10. Licensed Physician**. A physician licensed to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery, by the Idaho State Board of Medicine. (3-16-04)
- 11. Licensure. The issuance of a license to an applicant under the provisions of this chapter and Title 54, Chapter 43, Idaho Code entitling such person to hold himself out as a respiratory care practitioner and to practice or perform respiratory care in this state. (3-16-04)
- **12. Licensure Board**. The Licensure Board established by this chapter and Section 54-4313, Idaho Code. (3-16-04)
  - 13. Medical Practice Act. The Medical Practice Act of 1977, Title 54, Chapter 18, Idaho Code.
- **134. National Board of Respiratory Care, Inc.** A nationally recognized private testing, examining and credentialing body for the respiratory care profession. (3-16-04)
- 1<u>45</u>. Performance of Respiratory Care. Respiratory care practiced or performed in accordance with the written, telephonic or verbal prescription of a licensed physician and includes, but is not limited to, the diagnostic and therapeutic use of the following: administration of medical gases, (except for the purpose of anesthesia), aerosols and humidification; environmental control mechanisms and hyperbaric therapy, pharmacologic agents related to respiratory care protocols, mechanical or physiological ventilatory support; bronchopulmonary hygiene, cardiopulmonary resuscitation; maintenance of the natural airway; insertion and maintenance of artificial airways; specific diagnostic and testing techniques employed in the medical management of patients to assist in diagnosis, monitoring, treatment and research of pulmonary abnormalities, including measurements of ventilatory volumes, pressures and flows, collection, reporting and analysis of specimens of blood and blood gases, arterial punctures, insertion and maintenance of arterial lines, expired and inspired gas samples, respiratory secretions, and pulmonary function testing; and hemodynamic and other related physiologic measurements of the cardiopulmonary system, observation and monitoring of signs and symptoms, general behavior, general physical response to respiratory care treatment and diagnostic testing and determination of whether such signs, symptoms, reactions, behavior or general response exhibit abnormal characteristics; implementation based on observed abnormalities of appropriate reporting or referral of respiratory care or changes in treatment regimen, pursuant to a prescription by a physician or the initiation of emergency procedures. (4-28-93)
- **156. Permit.** The issuance of a permit to an applicant under the provisions of this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, entitles such person to hold himself out as a registered polysomnographic technologist, polysomnographic technician, or polysomnographic trainee and to perform polysomnography related respiratory care in this state. (3-16-04)
  - **167. Person**. A natural living human individual.

- (3-16-04)
- **178. Polysomnographic Technician**. A person who holds a permit as set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, and who performs polysomnography related respiratory care services under the supervision of an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist, licensed respiratory care practitioner or an Idaho licensed physician. (3-16-04)
- 182. Polysomnographic Trainee. A person who holds a temporary permit as set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, and who performs polysomnography related respiratory care services under the direct supervision of an Idaho licensed respiratory care practitioner, or a person exempt from such licensure pursuant to this chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist, an Idaho permitted polysomnographic technician or an Idaho licensed physician. Direct supervision by an Idaho licensed respiratory care practitioner, or such person exempt from such licensure pursuant to this chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, or an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist or technician, or an Idaho licensed physician, means that such a person shall be on the premises where such polysomnographic related respiratory care services are provided and shall be immediately available for consultation with the polysomnographic trainee. (3-16-04)
  - **1920. Polysomnography.** The process of analysis, attended monitoring and recording of physiologic data

during sleep and wakefulness to assist in the assessment and diagnosis of sleep/wake disorders and other disorders, syndromes and dysfunctions that either are sleep related, manifest during sleep or disrupt normal sleep/wake cycles and activities.

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- 201. Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care Services. The limited practice of respiratory care in the provision of polysomnography services, under the supervision of an Idaho licensed physician, by a person at a sleep disorder center or laboratory who holds a permit issued by the Board, as a registered polysomnographic technologist, polysomnographic technician or a polysomnographic trainee, or who is otherwise licensed as a respiratory care practitioner or who is exempt from licensure or permitting pursuant to this chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code. Polysomnography related respiratory care services include therapeutic and diagnostic use of oxygen, noninvasive ventilatory assistance of spontaneously breathing patients and cardiopulmonary resuscitation and maintenance of nasal and oral airways that do not extend into the trachea, as ordered by an Idaho licensed physician or by written procedures and protocols of the associated sleep disorder center or laboratory as approved by an Idaho licensed physician and which do not violate any rules adopted by the Board. This chapter does not in any way authorize the practice of medicine or any of its branches by any person not so licensed by the Board. Further, licensed respiratory practitioners, and those exempt from licensure pursuant to this chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, are not limited in their scope of practice of provision of respiratory care, which they may provide, including care in connection with the provision of polysomnography services.
- **242. Practice of Respiratory Care.** Means, but shall not be limited to, the provision of respiratory and inhalation therapy which shall include, but not be limited to: therapeutic and diagnostic use of medical gases, humidity and aerosols including the maintenance of associated apparatus; administration of drugs and medications to the cardiorespiratory system; provision of ventilatory assistance and ventilatory control; postural drainage, percussion, breathing exercises and other respiratory rehabilitation procedures; cardiopulmonary resuscitation and maintenance of natural airways, the insertion and maintenance of artificial airways; and the transcription and implementation of a physician's written, telephonic or verbal orders pertaining to the practice of respiratory care. It also includes testing techniques employed in respiratory care to assist in diagnosis, monitoring, treatment and research. This shall be understood to include, but not be limited to, measurement of ventilatory volumes, pressures and flows, specimen collection of blood and other materials, pulmonary function testing and hemodynamic and other related physiological monitoring of the cardiopulmonary system. The practice of respiratory care is not limited to the hospital setting but shall be performed under the general supervision of a licensed physician. (4-28-93)
- **223. Respiratory Care Protocols**. Policies, procedures or protocols developed or instituted by health care facilities or institutions, through collaboration when appropriate or necessary with administrators, physicians, registered nurses, physical therapists, respiratory care practitioners and other licensed, certified or registered health care practitioners. (4-28-93)
- **234. Registered Polysomnographic Technologist (RPSGT)**. The professional designation earned by a person who has successfully completed the comprehensive registry examination administered by the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists, or by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board, and who holds a permit as set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, and who works under the supervision of an Idaho licensed physician to provide polysomnography related respiratory care services. (3-16-04)
- **245. Registered Pulmonary Function Technologist (RPFT)**. The professional designation earned by a person who has successfully completed the advanced pulmonary function certification examination administered by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., or an advanced pulmonary function certification examination administered by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board. (3-16-04)
- **256. Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT)**. The professional designation earned by a person who has successfully completed the written registry and clinical simulation examinations administered by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., or certification examinations administered by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board.

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- **267. Respiratory Care**. Allied health profession responsible for the treatment, management, diagnostic testing, control and care of patients with deficiencies and abnormalities associated with the cardiopulmonary system, under the general supervision of a licensed physician. (2-23-94)

- **278. Respiratory Care Practitioner.** A person who has been issued a license by the Board. (3-16-04)
- **289. Respiratory Therapist.** A person who practices or provides respiratory care. (4-28-93)
- **2930. Respiratory Therapy**. The practice or performance of respiratory care, including but not limited to, inhalation therapy. (4-28-93)
- **301. Sleep Disorder Center or Laboratory**. A facility for sleep related disorders that provides polysomnography and is under the supervision of an Idaho licensed physician or medical director licensed by the Board who is responsible for patient care provided in such center or laboratory. A sleep disorder center or laboratory that provides polysomnography related respiratory care to patients shall have an Idaho licensed respiratory care practitioner, an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist, an Idaho permitted polysomnographic technician, or a person exempt from licensure or permitting pursuant to this chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, in constant attendance. (3-16-04)
- 342. Supervision of Respiratory Care. The practice or provision of respiratory care by *individuals* persons holding a student or consulting and training exemption, or temporary permit shall be in direct association with a respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician who shall be responsible for the activities of the person being supervised and shall review and countersign all patient documentation performed by the *individual* person being supervised. The supervising respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician need not be physically present or on the premises at all times but must be available for telephonic consultation. The extent of communication between the supervising or consulting respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician and the *individual* person being supervised shall be determined by the competency of the *individual* person, the treatment setting, and the diagnostic category of the client.
- **323. Temporary Permit**. The Board may issue a temporary permit, limited to a total period of two (2) years, including initial and renewal, to a respiratory care practitioner applicant who meets the requirements set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4307, Idaho Code. The Board may issue a temporary permit, limited to a total period of two (2) years, including initial and renewal, to a polysomnographic trainee applicant who meets the requirements set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code. (3-16-04)
- 334. Written Registry and Clinical Simulation Examinations. The certification examinations administered by the National Board of Respiratory Care, Inc., or certification examinations administered by an equivalent board, recognized by the Board, the successful completion of which entitles a person the professional designation of "Registered Respiratory Therapist" (RRT). (3-16-04)

#### 011. BOARD OF MEDICINE AND LICENSURE BOARD.

- O1. Powers and Duties. The Board of Medicine shall administer, coordinate and enforce the provisions of this chapter and Title 54, Chapter 43, Idaho Code, and may issue subpoenas, examine witnesses, and administer oaths, and may investigate practices which are alleged to violate the provisions of this chapter. The Board is authorized to enter into such contracts with the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists or an equivalent board, recognized by the Board, as may be necessary or advisable to provide for or to facilitate verification of any applicant's claim that such applicant has successfully completed the entry level examination and/or the written registry and clinical simulation examinations or comprehensive registry examination. The Licensure Board will work in conjunction with the Board and will perform the duties and functions assigned by the Board, including:

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- **a.** Holding meetings, conducting interviews and keeping records and minutes as are necessary to carry out its functions. (3-16-04)
- **b**. Evaluating the qualifications of all applicants, making recommendations to and consulting with the Board concerning issuing, renewing and revoking licenses and permits. (3-16-04)
- **c.** Performing investigations of misconduct and making recommendations regarding discipline to the Board. (3-16-04)

- **d**. Maintaining a list of respiratory care and polysomnography related respiratory care practitioners currently holding a license or permit in this state. (3-16-04)
- **Membership.** The Licensure Board shall consist of five (5) members appointed by the Board, three (3) of whom shall be certified respiratory care practitioners, one (1) of whom, in addition to being an Idaho licensed respiratory care practitioner, shall also be an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist. All members shall be residents of Idaho at the time of their appointment and for their term of service. The persons appointed to the Licensure Board who are required to be licensed or hold permits under this chapter shall have been engaged in rendering respiratory care services and polysomnography related respiratory care services, respectively, to the public, in teaching, or in research in respiratory care and polysomnography related respiratory care services, respectively, for at least five (5) years immediately preceding their appointments. Three (3) members shall at all times be holders of valid licenses for the practice of respiratory care in Idaho and one (1) member shall also be a holder of a valid Idaho permit as a registered polysomnographic technologist, except for the members of the first Licensure Board following the effective date of this chapter, all of whom shall, at the time of appointment, hold the designation of certified respiratory therapy technician or registered respiratory therapist conferred by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., and all of whom meet the requirements for licensure under the provisions of this chapter. The remaining two (2) members of the Licensure Board shall be members of health professions or members of the public with an interest in the rights of the consumers of health services. Each member of the Licensure Board shall be compensated as provided in Section 59-509(h), Idaho Code. (3-16-04)
- Appointment. The two (2) members of the Licensure Board who shall be licensed respiratory care 03. practitioners shall be selected by the Board after considering a list of three (3) qualified applicants for each such vacancy submitted by the Idaho Society of Respiratory Care or other interested associations. The member of the Licensure Board who shall be a licensed respiratory care practitioner and an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist shall be selected by the Board after considering a list of three (3) qualified applicants submitted by the Idaho Sleep Disorder Association or other interested associations. In the event of a vacancy in one (1) of the positions, the Idaho Society of Respiratory Care or other interested association may recommend, as soon as practical, at least two (2) and not more than three (3) persons to fill that vacancy. The Board shall appoint, as soon as practical, one (1) person, who shall fill the unexpired term. If recommendations are not made within sixty (60) days of notification and request, the Board may make appointments of any qualified individual person. The remaining two (2) public members shall be selected by the Board, who may solicit nominations of qualified applicants submitted by the Idaho Society For Respiratory Care, the Idaho Sleep Disorder Association or other interested associations or individuals persons. The first vacancy on the Licensure Board which occurs following the effective date of this chapter shall be filled by the appointment of a licensed respiratory care practitioner who is also the holder of a valid Idaho permit as a registered polysomnographic technologist. The Board may remove any Licensure Board member for misconduct, incompetence, or neglect of duty after giving the member a written statement of the charges and an opportunity to be heard thereon. The Executive Director of the Idaho State Board of Medicine shall serve as the Executive Director to the Licensure Board. (3-16-04)(
- **04. Meetings**. The Licensure Board shall hold biannual meetings and elect a chairman who shall preside at meetings of the Licensure Board. In the event the chairman is not present at any Licensure Board meeting, the Licensure Board may by majority vote of the members present appoint a temporary chairman. A majority of the members of the Licensure Board shall constitute a quorum. Other meetings may be convened at the call of the chairman or the written request of any two (2) Licensure Board members. (3-16-04)
- **05. Terms**. All appointments shall be for three (3) year terms, but no person shall be appointed to serve more than two (2) consecutive terms. Terms shall begin on the first day of the appointment or when successors are appointed. (3-16-04)

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 031. GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR LICENSURE AND PERMITS.

**01. Moral Character**. An applicant for licensure must be of good moral character and shall meet the requirements set forth in Section 54-4306, Idaho Code. An applicant for a permit must be of good moral character and

shall meet the requirements set forth in Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code. The Board may refuse licensure or to issue a permit if it finds the applicant has engaged in conduct prohibited by Section 54-4312, Idaho Code, providing the Board shall take into consideration the rehabilitation of the applicant and other mitigating circumstances. (3-16-04)

- **02. No Action on Application**. An application upon which the applicant takes no further action will be held for no longer than one (1) year. (4-28-93)
- **Q3.** Residence. No period of residence in Idaho shall be required of any applicant, however, each applicant for licensure or permit must be legally able to work and live in the United States. An original certificate or documentation of lawful presence in the United States must be provided upon request only. The Board shall refuse licensure or renew a license or permit if the applicant is not lawfully present in the United States.
- **O4.** English Language. Each applicant shall speak, write, read, understand and be understood in the English language. Evidence of proficiency in the English language must be provided upon request only.

#### 032. APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE AND PERMITS.

- **01. All Applications**. Each applicant for licensure or permit shall submit a completed written application to the Board on forms prescribed by the Board, together with the application fee. The Board may, in its discretion, prorate the application fees charged in conjunction with an application for initial licensure or a temporary permit if such license or temporary permit shall, upon issuance, remain valid for less than one (1) full calendar year before the required renewal date as provided for in Sections 54-4309 and 54-4310, Idaho Code. The application shall be verified and under oath and shall require documentation of the following information: (4-11-06)
- **a.** The disclosure of any criminal conviction or charges against the applicant other than minor traffic offenses; and (2-23-94)
- **b.** The disclosure of any charge, investigation or disciplinary action against the applicant by any state professional regulatory agency or professional organization that bears a demonstrable relationship to the ability of the applicant to practice in accordance with the provisions of this chapter; and (3-16-04)
- c. The disclosure of the denial of registration or licensure by any <u>country</u>, state or district regulatory body; and (2-23-94)(\_\_\_\_)
- **d.** Not less than two (2) certificates of recommendation from persons, other than relatives or *individuals* persons living with the applicant, who have personal knowledge of at least one (1) year of the applicant's character and the applicant's ability to work as a respiratory therapist or provide polysomnography related respiratory care services; and (3-16-04)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **e.** One (1) unmounted photograph of the applicant, no larger than three by four inch (3" x 4") (head and shoulders), taken not more than one (1) year prior to the date of the application; and (2-23-94)
- **f.** Such other information as deemed reasonably necessary and as is lawful for the Board to identify and evaluate the applicant's credentials; and (3-16-04)
  - g. Evidence that applicant is no less than eighteen (18) years of age. (3-16-04)
  - **h.** The Board may, at its discretion, require the applicant to appear for a personal interview. (3-16-04)
  - **02.** Application for Respiratory Care Practitioner. (3-16-04)
- **a.** Documentation of evidence that applicant has passed the entry level examination and is a Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) or has successfully completed the written registry and clinical simulation examinations and is a Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT); or (3-16-04)
- **b.** Documentation that the applicant is licensed as a respiratory care practitioner, or the equivalent at the discretion of the Board, in another state, district or territory of the United States. (3-16-04)

**c.** Application for Temporary Permit. The Board may issue a temporary permit to an applicant who meets the requirements set forth in this chapter and Section 54-4307, Idaho Code. A temporary permit shall authorize the practice of respiratory care under the supervision of a respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician.

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- i. A temporary permit for a respiratory care practitioner may be converted to a permanent license by providing to the Board, verification of appropriate certification as a Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) or Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT). (3-16-04)
  - ii. A temporary permit shall be effective for one (1) year from the date of issuance. (4-28-93)
- iii. A temporary permit may be renewed one (1) time for a period of one (1) year, upon application to the Board. (4-28-93)
- iv. Application for a temporary permit shall be made to the Board on a form prescribed by the Board, together with the application fee. The Board may, in its discretion, prorate the application fees charged in conjunction with an initial application for a temporary permit if such temporary permit shall, upon issuance, remain valid for less than one (1) full calendar year before the required renewal date as provided for in Sections 54-4309 and 54-4310, Idaho Code.

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- **O3. Application for Inactive License.** A person holding a current license issued by the Board to practice as a respiratory care practitioner may be issued, upon written application provided by the Board and payment of required fees to the Board, an inactive license on the condition that he will not engage in the provision of respiratory care services as a respiratory care practitioner in this state. (3-16-04)
- a. Issuance and Renewal. Inactive licenses shall be issued for a period of not more than five (5) years and such licenses shall be renewed upon payment of an inactive license renewal fee of no more than fifty one hundred dollars (\$510) for each renewal year. Such inactive licenses shall expire on the expiration date printed on the face of the certificate unless renewed.
- b. Inactive to Active License. An inactive license may be converted to an active license to practice as a respiratory care practitioner upon written application and payment of active licensure fees for each inactive year minus paid inactive fees plus a conversion fee of no more than *fifty* one hundred dollars (\$5100) to the Board. The applicant must account for the time during which an inactive license was held and document continuing competence. The Board may, in its discretion, require a personal interview to evaluate the applicant's qualifications. In addition, the Board may require evidence of an educational update and close supervision to assure safe and qualified performance.
- 04. Application for Respiratory Care and Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care Practitioner. (3-16-04)
- a. The Board may issue a dual license/permit to an applicant who meets the requirements set forth in this chapter and Sections 54-4306 and 54-4304A(2) and (3), Idaho Code. A dual license/permit shall authorize the holder to perform respiratory care and polysomnography related respiratory care in this state. (3-16-04)
- **b.** Application for a dual license/permit shall be made to the Board on a form prescribed by the Board, together with the application fee. (3-16-04)
- **c.** Such dual license/permit shall expire on the expiration date printed on the face of the certificate unless renewed. (3-16-04)
  - **05.** Application for Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care Practitioner. (3-16-04)
- **a.** Only persons who are licensed as respiratory care practitioners or who are exempt from licensure pursuant to the chapter and Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, or who hold a permit issued by the Board as registered polysomnographic technologists, polysomnographic technicians or polysomnographic trainees may provide

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- **b.** Qualifications for permit. An applicant for a permit to provide polysomnography related respiratory care services as a registered polysomnographic technologist or polysomnographic technician or for a temporary permit as a polysomnographic trainee under the provisions of Section 032 who is not otherwise licensed to provide respiratory care services or exempt from the requirements of this chapter pursuant to Section 54-4308, Idaho Code, must provide documentation of: (3-16-04)
- i. Being a high school graduate or have passed a general educational development (GED) examination and earned a GED certificate; and (3-16-04)
  - ii. Being currently certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). (3-16-04)
- **c.** Application for Registered Polysomnographic Technologist. An applicant must provide documentation of successful completion of the comprehensive registry examination as a registered polysomnographic technologist administered by the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists or an equivalent examination, approved by the Board as recommended by the Licensure Board. (3-16-04)
- **d.** Application for Polysomnographic Technician. An applicant must provide written documentation and a signed affidavit affirming and attesting to one (1) of the following qualifications: (3-16-04)
- i. Successful completion of a polysomnography program of not less than one (1) year duration, associated with a state licensed or a nationally accredited educational facility, as approved by the Board, as recommended by the Licensure Board; or (3-16-04)
- ii. Successful completion of a minimum of seven hundred twenty (720) hours of experience as a polysomnographic trainee with documented proficiency in polysomnography related respiratory care services, as approved by the Board, as recommended by the Licensure Board. (3-16-04)
- e. Application for Polysomnographic Trainee. An applicant must provide a signed affidavit from an Idaho permitted registered polysomnographic technologist, an Idaho permitted polysomnographic technician, an Idaho licensed respiratory care practitioner, or an Idaho licensed physician affirming and attesting he shall ensure that there is direct supervision of performance of basic polysomnography related respiratory care services by a polysomnographic trainee applicant. The direct supervisor shall be on the premises where such polysomnographic related respiratory care services are provided and shall be immediately available for consultation with the polysomnographic trainee applicant. The Affiant need not be the direct supervisor at any given time. Such Affiant shall be responsible for the activities of the supervised polysomnographic trainee and shall document his review of all patient documentation performed by the supervised polysomnographic trainee. If at any time during the term of the polysomnographic trainee's permit, the Affiant of the trainee changes, the polysomnographic trainee shall provide a signed affidavit from his new Affiant who will ensure that the trainee has direct supervision. In addition, the applicant shall provide written documentation he has at least one (1) of the following qualifications:

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- i. At least seven hundred twenty (720) hours of experience as a paid employee or contractor in a health care related field. For the purposes of this Section, experience as a paid employee or contractor in a health care related field shall include any work providing direct clinical care to patients or having worked in a clinical care setting in which the applicant had direct interaction with patients, and an opportunity to observe the provision of clinical care to patients; (3-16-04)
- ii. Current enrollment in a polysomnography program associated with a state licensed or a nationally accredited education facility; or (3-16-04)
- iii. Successful completion of twenty-four (24) semester credit hours (or a quarter (1/4) hour system equivalent of the same) of postsecondary education at a state licensed or nationally accredited facility. (3-16-04)
- **f. Permits**. All permits shall be issued after applicants have met the requirements of this chapter and Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code and submitted a completed application and payment of a fee in an amount to be fixed by the Board for a period of not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, the exact period to be fixed by the

Board. Such permits shall expire on the expiration date printed on the face of the certificate unless renewed. The failure of any person to renew a renewable permit shall not deprive such person of the right to renewal, except as provided for herein and Section 54-4312, Idaho Code. The Board shall collect a fee in an amount to be fixed by the Board for the initial issuance and each renewal year.

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- i. Permits for registered polysomnographic technologists, including renewals, shall be issued for a period of not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years. Such permits shall be renewed on their expiration date upon completion of a renewal application and upon payment of a renewal fee. (3-16-04)
- ii. Permits for polysomnographic technicians, including renewals, shall be issued for a period of one (1) year, and shall be renewed for successive one (1) year periods, not to exceed three (3) renewals for a total period of four (4) years. Such permits shall be renewed on their expiration date upon completion of a renewal application and upon payment of a renewal fee. (3-16-04)
- iii. Temporary permits for polysomnographic trainees shall be issued for a period of not more than one (1) year, the exact period to be fixed by the Board. Such permits may be renewed on their expiration date upon completion of a renewal application and upon payment of a renewal fee, for a period of one (1) year, with renewal limited to one (1) such renewal, provided however, such permits for polysomnographic trainees shall be limited to a total period of two (2) years. The Board may, in its discretion, prorate the application fees charged in conjunction with an initial application for a temporary permit if such temporary permit shall, upon issuance, remain valid for less than one (1) full calendar year before the required renewal date as provided for in Sections 54-4309 and 54-4310, Idaho Code.
- iv. Reinstatement after failure to renew. Permits canceled for nonpayment of renewal fees may be reinstated by filing a completed request for renewal with the Board and paying a reinstatement fee, and back renewal fees.

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- v. Reapplication after failure to renew. A registered polysomnographic technologist, whose permit has been canceled for failure to renew for a period of more than two (2) years, shall be required to make application to the Board as a new applicant for a permit. A polysomnographic technician, whose permit has been canceled for failure to renew for a period of more than one (1) year, shall be required to make application to the Board as a new applicant for a permit. Temporary permits for polysomnographic trainees whose permits have been canceled for failure to renew for a period of more than six (6) months shall be required to make application to the Board as new applicants for permits. (3-16-04)
- vi. Continuing education. Each individual applicant for renewal of an active permit shall, on or before the expiration date of the permit, submit satisfactory proof to the Licensure Board of successful completion of not less than twelve (12) hours of approved continuing education pertaining to the provision of polysomnographic-related respiratory care per year in addition to any other requirements for renewal as adopted by the Board. The Board, as recommended by the Licensure Board, may substitute all or a portion of the coursework required in Section 032 when an applicant for renewal shows evidence of passing an approved challenge exam or of completing equivalent education as determined by the Board, as recommended by the Licensure Board, to be in full compliance with the education requirements of this chapter.
- g. Conditional Permits. Any *individual* person who desires to provide polysomnography related respiratory care services as described in Section 54-4304A, Idaho Code, and this chapter and who meets the requirements of Subsection 032.03, as well as the necessary requirements in Subsections 032.05.g.i. through 032.05.g.iv., may make application for a conditional permit. Conditional permits shall be issued on or after January 1, 2004, as outlined in Section 54-4304A(8), Idaho Code, and shall be issued until the Board has adopted rules as may be required for the issuance of regular permits as provided in this chapter and has had an opportunity to process applications for such regular permits.

## 033. LICENSURE EXEMPTION FOR RESPIRATORY CARE PRACTITIONERS.

The Board may grant licensure exemption to a respiratory care practitioner applicant who meets the requirements set forth by Section 54-4308, Idaho Code. *Individuals* Persons requesting exempt status must provide to the Board, satisfactory proof of the existence of facts entitling the person to the exemption. Conditions for which *individuals* those persons may be granted exemptions include the following:

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- **01. Pulmonary Function Technologists**. Certified or registered pulmonary function technologists who carry out only those professional duties and function for which they have been specifically trained. (2-23-94)
- **O3.** Consulting and Training. For purposes of continuing education, consulting, or training for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days in a calendar year, provided that the *individual* person meets the requirements in Section 54-4308(1)(e), Idaho Code. The practice or provision of respiratory care by such *individuals* persons must be supervised by a respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician.

#### 034. LICENSE EXPIRATION AND RENEWAL.

All licenses shall be issued for a period of not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, the exact period to be fixed by the Board and shall become invalid on the expiration date printed on the face of the certificate of the license unless renewed. The failure of any person to renew his renewable license shall not deprive such person of the right to renewal, except as provided for herein and Section 54-4312, Idaho Code. The Board shall collect a fee for each renewal year of a license. The Board may, in its discretion, prorate the application fees charged in conjunction with an application for initial licensure if such license shall, upon issuance, remain valid for less than one (1) full calendar year before the required renewal date as provided for in Sections 54-4309 and 54-4310, Idaho Code.

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- **Renewal**. Each license shall be renewed by submitting a completed request for renewal form accompanied by payment of the renewal fee to the Board and documentation that the applicant holds a current certification as a Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) or is currently registered as a Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) or is currently registered as a registered polysomnographic technologist by the Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists. Licenses not renewed by the expiration date shall be canceled on the expiration date.
- **02. Reinstatement.** Licenses canceled for nonpayment of renewal fees may be reinstated by filing a completed request for renewal with the Board and paying a reinstatement fee, and back renewal fees. (3-16-04)
- **03. Reapplication**. A person whose license has been canceled for a period of more than five (5) years, shall be required to make application to the Board as a new applicant for licensure. (2-23-94)
- **04. Continuing Education**. Prior to renewal each applicant for renewal, reinstatement or reapplication, shall submit evidence of successfully completing no less than twelve (12) clock hours per year of continuing education acceptable to the Board. Continuing education must be germane to the practice or performance of respiratory care. Appropriate continuing professional education activities include but are not limited to, the following:

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  - **a.** Attending or presenting at conferences, seminars or inservice programs. (2-23-94)
  - **b.** Formal course work in Respiratory Therapy related subjects. (2-23-94)

## 035. DENIAL OR REFUSAL TO RENEW LICENSE OR PERMIT OR SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF LICENSE OR PERMIT.

- **O1. Discipline**. A new or renewal application may be denied, and every person licensed or issued a permit pursuant to Title 54, Chapter 43, Idaho Code and these rules is subject to discipline, pursuant to the procedures and powers established by and set forth in Section 54-4312, Idaho Code; the Administrative Procedures Act, and IDAPA 22.01.07, "Rules of Practice and Procedure in Contested Cases of the Board of Medicine." (3-16-04)
- **02. Impose Sanctions**. The Board, upon recommendation of the Licensing Board, may refuse to issue a license or permit, or to renew a license, or permit, or may suspend or revoke a license or permit, or may impose

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probationary conditions if the holder of a license or permit or applicant for license or permit has been found guilty of unprofessional conduct which has endangered or is likely to endanger the health, welfare, or safety of the public. Such unprofessional conduct includes, but is not limited to:

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- **a.** Obtaining any license or permit by means of fraud, misrepresentation or concealment of material facts; (3-16-04)
- **b.** Being guilty of unprofessional conduct as defined by the rules of the Board, or violating the code of ethics adopted and published by the Board, a copy of which is attached to these rules; (2-23-94)
- **c.** Being convicted of a crime which would have a direct and adverse bearing on the *individual's* person's ability to practice or perform respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care competently;

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**d.** The unauthorized practice of medicine;

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- **e.** Violating any provisions of this chapter or any of the rules promulgated by the Board under the authority of this chapter; (4-28-93)
- **f.** Being found mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction or unfit by the Board to provide respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care; (3-16-04)
- g. Providing respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care which fails to meet the standard of health care provided by other qualified respiratory therapists or respiratory therapy technicians or registered polysomnographic technologists, polysomnographic technicians or polysomnographic trainees in the same community or similar communities; (3-16-04)
- **h.** Using any controlled substance or alcohol to the extent that use impairs the ability to practice respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care at an acceptable level of competency; (3-16-04)
- **i.** Employing, directing or supervising the unlicensed practice of respiratory care or those not holding a permit to provide polysomnography related respiratory care; (3-16-04)
- **j.** Practicing in an area of respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care for which the *individual* person is not trained; (3-16-04)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **k.** Failure to supervise the activities of  $\frac{individuals}{individuals}$  persons who hold exemptions, conditional or temporary permits;  $\frac{(3-16-04)($ \_\_\_)}{(3-16-04)(}
- l. Delegation to an unqualified person of any services which require the skill, knowledge, and judgment of a respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care practitioner; (3-16-04)
- **m.** In the case of practice as a <u>n individual entitled to person eligible for</u> exemption, conditional or temporary permit, the practice of respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care other than under the supervision of a respiratory care or appropriate polysomnography related respiratory care practitioner or licensed physician, as may be required by law;

  (3-16-04)(\_\_\_\_)
  - **n.** Misrepresenting educational or experience attainments.

(3-16-04)

- **o.** Commission of any act of sexual contact, misconduct, exploitation or intercourse with a patient or former patient or related to the licensee's or permittee's provision of respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care; (3-16-04)
  - i. Consent of the patient shall not be a defense;

(3-16-04)

ii. Subsection 035.02.o. shall not apply to sexual contact between a respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care practitioner and the spouse or a person in a domestic relationship who is

also a patient; (3-16-04)

- iii. A former patient includes a person for whom the respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care practitioner has provided respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care within the last twelve (12) months; (3-16-04)
- iv. Sexual or romantic relationship with a former patient beyond the period of time set forth herein may also be a violation if the respiratory care or polysomnography related respiratory care practitioner uses or exploits the trust, knowledge, emotions or influence derived from the prior professional relationship with the patient; (3-16-04)
- **p.** Aiding or abetting a person not licensed, registered or permitted in this state or exempt from such licensure, registration or permitting, who directly or indirectly performs activities requiring a license, registration or permit; (3-16-04)
- **q.** Failing to report to the Board any known act or omission of a licensee, permittee, applicant, or any other person, that violates any provision of this chapter; (3-16-04)
- r. Interfering with an investigation or disciplinary proceeding by willful misrepresentation of facts or by use of threats or harassment against any patient or witness to prevent them from providing evidence in a disciplinary proceeding, investigation or other legal action; or (3-16-04)
  - s. Failing to maintain patient confidentiality unless otherwise required or permitted by law. (3-16-04)

#### 036. -- 045. (RESERVED).

#### 046. FEES.

Actual fees shall be set to reflect real costs of Board administration. Fees authorized under this chapter shall be used solely to carry out the purposes of this chapter including the provisions of Section 54-4317, Idaho Code. Each applicant shall be responsible for the payment of any fee charged by the National Board for Respiratory Care, Inc., Board of Registered Polysomnographic Technologists or an equivalent board, recognized by the Board. (3-16-04)

#### **01.** Licensure and Permit Fees for Respiratory Care Practitioners. (3-16-04)

- **b.** Reinstatement Fee. The reinstatement fee for a lapsed license shall be the renewal for each year not licensed plus a fee of *thirty-five* fifty dollars (\$350).
- c. Inactive Fee Reactivate Fee. The fee for converting an active license to an inactive license shall be no more than  $\frac{fifty}{one \text{ hundred}}$  dollars (\$5100). An inactive license may be converted to an active license to practice as a respiratory care practitioner upon written application and payment of active licensure fees for each inactive year minus paid inactive fees plus a conversion fee of no more than  $\frac{fifty}{one \text{ hundred}}$  dollars (\$5100) to the Board.

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- **d.** Renewal Fee. The renewal fee shall be no more than  $\frac{\text{seventy}}{\text{one hundred forty}}$  dollars (\$7140).  $\frac{(3-16-04)}{(3-16-04)}$
- **e.** Temporary Permit Fee. The fee for a temporary permit, which may be prorated pursuant to Section 54-4309, Idaho Code, shall be no more than *ninety* one hundred eighty dollars (\$9180). (4-11-06)(\_\_\_\_)

#### **02.** Permit Fees for Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care Practitioners. (3-16-04)

a. Initial Permit Fee. The fee for an initial permit for a registered polysomnographic technologist or a polysomnographic technician shall be no more than  $\frac{\text{ninety}}{\text{one hundred eighty}}$  dollars (\$9180). The fee for an initial permit for a polysomnographic trainee shall be no more than  $\frac{\text{forty five}}{\text{one hundred}}$  dollars (\$45100).

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- **b.** Reinstatement Fee. The reinstatement fee for a lapsed permit for a registered polysomnographic technologists or a polysomnographic technician shall be the renewal fee for each year not holding an active permit plus a fee of *thirty-five* fifty dollars (\$350).
- **c.** Renewal Fee. The renewal fee for an active permit for a registered polysomnographic technologist and polysomnographic technician shall be no more than *seventy* one hundred forty dollars (\$7140). The renewal fee for an active permit for a polysomnographic trainee shall be no more than *thirty-five* seventy dollars (\$3570).

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- d. Temporary Permit Fee. The fee for a temporary permit, which may be prorated pursuant to Section 54-4309, Idaho Code, for a registered polysomnographic technologist and polysomnographic technician shall be no more than *ninety* one hundred eighty dollars (\$9180). The fee for a temporary permit, which may be prorated pursuant to Section 54-4309, Idaho Code, for a polysomnographic trainee shall be no more than *forty five* ninety dollars (\$4590).
- e. Conditional Permit Fee. The fee for a conditional permit for a registered polysomnographic technologist and polysomnographic technician shall be no more than *ninety* one hundred eighty dollars (\$9180). The fee for a conditional permit for a polysomnographic trainee shall be no more than *forty-five* ninety dollars (\$4590). Conditional permits will issue on or after January 1, 2004, and will issue until issuance of regular permits as provided in this chapter.
- 03. Dual Licensure/Permit Fees for Practitioners of Respiratory and Polysomnography Related Respiratory Care. (3-16-04)
- a. Initial Licensure/Permit Fee. The fee for initial issuance of a dual license/permit, which may be prorated pursuant to Section 54-4309, Idaho Code, shall be no more than *ninety* one hundred eighty dollars (\$9180). A person holding a current license or permit, if qualified, may apply for and obtain a dual license/permit without paying an additional fee.

  (3-16-04)(\_\_\_\_)
- **b.** Reinstatement Fee. The reinstatement fee for a dual license/permit that has lapsed shall be the renewal for each year not dually licensed/permitted plus a fee of *thirty-five* fifty dollars (\$350). (3-16-04)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **c.** Renewal Fee. The renewal fee shall be no more than *seventy* one hundred forty dollars (\$7140). Renewal shall be required upon the expiration of either the permit or the license, whichever expires first if the two (2) initially shall not have been obtained at the same time.  $\frac{(3-16-04)(}{}$

## 04. General Fee Information.

(4-28-93)

**a.** Necessary fees shall accompany applications.

(4-28-93)

**b.** Fees shall not be refundable.

- (4-28-93)
- **c.** In those situations where the processing of an application requires extraordinary expenses, the Board may charge the applicant with reasonable fees to cover all or part of the extraordinary expenses. (4-28-93)
- **d.** The Board may, in its discretion, provide for the proration of fees charged in conjunction with the initial application for a license or temporary permit if such license or temporary permit shall, upon issuance, remain valid for less than one (1) full calendar year before the required renewal date as provided for in Sections 54-4309 and 54-4310, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)

## 047. CODE OF ETHICS.

The licensure board has adopted the Code of Ethics of the American Association for Respiratory Care, as amended in 1985.

0487. -- 050. (RESERVED).

## **IDAPA 23 - BOARD OF NURSING**

#### 23.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO BOARD OF NURSING

#### **DOCKET NO. 23-0101-0702**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is July 23, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 54-1404 and 54-1406A, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The proposed changes are needed to confer a benefit to licensed nurses as an alternative to disciplinary proceedings. The proposed rules will clarify that nurses who have violated the terms of the program for recovering nurses will have their limited licenses summarily suspended, but in appropriate cases a nurse can remain in the program without being referred to the Board of Nursing for disciplinary proceedings.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

The proposed changes are needed to confer a benefit to licensed nurses participating in the program for recovering nurses as an alternative to disciplinary proceedings.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Negotiated rulemaking was not utilized in view of the need for a temporary rule. This temporary rule is necessary in order to convey a benefit. The benefit is the creation of additional options within the program for recovering nurses and it is necessary to provide these alternatives to nurses who are current participants in the program.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Sandra Evans, MAEd., R.N., Executive Director, (208) 334-3110 x26.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 14th day of August, 2007.

Sandra Evans, MAEd., R.N. Executive Director Idaho Board of Nursing 280 N. 8th St. (8th & Bannock), Ste. 210 P. O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0061

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 23-0101-0702

#### 132. LIMITED LICENSES.

Limited licenses may be issued to qualified individuals in four (4) categories: post-discipline, non-practicing status, restricted status, and impairment-related disability. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of a limited license will be cause for summary suspension. (3-30-07)

#### 01. Following Disciplinary Action.

(3-30-07)

- **a.** After evaluation of an application for licensure reinstatement, the Board may issue a limited license to a nurse whose license has been revoked. (3-15-02)
- **b.** The Board shall specify the conditions of issuance of the limited license in writing. The conditions may be stated on the license. (3-15-02)

#### 02. Non-Practicing Status.

(3-15-02)

- **a.** Individuals who are prevented from engaging in the active practice of nursing may be issued a limited license. (3-15-02)
- **b.** The Board shall specify that the license being issued does not entitle the licensee to engage in the active practice of nursing. The non-practicing status shall be noted on the license. (3-15-02)
- **c.** The non-practicing limitation may be removed by the Board following receipt and evaluation of evidence satisfactory to the Board confirming that the licensee's physical or mental health status no longer prevents the individual from engaging in the active practice of nursing. (3-15-02)

## **03.** Restricted Status. (3-15-02)

- **a.** Individuals whose disabilities restrict or inhibit their ability to provide a full range of nursing services may be issued a limited license. (3-15-02)
- **b.** In order to determine the appropriate limitations, the Board may evaluate statements from qualified professional persons who have personal knowledge of the applicant or licensee. The Board may also evaluate job descriptions and statements from potential employers and consider input from the applicant for the limited license.

  (3-15-02)
- **c.** The Board shall specify the conditions of issuance of the limited license in writing. The conditions may be stated on the license. The conditions may include, but are not limited to: (3-15-02)
  - i. Notifying the Board of changes in employment status. (3-15-02)
- ii. Submission of regular reports by the employer or by such other entities or individuals as the Board may desire. (3-15-02)
  - iii. Meeting with Board representatives. (3-15-02)
  - iv. Specific parameters of practice, excluding the performance of specific nursing functions. (3-15-02)
- **d.** The conditions of limited practice may be removed by the Board following receipt and evaluation of satisfactory evidence confirming that the health status of the licensee no longer restricts or inhibits the person's ability to provide a full range of nursing services. (3-15-02)

#### 04. Disability Due to Alcohol or Drug Use or Emotional or Mental Impairment. (3-15-02)

- **a.** Individuals disabled due to alcohol or drug use or to emotional or mental impairment may qualify for issuance of a limited license as an alternative to discipline. (3-15-02)
- **b.** The executive director may issue a limited license for a period not to exceed five (5) years to an individual who voluntarily surrenders his license by reason of a disability relating to alcohol or drug use or relating to emotional or mental impairment and who:

  (3-15-02)
- i. Holds a current license to practice in Idaho as a professional or practical nurse or is otherwise eligible and is in the process of applying for licensure; and (3-30-07)
- ii. Abused drugs and/or alcohol or demonstrated mental disability such that ability to safely practice is/may be impaired; and (3-15-02)
- iii. Sign a written statement admitting to all facts which may constitute grounds for disciplinary action or demonstrate impairment of the safe practice of nursing, and waiving the right to a hearing and all other rights to due process in a contested case under the Idaho Administrative Procedures Act and the Nursing Practice Act; and (3-15-02)
- iv. Submit reliable evidence, satisfactory to the executive director, that he is competent to safely practice nursing. (3-15-02)
  - **c.** If required, the applicant shall satisfactorily complete a treatment program accepted by the Board. (3-30-07)
  - **d.** The applicant must agree to participation in the Board's monitoring program to include: (3-15-02)
  - i. Evaluation of disability; (5-21-89)
  - ii. Approval of treatment program regimen; (5-21-89)
  - iii. Monitoring of progress; (5-21-89)
  - iv. Determination of when return to the workplace will be allowed. (7-1-96)
- **e.** Admission to the Program for Recovering Nurses and/or issuance of a limited license may be denied for any reason including, but not limited to the following: (3-15-02)
  - i. The applicant diverted controlled substances for other than self administration; or (3-15-02)
  - ii. The applicant creates too great a safety risk; or (3-15-02)
  - iii. The applicant has been terminated from this, or any other, alternative program for non-compliance. (3-15-02)
- **f.** Upon satisfactory compliance with all of the terms of the limited license, and provided that the licensee demonstrates that he is qualified and competent to practice nursing, the executive director shall reinstate the renewable nursing license voluntarily surrendered. (3-30-07)
- **05. Compliance Required.** Limited licensure shall be conditioned upon the individual's prompt and faithful compliance with the following: (3-30-07)
  - **a.** Satisfactory progress in any required continuing treatment or rehabilitation program. (3-15-02)
- **b.** Regular and prompt notification to the Board of changes in name and address of self or any employer. (7-1-96)

- **c.** Obtaining of performance evaluations prepared by the employer to be submitted at specified intervals and at any time upon request. (7-1-96)
- **d.** Continuing participation in, and compliance with all recommendations and requirements of, the approved treatment or rehabilitation program, and obtaining of reports of progress submitted by the person directing the treatment or rehabilitation program at specified intervals and at any time upon request. (7-1-96)
- **e.** Submission of written self-evaluations and personal progress reports at specified intervals and at any time upon request. (7-1-93)
- **f.** Submission of reports of supervised random alcohol/drug screens at specified intervals and at any time upon request. Participant is responsible for reporting as directed, submitting a sufficient quantity of sample to be tested, and payment for the screening. (7-1-96)
  - **g.** Meeting with the Board's professional staff at any time upon request. (7-1-93)
  - **h.** Working only in approved practice settings. (7-1-96)
- i. Authorization by licensee of the release of applicable records pertaining to assessment, diagnostic evaluation, treatment recommendations, treatment and progress, performance evaluations, counseling, random chemical screens, and after-care at periodic intervals as requested. (7-1-93)
- **j.** Obedience to all laws pertaining to nursing practice, all nursing standards, and all standards, policies and procedures of licensee's employer(s) relating to any of the admitted misconduct or facts as set out in the written statement signed by licensee, or relating to the providing of safe, competent or proper nursing service.

(7-1-93)

(3-30-07)

**k.** Compliance with other specific terms and conditions as may be required by the executive director. (3-15-02)

#### 06. Summary Suspension - Lack of Compliance.

- **a.** Summary Suspension. Any failure to comply with the terms and conditions of a limited license shall be deemed to be an immediate threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the public and the executive director shall, upon receiving evidence of any such failure, summarily suspend the limited license. (3-30-07)
- i. Summary suspension of a limited license may occur if, during participation in the program, information is received which, after investigation, indicates the individual may have violated a provision of the law or Board Rules governing the practice of nursing. (3-30-07)
- ii. Upon summary suspension of a limited license, the executive director shall provide prompt written notice to the licensee stating the reason for the suspension, setting forth the evidence relied upon and notifying the licensee of his right to a hearing upon request at the earliest possible date in accordance with Section 54-1413(3)(a), Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- b. Right to Hearing. An individual whose limited license has been summarily suspended by the executive director may request a hearing regarding the suspension by certified letter addressed to the Board. If the individual fails to request a hearing within twenty (20) days after service of the notice of suspension by the executive director, or after the right to a hearing, is waived. iIf one a hearing is timely requested, after the hearing the Board shall enter an order affirming or rejecting summary suspension of the limited license and enter such further orders revoking, suspending, or otherwise disciplining the nursing license as may be necessary. The above provisions do not limit or restrict the right of Board staff to bring any summary suspension order before the Board for further proceedings, even if the licensee has not requested a hearing.

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- **c.** Other Orders. The Board may, for good cause, stay any order of the executive director or may modify the terms and conditions of a limited license as deemed appropriate to regulate, monitor or supervise the practice of any licensee. (3-30-07)

## **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

## 24.03.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIANS

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-0301-0701**

#### NOTICE OF VACATION OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency is vacating the rulemaking previously initiated under this docket. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-707, Idaho Code.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a summary of the reasons for vacating the proposed rulemaking:

The scope of the rulemaking was revised and will the rulemaking will be amended and resubmitted for publication in the Bulletin.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this vacation of rulemaking, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St., STE 220 Boise, ID 83702 (208) 334-3233 (208) 334-3945 fax

## **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

### 24.03.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIANS

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-0301-0702**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-707, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Add a scope of practice for clarification, clarify endorsement requirements to consider various timeframes for licensure in another state, increase continuing education requirement to eighteen hours effective January, 2009 to bring the standards up to a national level and allow six hours of the continuing education through distance learning and home study.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposals were distributed to members of the association.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220 Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 Fax (208) 334-3945

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0301-0702

#### 011. -- 09<u>1</u>9. (RESERVED).

#### 020. SCOPE OF PRACTICE (RULE 20).

Clinical nutritional methods as referenced in Section 54-704, Idaho Code, include, but are not limited to the clinical use, administration, recommendation, compounding, prescribing, selling, and distributing vitamins, minerals, botanical medicine, herbals, homeopathic, phytonutrients, antioxidants, enzymes, and glandular extracts, durable and non-durable medical goods and devices in all their forms.

#### 022. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. APPLICATIONS (RULE 100).

**01. Application.** Applications on forms furnished by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses must be accompanied by an unmounted passport photograph taken within the twelve (12) months preceding the date of application. (3-15-02)

02.	Qualifications.	(7-1-93)

- **a.** New applicants will meet the following requirements: (7-1-93)
- i. National Boards Parts I, II, III, and IV. (7-1-99)
- ii. Graduation from a CCE approved college or university. (7-1-93)
- iii. Applicants will be required to sign an affidavit swearing under oath that they have fully reviewed and understand and will abide by the Chiropractic Act, Title 54, Chapter 7, Idaho Code, and the Board's Rules, IDAPA 24, Title 03, Chapter 01, "Rules of the State Board of Chiropractic Physicians." (7-1-99)
  - **b.** Endorsement applicants will meet the following requirements: (7-1-93)
- i. <u>Successful passage of the National Boards Parts I, II, III which were in effect at the time of graduation from chiropractic college</u> and physiotherapy. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- ii. If licensed prior to January, 1980, CCE approved college or university not required. If licensed after January, 1980, applicant must have graduated from a CCE approved college or university. (7-1-93)
- - iv. National Board Special Purposes Examination for Chiropractors (SPEC). (7-1-99)
- v. Applicants will be required to sign an affidavit swearing under oath that they have fully reviewed and understand and will abide by the Chiropractic Act, Title 54, Chapter 7, Idaho Code, and the Board's Rules, IDAPA 24.03.01, "Rules of the State Board of Chiropractic Physicians." (7-1-99)

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## 300. RENEWAL REQUIREMENT (RULE 300).

- **01. Active Status.** Each renewal application must be accompanied by: (7-1-93)
- **a.** The established fee and; (7-1-93)

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- **b.** Certification of having attended and completed a minimum of twelve (12) hours of scientific clinics, forums, or chiropractic study within the previous twelve (12) months, as approved by the Idaho Board of Chiropractic Physicians. Effective January 1, 2009, certification of having attended and completed a minimum of eighteen (18) hours of scientific clinics, forums, or chiropractic study within the previous twelve (12) months, as approved by the board.

  (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - **02. Inactive Status.** Each application for an Inactive status license must be accompanied by: (3-15-02)
  - a. The established fee; and (3-15-02)
  - **b.** A written request to change a current active license to an inactive license. (3-15-02)
- **Waiving Continued Education Requirements**. All continued education requirements will be waived for any year or portion thereof that a licensee maintains an inactive license and is not actively practicing in Idaho. Inactive license renewal notices and licenses will be marked "Inactive." When the licensee desires active status, he must show acceptable fulfillment of continuing educational requirements for the current year and submit a fee equivalent to the difference between the inactive and active renewal fee. The continuing educational requirement and the fees will not be prorated for a partial year.

  (3-15-02)

#### 301. -- 349. (RESERVED).

#### 350. CONTINUING EDUCATION (RULE 350).

In order to further protect the public health and to facilitate the administration of the Chiropractic Act, the board has formulated the following rules: (7-1-93)

- **O1. Subject Material**. The subject material of the continuing education requirement shall be germane to the practice of chiropractic and either; (3-15-02)
  - **a.** Sponsored by an approved school of chiropractic; or (3-15-02)
  - **b.** Otherwise approved by the board. (3-15-02)
  - **c.** "Germane to the practice of chiropractic" shall be limited to Section 54-704(1), Idaho Code. (3-15-02)
- **02. Verification of Attendance**. It shall be necessary for each licensee to maintain verification of attendance by securing authorized signatures or other documentation from the course instructors or sponsoring institution substantiating any and all hours attended by the applicant. This verification shall be maintained by the licensee and provided to the Board upon the request of the Board or its agent. (3-15-02)
- **O3. Distance Learning and Home Study**. The board <u>shall not may</u> approve <u>any a</u> course of study for continuing education credit that does not include the actual physical attendance of the applicant in a face-to-face setting with the course instructor. <u>Correspondence Distance Learning</u> or Home Study courses shall <u>not</u> be eligible for continuing education credits <u>if sponsored by an approved school of chiropractic or upon approval by the board. Licensee shall not accumulate more than six (6) continuing education hours per renewal period from distance learning or home study.

  (3-15-02)(\_\_\_\_\_)</u>
- **Requests for Approval**. All requests for approval or pre-approval of educational programs must be made to the board in writing, and must be accompanied by a statement that includes the name of the instructor or instructors, the date and time and location of the course, the specific agenda for the course, the number of continuing education credit hours requested, and a statement of how the course is believed to be pertinent to the practice of chiropractic.

  (3-15-02)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

# 24.04.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-0401-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-831, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Allow degrees to be considered as equivalency in lieu of high school education, define examination, change references to the examination to allow for a third party examination administrator including deadline, model requirements, eligibility for reexamination, correct limitation on clinical services from hour requirement to percentage to comply with statute.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because changes are necessary to allow third party examination administrator and clean up language to comply with statute.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0401-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 10).

These rules expressly adopt all definitions set forth in Section 54-802, Idaho Code, in addition to the following: (3-30-01)

- **01. Gender.** Any reference to a gender shall mean both masculine and feminine. (7-1-97)
- **O2. Board.** The Idaho Board of Cosmetology as prescribed in Section 54-802, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)
- **03. Bureau**. The Bureau of Occupational Licenses, as prescribed in Section 54-828 and Section 67-2602, Idaho Code. (3-8-02)
- **04. Chief.** The Bureau Chief of the Bureau of Occupational Licenses as established by Section 67-2602, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)
  - **05. Current License.** An unexpired license in good standing. (7-1-97)
  - **06. Establishment**. A licensed cosmetological establishment. (7-1-97)
- **07. Record of Instruction**. The final documentation of total hours and operations completed by a student that is maintained by a school or, in the case of an apprentice, the instructor. (3-30-01)
- **08. Certificate of Graduation**. A signed, notarized statement from a school or, in the case of an apprentice, the instructor, which indicates that the student has fulfilled all requirements of that school or apprenticeship and is eligible for examination. (7-1-97)
  - **09. Rules**. The rules of the Board. (7-1-97)
  - **10. School**. A licensed school of cosmetology. (7-1-97)
  - 11. School of Electrology. A licensed school of cosmetology approved to teach electrology. (3-30-01)
  - **12. Endorsement Certification**. In accordance with Section 54-812, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)
- 13. Hospital Grade. Hospital grade means a disinfecting agent registered by the Environmental Protection Agency as an effective germicidal/bactericidal, fungicidal, and virucidal disinfectant or any other equivalent agent that effectively frees instruments from infectious or otherwise harmful microorganisms. Such agents must be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. (3-19-07)
- 14. First-Aid Kit. First-aid kit means a packaged and identifiable assortment of medical supplies, including adhesive bandages, skin antiseptic, disposable gloves, and gauze, which may be used for cleaning and protecting blood spills and other minor emergency traumas of the human body. (3-30-01)
- **15. Patron**. Patron means any person who receives the services of anyone licensed or otherwise regulated by the provisions of Chapter 8, Title 54, Idaho Code. (3-19-07)
- **16.** Examination. The examination approved by the board is the National Interstate Council of State Boards of Cosmetology examination. The examination shall consist of practical examination, theory examination and jurisprudence examination.

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 200. APPLICATIONS (RULE 200).

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- **01. Application for License by Examination**. Application for license by examination shall be made on forms furnished by the Board. (3-8-02)
- **a.** Applicant. Each applicant for licensure by examination shall be required to submit to the Board an application and the required fees. (3-8-02)
  - **b.** Records. The school or apprenticeship instructor shall submit the following directly to the Board: (3-8-02)
  - i. The record of instruction; (3-8-02)
  - ii. A signed and notarized certificate of graduation; (3-8-02)
- iii. Proof of the required high school education (pursuant to Section 54-805, Idaho Code) or equivalent; and (3-8-02)
  - iv. Acceptable verification of applicants age upon registration as a student or apprentice. (3-8-02)
- **O2. Applications Must Be Complete to Be Accepted.** Applications shall not be considered complete and accepted until all required information, documents, and fees are received by the Board. (3-8-02)
- **O3.** Examination. Proof of successful passage of a practical and written examination as approved by the Board.

#### 034. Out of State Applicants.

(3-8-02)

- **a.** Applicants not completing their instruction in Idaho and currently licensed in another state, territory, possession or country, must also document their other licensure and provide verification of practical experience, in addition to the required application and fees. (3-8-02)
- **b.** Applicants not currently licensed in another state, territory, possession or country must provide certified documentation of all instruction received. Records of instruction must be received by the Board directly from the applicable regulatory agency or the facility that provided the instruction. (3-8-02)
- 04. Deadline Date for Filing. An application must be fully completed, in accordance with Rule 200, before an applicant is eligible for examination. The application and fees must be received by the Board at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of examination. All other required records must be received by the Board at least fourteen (14) days prior to the date of examination. Those applicants whose applications or fees or records are not received in accordance with the deadlines will be scheduled for the next subsequent examination. Those applicants who fail any portion of the examination on their first attempt may submit an application with the required fee for re-examination, and if said application and fee is received by the board office prior to the next scheduled examination, the thirty (30) day application deadline shall be waived.

#### 201. -- 249. (RESERVED).

# 250. ESTABLISHING EQUIVALENCY IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION (RULE 250).

The Board will accept the following tests <u>and degrees</u> as being equivalent in lieu of the required high school education (pursuant to Section 54-805, Idaho Code). (3-30-01)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **01. GED Test**. The General Educational Development (G.E.D.) Tests approved by the Department of Education, when an applicant receives an average cutting score of not less than forty-five (45), with no category below a cutting score of forty (40). (3-30-01)
- **02. Equivalent Test.** Any test approved by the Department of Education to establish education equivalency shall be approved by the Board when an applicant receives a score approved by the Department of Education as meeting the equivalency requirement. (5-3-03)

<u>**Degrees**</u>. An associates, bachelors, or graduate degree from an accredited college or university.

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 400. REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE BY EXAMINATION - GENERAL. (RULE 400).

**02. If Applicant Is From Another State.** If applicant is from another state, territory, possession, or country, and is ineligible for license by endorsement, proof of having a current license in good standing and instruction equivalent to the foregoing requirements must be submitted to the Board (Refer to Rule 200). (3-30-01)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 450. EXAMINATIONS - GENERAL (RULE 450).

Examination for licensure shall consist of both a practical and written examination for each of those disciplines included in Chapter 8, Title 54, Idaho Code. (5-3-03)

01.	Dates and Places.		(7-:	1-9	<del>)</del> 7`	)
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- **a.** Examinations for licensure are to be held at the discretion of the Board. (7-1-97)
- **b.** The dates and places of examination will be published annually. (7-1-97)
- **O2.** Written Examination. The written examination consists of two (2) parts: theory and Idaho jurisprudence. (7-1-97)
- **a.** The Idaho jurisprudence examination will be a comprehensive written examination that will include Chapter 8, Title 54, Idaho Code and these rules. (5-3-03)
- **b.** The theory examination will be the national examination provided by the National Interstate Council of State Boards of Cosmetology (NIC). (5-3-03)
- i. The theory examination for cosmetology will include all phases of the art of cosmetology, hair dressing, manicuring and pedicuring, facial massage, and sanitation. (5-3-03)
- ii. The theory examination for electrology will cover all phases of the art of electrology and sanitation.

(5-3-03)

- iii. The theory examination for esthetics will cover all phases of the art of skin care and sanitation.
- iv. The theory examination for nail technology will cover all phases of the art of manicuring, artificial nails, and sanitation.

  (5-3-03)
  - v. The theory examination for haircutter will cover all phases of the art of haircutting and sanitation.

(3-19-07)

(7-1-99)

- vi. The theory examination for an instructor will cover all phases of the applicant's ability to teach cosmetology, nail technology, esthetics or electrology, and sanitation. (5-3-03)
- **03. The Practical Examination**. The practical examination will be the NIC examination specific to the discipline for which licensure is sought. (5-3-03)
- **a.** Oral Test. As authorized by Section 54-810, Idaho Code, the examiners may direct questions to individual examinees during the course of the practical examination. (7-1-97)
- **b.** Supplies. Each applicant is required to bring adequate supplies and materials for the practical examination. Detailed information will be provided upon notification of acceptance for examination. (7-1-97)

#### 04. Failure to Pass Examination.

- **a.** The practical examination is failed when an applicant obtains an average score below seventy-five percent (75%). Reexamination shall consist of the entire examination. (7-1-98)
- **05.** Eligibility for Reexamination. A new application must be filed with the Board. The prescribed fee must accompany said application. (7-1-97)
  - **a.** Additional instruction required to qualify for the practical reexamination shall be as follows:
- i. An applicant failing on the first practical examination attempt and on all subsequent attempts shall complete a full review of the proper practical procedures for those service applications in the discipline for which licensure is sought as outlined in Section 54-808(6), Idaho Code. The applicant must also sign an affidavit attesting to the completion of the review. The review and affidavit shall constitute proof of required additional instruction prior to reexamination.
- ii. The Board may, following a review of previous examination scores, require any applicant to obtain additional instruction in a school of cosmetology. (3-19-07)
  - **b.** Additional instruction required to qualify for the written reexamination shall be as follows:

    (5-3-03)
- i. An applicant failing on the first written examination attempt and on all subsequent attempts in either the theory or Idaho jurisprudence examination shall complete a full review as applicable to the area or areas of failure, of either the proper theoretical procedures for the discipline and those service applications for which licensure is sought as outlined in Section 54-808(6), Idaho Code, or of the Idaho Laws and Rules governing the licensure and practice of those disciplines included in Chapter 8, Title 54, Idaho Code. The applicant must also sign an affidavit attesting to the completion of the review. The review and affidavit shall constitute proof of required additional instruction prior to the first reexamination only.

  (3-19-07)
- ii. The Board may, following a review of previous examination scores, require any applicant to obtain additional instruction in a school of cosmetology.

  (3-19-07)
- **96. Termination.** All application records in the bureau of applicants who have not qualified for reexamination within five (5) years of notification of failure in any examination under the Cosmetology Law will be terminated and destroyed.

  (7-1-97)

451. -- 474<u>99</u>. (RESERVED).

#### 475. MODELS FOR EXAMINATION (RULE 475).

- **01.** Appropriate Model. Applicants scheduled for an examination must bring an appropriate model. Models may be human or mannequin, depending upon the specific examination. If a mannequin is required, it must be treated in all respects, the same as a live model.

  (7-1-97)
- 02. Models Must Not Be Students. Models must not be students in any school or apprentice in any establishment, nor licensed under the Cosmetology Law.

  (7-1-97)
  - 03. Models Must Be Able to Remain Until Conclusion of the Examination. (7-1-97)
- **04.** Models Cannot Be Candidates. Models cannot be candidates for the examination who may be examined on another day.

  (7-1-97)
- 476. -- 478. (RESERVED).

#### 479. MODELS FOR THE COSMETOLOGY EXAMINATION (RULE 479).

- 01. Human Models. Human models are mandatory for the facial portion of the cosmetology examination.
- **02.** Mandatory Mannequins for Examination. Except as set forth in Rule 479.01, mannequins and mannequin hands are mandatory for all portions of the cosmetology examination and must be treated in all respects, the same as a live model.

  (3-8-02)
- 480. -- 482. (RESERVED).

#### 483. MODELS FOR THE ELECTROLOGY EXAMINATION (RULE 483).

Hair removal will be demonstrated directly on the Examiners.

(7-1-99)

- 484. -- 486. (RESERVED).
- 487. MODELS FOR THE ESTHETICS EXAMINATION (RULE 487).
  - 01. Human Models for Skin Care. Human models will be used for the skin care demonstration.

    (7-1-97)
  - *Human Models. Human models must be people to whom makeup may be applied.* (7-1-97)
- 488. -- 490. (RESERVED).

#### 491. MODELS FOR THE NAIL TECHNOLOGY EXAMINATION (RULE 491).

01. Mannequin Hands for Manieure. Mannequin hands are mandatory for all portions of the nail technology examination and must be treated in all respects, the same as a live model. (3-20-04)

# <del>492. -- 499.</del> (RESERVED).

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 550. RULES FOR COSMETOLOGY SCHOOLS APPROVED TO TEACH ELECTROLOGY (RULE 550).

Section 54-808, Idaho Code, provides for the teaching of electrology in cosmetology schools. (3-20-04)

- **01. Board Approval.** The Board may approve a school to teach electrology who makes application on forms provided by the Board and who meets all the requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and these rules. Approval of curriculum must be submitted on a separate application. Approval may be suspended or terminated by the Board for the school's failure to meet any one or more of the minimum requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and rules to teach electrology. (7-1-99)
- **02. Minimum Square Footage**. Schools provide a minimum of three hundred (300) square feet of designated floor space per six (6) students. (7-1-97)
- **03. Required Equipment**. Each school shall have the following equipment, which is considered the minimum equipment necessary for the proper instruction of students. This amount of equipment is based on six (6) students.

  (7-1-97)
  - **a.** Work stations equal to seventy-five percent (75%) of total enrollment. (7-1-97)
- **b.** Two (2) brands of machines (one (1) with three (3) method capability) Galvanic, Thermolysis, and Blend. (7-1-97)
  - **c.** Two (2) treatment tables and adjustable technician chairs. (7-1-97)
  - **d.** Two (2) swing arm lamps with magnifying lens. (7-1-97)
  - e. Two (2) magnifying glasses. (7-1-97)
  - **f.** Tweezers. (7-1-97)
  - **g.** One (1) basin with approved water source. (7-1-97)
  - h. Necessary sanitation equipment for implements. (7-1-97)
  - i. Closed storage cabinet. (7-1-97)
- **04. Kit**. Each student to be issued a basic kit containing: two (2) tweezers, disposable probes, eye shields, disposable gloves, before treatment solution, after treatment lotion, hair pins or clippies, one (1) sharps container. (7-1-99)
- **05. Electrologist Instructor/Student Ratio**. Schools have at least one (1) licensed electrologist instructor for every six (6) students or portion thereof, being trained therein. (7-1-99)
- **06. Records Required**. Records required of cosmetology schools approved to teach electrology shall be maintained in accordance with the records required for schools of cosmetology. (3-30-01)
- **07. Record of Instruction**. A record of all operations completed by each student shall be maintained and include the following: (3-30-01)
  - **a.** Permanent Removal of Hair (Electrology). (7-1-97)
  - i. Bacteriology, sanitation and sterilization, safety precautions, anatomy, and physiology. (3-30-01)
- ii. Electricity which shall include the nature of electrical current, principles of operating electrical devices and the various safety precautions used when operating electrical equipment. (3-30-01)
  - iii. Electrolysis which shall include the use and study of galvanic current. (3-30-01)
  - iv. Thermolysis which shall include the use and study of high frequency current automatic and manual. (3-30-01)

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v. A combination of high frequency and galvanic currents.

(3-30-01)

vi. The study and cause of hypertrichosis.

(3-30-01)

**b.** Students may not render any clinical services to patrons until completing at least <u>eighty (80)</u> five percent (5%) of the required hours of instruction in electrology. (7-1-99)(\_\_\_\_\_)

# 551. -- 559. (RESERVED).

#### 560. RULES FOR COSMETOLOGY SCHOOLS TEACHING ESTHETICS (RULE 560).

Section 54-808, Idaho Code, provides for the teaching of esthetics in cosmetology schools.

(3-20-04)

- **01. Board Approval.** The Board may approve a school to teach esthetics who makes application on forms provided by the Board and who meets all the requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and these rules. Approval of curriculum must be submitted on a separate application. Approval may be suspended or terminated by the Board for the school's failure to meet any one or more of the minimum requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and rules to teach esthetics. (7-1-97)
- **02. Records Required.** Records required of schools teaching esthetics shall be maintained in accordance with the records required for schools of cosmetology. (3-30-01)
- **a.** Students may not render any clinical services to patrons until completing at least  $\frac{\text{sixty (60)}}{\text{percent (5\%)}}$  five percent (5%) of the required hours of instruction in esthetics.  $\frac{(7-1-97)}{(7-1-97)}$ 
  - **b.** The recorded operations completed by each student shall be maintained and include the following: (3-30-01)
  - i. Massage and Manipulation application of lotions, creams, etc. (3-30-01)
  - ii. Cosmetics. (3-30-01)
  - iii. Machine Application: use of mechanical or electrical equipment. (3-30-01)
  - iv. Bacteriology, Sanitation and sterilization, safety precautions, anatomy and physiology. (3-30-01)
  - v. Eyebrow arch and hair removal. (3-30-01)

#### 561. -- 569. (RESERVED).

## 570. RULES FOR COSMETOLOGY SCHOOLS TEACHING NAIL TECHNOLOGY (RULE 570).

Section 54-808, Idaho Code, provides for the teaching of nail technology in cosmetology schools.

(3-20-04)

**01. Board Approval**. The Board may approve a school to teach nail technology who makes application on forms provided by the Board and who meets all the requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and these rules. Approval of curriculum must be submitted on a separate application. Approval may be suspended or terminated by the Board for the school's failure to meet any one or more of the minimum requirements set forth in the cosmetology law and rules to teach nail technology. (7-1-97)

#### 02. Records Required.

(7-1-97)

- **a.** Records required of schools teaching nail technology shall be maintained in accordance with the records required for schools of cosmetology. (3-30-01)
- **b.** Students may not render any clinical services to patrons until the student has completed at least *forty (40)* five percent (5%) of the required hours of instruction. All work done on patrons must be completed by students and supervised by instructors.

  (7-1-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)

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03.	<b>Record of Training.</b> A record of operations completed by each student shall be maintained of the
following:	(3-30-01)

**a.** Form nails; (3-30-01)

**b.** Finished tips; (3-30-01)

**c.** Wraps and mends; and (3-30-01)

**d.** Basic manicures and pedicures. (3-30-01)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 700. COSMETOLOGY -- ELECTROLOGY, ESTHETICS, AND NAIL TECHNOLOGY APPRENTICE INSTRUCTION (RULE 700).

Sections 54-805(6)(c) and 54-807, Idaho Code, provide for the practice of apprentices. (3-30-01)

- **01.** Cosmetology Apprentices. There must be at least one (1) licensed cosmetology instructor and one (1) licensed cosmetologist in any cosmetological establishment at all times for each apprentice who is being trained therein. (7-1-99)
  - **a.** One (1) instructor shall train no more than three (3) currently registered apprentices. (3-8-02)
  - **b.** Each apprentice must also be supervised by a separate licensed cosmetologist. (3-8-02)
- **O2. Electrology Apprentices.** Apprentice instruction must be obtained under the direct personal supervision of an electrologist instructor. An electrologist instructor may train no more than one (1) apprentice at a time. (3-30-01)
- **03. Esthetics Apprentices.** There must be at least one (1) licensed cosmetology instructor or esthetics instructor and one (1) licensed cosmetologist or licensed esthetician in any cosmetological establishment at all times for each apprentice who is being instructed therein. (3-8-02)
- **04. Nail Technology Apprentices**. There must be at least one (1) licensed cosmetology instructor or nail technology instructor and one (1) licensed cosmetologist or nail technician in any cosmetological establishment at all times for each apprentice who is being instructed therein. (3-8-02)
- **65. Filing Application**. Application for permit as an apprentice must be made on forms furnished by the Board. (3-30-01)
- **06. Application for Apprentice**. The application submitted for an apprentice permit must list the names and license numbers of the licensed cosmetologists, electrologists, estheticians, and nail technicians employed in the establishment in which an apprentice will serve apprenticeship. (3-30-01)
- **07. Prior to Beginning Instruction**. Prior to beginning of instruction, the instructor for any apprenticeship must submit and have Board approval of a curriculum for the entire apprenticeship instruction.

  (3-30-01)
- **08.** Application Must Be Accompanied by Proof of Meeting Educational Requirements. Applications must be accompanied by proof of having satisfactorily completed two (2) years of high school (tenth grade) or having equivalent education. If applicant is a high school graduate, a photostatic copy of the high school diploma may be submitted. A letter written on high school stationery, signed by an officer of the high school, may be forwarded with the application. Such letter shall indicate that the applicant has satisfactorily completed the tenth grade and is eligible to commence the eleventh grade. Do not send original high school diploma to the Board.

(7-1-97)

- **09. Submit Proof of Birth**. Apprentices must furnish a copy of their birth certificate or other acceptable proof of birth with application. (7-1-97)
- **10. Apprentice Permit**. An apprentice permit must be obtained from the Board before instruction as an apprentice begins. An original apprentice permit shall be dated and valid until such time as said apprentice is no longer enrolled as an apprentice is said establishment. (3-30-01)
  - 11. Records Required. Establishments instruction apprentices must maintain records as set forth:
    (3-30-01)
  - **a.** For cosmetology apprentice in Subsection 500.05. (7-1-99)
  - **b.** For electrology apprentice in Subsection 550.06.a.i. (7-1-99)
  - **c.** For esthetics apprentice in Subsection 560.02. (7-1-99)
  - **d.** For nail technology apprentice in Subsection 570.02. (7-1-99)
- <u>e.</u> Apprentices shall not be permitted to render any clinical service to patrons until said apprentice has completed at least five percent (5%) of the required hours of instruction.
- **12. Record of Instruction**. Records of the operations completed by each student shall be maintained of the following: (3-8-02)
  - **a.** For cosmetology apprentice in Subsection 500.06. (7-1-97)
  - **b.** For electrology apprentice in Subsection 550.07. (3-30-01)
  - **c.** For esthetics apprentice in Subsection 560.02.c. (7-1-99)
  - **d.** For nail technology apprentice in Subsection 570.03. (7-1-99)
- 13. Discontinuance of a Course. When an apprentice discontinues a course of study, the salon is to complete a Record of Instruction Form with the credited hours completed by the apprentice. This form is to be submitted to the Board. If an apprentice discontinues a course of instruction and does not transfer to another salon within sixty (60) days, the apprentice permit is automatically canceled and is to be submitted to the Board along with the Record of Instruction.

  (3-30-01)
- **14. Before Resuming Instruction**. Before resuming instruction, after having discontinued a course, an apprentice must file a new application and pay an additional fee. The apprentice must receive a permit before resuming instruction. (3-30-01)
- 15. Discontinuance of Establishment Instruction Apprentices. If a licensed establishment where apprentices are being trained discontinues to operate as a salon, records of instruction covering all apprentices obtaining instruction at the time of discontinuance or prior thereto, must be filed in the office of the Board. (3-30-01)
- **16. Out of State Apprenticeship.** Prior to commencing a course of study in an Idaho approved establishment, an apprentice applicant is required to file with the Board a copy of the record of instruction from the out of state apprenticeship. For purposes of this section, the record of instruction will be a statement which gives detailed information regarding operations and hours of instruction, and which is to be verified by the licensing agency or instructor(s) in the state in which the instruction was obtained. (3-30-01)

# **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

# 24.05.01 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF DRINKING WATER AND WASTEWATER PROFESSIONALS DOCKET NO. 24-0501-0701

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-2406, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To define direct supervision and experience, allow consideration of a backflow examination, clarify education and experience requirements to standardize the process, add provision for continuing education courses approved by specific states, clarify reinstatement of license, and change operator-in-training from permit to license.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because changes are to clarify processes and to benefit licensees.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

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# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0501-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 10).

**01. Board**. The Idaho Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals.

(3-24-05)

# IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES Rules of the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals

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- **02. Bureau**. The Idaho Bureau of Occupational Licenses. (3-24-05)
- **03. DEQ.** The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality. (3-24-05)
- **Q4. Direct Supervision.** Supervision in a way that will ensure the proper operation and maintenance of the public drinking water or public wastewater system. Supervision shall include, but not be limited to, providing written, hands-on, or oral instruction as well as verification that the instructions are being completed. The supervisor has an active on-site and on-call presence at the specific facility.
- **045. Endorsement**. Endorsement (often referred to as "reciprocity") is that process by which a person licensed in another jurisdiction may apply for a license in Idaho. (3-24-05)
  - **056. EPA.** The United States Environmental Protection Agency. (3-24-05)
- worked. Experience. One (1) year of experience is equivalent to one thousand six hundred hours (1,600)
- **068. Operating Personnel.** Operating personnel means any person who is employed, retained, or appointed to conduct the tasks associated with the day-to-day operation and maintenance of a public drinking water system or a public wastewater system. Operating personnel shall include every person making system control or system integrity decisions about water quantity or water quality that may affect public health. (3-24-05)
- **079. Person.** A human being, municipality, or other governmental or political subdivision or other public agency, or public or private corporation, any partnership, firm, association, or other organization, any receiver, trustee, assignee, agent or other legal representative of the foregoing or other legal entity. (3-24-05)
- **0810. Public Drinking Water System or Public Water System.** Public drinking water system or public water system means a system for the provision to the public of water for human consumption through pipes or other constructed conveyances, if such system has at least fifteen (15) service connections or regularly serves an average of at least twenty-five (25) individuals daily at least sixty (60) days of the year. Such term includes any collection, treatment, storage, and distribution facilities under control of the operator of such system, and used primarily in connection with such system, and any collection or pretreatment storage facilities not under such control which are used primarily in connection with such system. Every community and nontransient noncommunity water system, and each transient water system using a surface water source or ground water source directly influenced by surface water, shall be operated by a certified drinking water operator. (3-24-05)
- **6911. Public Wastewater System or Wastewater System.** Public wastewater system or wastewater system means those systems, including collection systems and treatment systems, that are owned by a city, county, state or federal unit of government, a nonprofit corporation, district, association, political subdivision or other public entity, or that generate or collect two thousand five hundred (2,500) or more gallons a day; or that have been constructed in whole or in part with public funds. This does not include any wastewater treatment system operated and maintained exclusively by a single family residence or any wastewater system consisting solely of a gravity flow, nonmechanical septic tank and subsurface treatment and distribution system, or industrial wastewater systems under private ownership.
  - **102. State.** The state of Idaho. (3-24-05)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 300. REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSE (RULE 300).

Applicants shall submit an application together with the required fees and such documentation as is required.

(3-24-05)

# IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES Rules of the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals

Docket No. 24-0501-0701 Proposed Rule

**01. Examination Requirement**. Applicants must pass a written examination for each individual classification in each type of licensure with a minimum score of seventy percent (70%). For those classifications of Class II through IV, successful completion of the examinations from the immediate lower type and classification shall be a prerequisite to examination eligibility for the next higher classification of the same type, except that applicants for wastewater collection operator or wastewater laboratory analyst or drinking water distribution operator licenses may apply for any classification examination for which they hold the required education and experience.

(3-30-06)

- **a.** The examination will reflect different levels of knowledge, ability and judgment required for the established license type and class. The Board will administer examinations at such times and places as the Board may determine. (3-24-05)
- **b.** The examination for all types and classes of licensure shall be validated and provided by the Association of Boards of Certification (ABC). The American Backflow Prevention Association (ABPA) backflow assembly tester licensure is also approved.
- **c.** Applicants who fail an examination must make application to retake the same type and class examination and pay the required examination fees prior to retaking the examination. (3-24-05)
- **d.** Applicants must take and pass the examination within one (1) year of application approval. After one (1) year a new application and applicable fees must be submitted. (3-30-07)
- **O2.** Education and Experience Requirements. Only actual verified on-site operating experience at a treatment, distribution or collection system will be acceptable. An applicant may not use the same experience for more than one (1) license.

  (3-24-05)(\_\_\_\_)
- **a.** Each applicant for an Operator-In-Training License must have a high school diploma or GED and pass a Class I exam. (3-30-06)
- **b.** To qualify for a Very Small Water System license an operator must have a high school diploma or GED and six (6) months of acceptable operator-in-training experience at a water distribution system. (3-24-05)
- c. To qualify for a Class I license an applicant must have a high school diploma or GED and one (1) year of acceptable experience at a Class I or higher system. To upgrade an OIT license to a Class I the applicant must provide documented proof to the Board of having completed one (1) year of supervised operating experience in a Class I or higher public drinking water or wastewater system, and payment of the required fees.
- **d.** To qualify for a Class II treatment or lab analyst license <u>II</u> an applicant must have a high school diploma or GED and three (3) years of acceptable Class I operating experience at a Class I or higher system.

(3-24-05)( )

- e. To qualify for a Class III treatment or lab analyst <u>III</u> license an applicant must have a high school diploma or GED and two (2) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science; and four (4) years of acceptable Class II operating experience of a Class II or higher system, including two (2) years of experience in daily on-site charge, supervision of personnel, or management of a major segment of a system in the same or next lower class.

  (3-24-05)(\_\_\_\_)
- f. To qualify for a Class IV treatment or lab analyst  $\underline{IV}$  license an applicant must have a high school diploma or GED; and four (4) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science; and four (4) years of acceptable Class III operating experience at a Class III or higher system, including two (2) years of experience in daily on-site charge, supervision of personnel, or management of a major segment of a system in the same or next lower class.  $(3-24-05)(\underline{\phantom{a}})$
- g. To qualify for a Class II collection or distribution license an operator must have a high school diploma or GED and three (3) years of acceptable operating experience at a Class I or higher system. (3-24-05)
  - **h.** To qualify for a Class III collection or distribution license an operator must have a high school

diploma or GED and two (2) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science; and four (4) years of acceptable operating experience of a Class I or higher system, including two (2) years of experience in daily on-site charge, supervision of personnel, or management of a major segment of a system in the same or next lower class. (3-24-05)

- i. To qualify for a Class IV collection or distribution license an operator must have a high school diploma or GED; and four (4) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science; and four (4) years of acceptable operating experience at a Class I or higher system, including two (2) years of experience in daily on-site charge, supervision of personnel, or management of a major segment of a system in the same or next lower class.

  (3-24-05)
- **j.** To qualify for a lagoon license, an operator must have a high school diploma or GED and twelve (12) months of acceptable supervised operating experience at a Lagoon system. (3-24-05)
- **k.** To qualify for a Wastewater Land Application license, an operator must have a high school diploma or GED, a current wastewater treatment license and minimum six (6) months of hands-on operating experience at a wastewater land application system. The wastewater land application operator that is a responsible charge or substitute responsible charge operator must be licensed at the type and class equal to or greater than the classification of the wastewater system. (3-24-05)
- l. To qualify for a backflow assembly tester license, an applicant must have a high school diploma or GED, and shall document successful completion of a Board-approved backflow assembly tester training program in compliance with the Cross Connection Control Accepted Procedure and Practice Manual and consisting of theory instruction, practical instruction, and a practical examination in compliance with the USC Test procedures. (3-30-06)
- **m.** To qualify for an original wastewater laboratory analyst license, an applicant must hold a current water treatment, wastewater treatment or lagoon license. (3-24-05)
- **03. Substituting Education for Experience**. Applicants may substitute approved education for operating and responsible charge experience as specified below. (3-24-05)
- **a.** No substitution for operating experience shall be permitted for licensure as a very small system operator or a Class I operator. (3-24-05)
- **b.** For Classes II, III and IV, substitution shall only be allowed for the required experience when fifty percent (50%) of all stated experience (both operating and responsible charge) has been met by actual on-site operating experience. (3-24-05)
- **c.** For Class II, a maximum of one and one-half (1½) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science may be substituted for one and one-half (1½) years of operating experience. (3-24-05)
- **d.** For Class III and IV, a maximum of two (2) years of post high school education in the environmental control field, engineering or related science may be substituted for two (2) years of operating experience; however the applicant must still have one (1) year of responsible charge experience. (3-24-05)
- **e.** Education substituted for operating experience may not be also credited toward the education requirement. (3-24-05)
- **f.** One (1) year of post high school education may be substituted for one (1) year experience up to a maximum of fifty percent (50%) of the required operating or responsible charge experience. (3-24-05)
- **04. Substituting Experience for Education**. Where applicable, approved operating and responsible charge experience may be substituted for education as specified below: (3-24-05)
- **a.** One (1) year of operating experience may be substituted for two (2) years of grade school or one (1) year of high school with no limitation. (3-24-05)

- **b.** For Class III and IV, additional responsible charge experience (that exceeding the two (2) year class requirements) may be substituted for post high school education on a two (2) for one (1) basis: two (2) years additional responsible charge = one (1) year post high school education. (3-24-05)
- **05. Substituting Experience for Experience**. Related experience may be substituted for experience up to one-half (½) of the operating experience requirement for Class II, III and IV. Experience that may be substituted includes but is not limited to the following: (3-24-05)
  - **a.** Experience as an environmental or operations consultant; (3-24-05)
- **b.** Experience in an environmental or engineering branch of federal, state, county, or local government; (3-24-05)
  - **c.** Experience as a wastewater collection system operator; (3-24-05)
  - **d.** Experience as a wastewater treatment plant operator; (3-24-05)
  - e. Experience as a water distribution system operator and/or manager; (3-24-05)
- **f.** One (1) year of post high school education may be substituted for one (1) year experience up to a maximum of fifty percent (50%) of the required operating or responsible charge experience. (3-24-05)
  - g. Experience in waste treatment operation and maintenance. (3-24-05)
- **06. Equivalency Policy**. Substitutions for education or experience requirements needed to meet minimum requirements for license will be evaluated upon the following equivalency policies: (3-24-05)
- **a.** High School High School diploma = GED or equivalent as approved by the Board = four (4) years. (3-24-05)
- **b.** College Thirty-five (35) credits = one (1) year (limited to curricula in environmental engineering, environmental sciences, water/wastewater technology, and/or related fields as determined by the Board). (3-24-05)
- **c.** Continuing Education Units (CEU) for operator training courses, seminars, related college courses, and other training activities. Ten (10) classroom hours = one (1) CEU; forty-five (45) CEUs = one (1) year of college. (3-24-05)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 500. CONTINUING EDUCATION (RULE 500).

In order to further protect the health, safety and welfare of Idaho's public, and to facilitate the continued competence of persons licensed under the drinking water and wastewater professionals licensing act, the Board has adopted the following rules for continuing education. (3-24-05)

**O1.** Continuing Education Requirement. Each licensee must successfully complete a minimum of six (6) hours (0.6 CEUs) of approved continuing education annually for license renewal, except that backflow assembly testers shall complete an eight (8) hour refresher course every two (2) years for license renewal. Continuing education must be earned in a subject matter relevant to the field in which the license is issued. A licensee holding one (1) or more drinking water license(s) shall be required to meet the annual continuing education requirement for only one license. A licensee holding one (1) or more wastewater license(s) shall be required to meet the annual continuing education requirement for only one license. A licensee holding both drinking water and wastewater class licenses must complete a minimum of six (6) hours annually for the drinking water license plus six (6) hours annually for the wastewater license.

- **a.** Each licensee shall submit to the Board an annual license renewal application form, together with the required fees, certifying by signed affidavit that compliance with the CE requirements have been met. The Board may conduct such continuing education audits and require verification of attendance as deemed necessary to ensure compliance with the CE requirements. (3-24-05)
- **b.** A licensee shall be considered to have satisfied their CE requirements for the first renewal of their license. (3-24-05)
- c. A water or wastewater licensee may carryover a maximum of six (6) hours of continuing education to meet the next year's continuing education requirement. The same hours may not be carried forward more than one (1) renewal cycle. (3-24-05)
- **d.** Continuing Education hours for approved operator training courses, seminars, related college courses, and other training activities may be converted to Continuing Education Units (CEU) as follows: Six (6) classroom hours = point six (0.6) CEU. (3-24-05)
- **O2. Subject Material.** The subject material of the continuing education requirement shall be relevant to the license for which the continued education is required. "Relevant" shall be limited to material germane to the operation, maintenance and administration of drinking water and wastewater systems as referenced in Chapter 24, Title 54, Idaho Code, and includes those subjects identified in the "need to know" criteria published by the Associations of Boards of Certification. (3-30-06)
- **O3.** Course Approval. All course providers must submit requests for approval of continuing education courses to the Board in writing no less than thirty (30) days prior to the course being offered, on a form approved by the Board that includes: (3-30-06)
  - **a.** The name and qualifications of the instructor or instructors; (3-24-05)
  - **b.** The date, time and location of the course; (3-24-05)
  - c. The specific agenda for the course; (3-24-05)
  - **d.** The type and number of continuing education credit hours requested; (3-24-05)
  - e. A statement of how the course is believed to be relevant as defined; (3-24-05)
- **f.** Any certificate of approval from a governmental agency if the course has been previously approved for continuing education; (3-30-06)
  - g. The training materials; (3-24-05)
  - **h.** Other information as may be requested by the Board. (3-24-05)
- i. Upon review of all information requested, the Board may either approve or deny any request for a course. Board approval of a course shall be granted for a period not to exceed two (2) years or until the course materials or instructors are changed. (3-30-06)
- **O4.** Approved Courses. Those continuing education courses which are relevant and approved by the states of Nevada, Oregon, Montana, Utah, Wyoming, and Washington are deemed approved by the Board.
- **045. Verification of Attendance**. It shall be necessary for each licensee to maintain verification of attendance by securing authorized signatures or other documentation from the course instructors or sponsoring institution substantiating any and all hours attended by the licensee. This verification shall be maintained by the licensee and provided upon request of the Board or its agent. (3-24-05)
- 056. Distance Learning and Independent Study. The Board may approve a course of study for continuing education credit that does not include the actual physical attendance of the licensee in a face-to-face

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setting with the course instructor. The licensee shall maintain documentation of the nature and details of the course and evidence that the licensee successfully completed the course, which shall be made available to the Board upon request. (3-30-06)

- **067. Failure to Fulfill the Continuing Education Requirements.** The license will not be renewed for those licensees who fail to certify or otherwise provide acceptable documentation of meeting the CE requirements. Licensees who make a false attestation regarding compliance with the CE requirements shall be subject to disciplinary action by the Board. (3-24-05)
- **078. Exemptions.** The Board may waive the continuing education requirement or extend the deadline up to ninety (90) days for any one or more of the following circumstances. The licensee must request the exemption and provide any information requested to assist the Board in making a determination. An exemption may be granted at the sole discretion of the Board. (3-30-06)
- **a.** The licensee is a resident of another jurisdiction recognized by the Board having a continuing professional education requirement for licensure renewal and has complied with the requirements of that state or district. (3-24-05)
  - **b.** The licensee is a government employee working outside the continental United States. (3-24-05)
- ${f c.}$  The licensee documents individual hardship, including health (certified by a medical doctor) or other good cause. (3-24-05)
- 501. -- 599. (RESERVED).

#### 600. RENEWAL OR REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSE (RULE 600).

- **01. Expiration Date**. All licenses expire and must be renewed annually on forms approved by the Board in accordance with Section 67-2614, Idaho Code. Licenses not so renewed will be cancelled in accordance with Section 67-2614, Idaho Code. (3-24-05)
- **02. Reinstatement**. Any license cancelled for failure to renew may be reinstated in accordance with Section 67-2614, Idaho Code, with the exception that the applicant shall submit proof of having *met the* completed the total number of required continuing education for each year the license or certificate was cancelled.

<del>(3-24-05)</del>( )

- **Operator-in-Training** *Permit* <u>License</u>. Applicants for the operator-in-training *permit* <u>license</u> shall, upon compliance with the requirements of Subsections 300.01 and 300.02, be issued a "one-time" non-renewable *permit* <u>license</u> for the purpose of gaining supervised experience as an operator-in-training (OIT). This *permit* <u>license</u> will be valid for three (3) years from the date of issue. *Upon making application and providing* To upgrade an OIT <u>license to a Class I the applicant must provide</u> documented proof to the Board of having completed *twelve* (12) *months* one (1) year of supervised operating experience in a Class I or higher public drinking water or wastewater system, and payment of the required fees, *the permittee will be issued a Class I License*.
- **04. Backflow Assembly Testers**. Backflow assembly testers shall complete a Board-approved eight (8) hour refresher course every two (2) years for license renewal. (3-30-06)
- **05. Wastewater Land Application License**. Wastewater land application licenses shall not be renewed unless the licensee also maintains a current wastewater treatment license. (3-30-06)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

# 24.07.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

## **DOCKET NO. 24-0701-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-3003, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To update the incorporation by reference, update address of the Board, to add an application fee, and to clarify the supervision and limitations on the landscape architect-in-training.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

This change would add a \$25.00 application fee per Section 54-3003(5)(b), Idaho Code, to landscape architects-in-training and will increase the revenues of the Board by approximately \$250.00 based on an average for the last three years. The impact is on dedicated funds.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes should not be controversial.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory, Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220, Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 / Fax (208) 334-3945

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0701-0701

#### 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 4).

The document titled the Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards (CLARB) Model Rules of Professional Conduct as amended September 2002 February 2007, referenced in Subsection 425, is herein incorporated by reference.

#### 005. ADDRESS OF IDAHO BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS (RULE 5).

The office of the Board of Landscape Architects is located within the Bureau of Occupational Licenses, Owyhee Plaza, 1109 Main Street, Suite 220, Boise, Idaho 83702-5642. The phone number of the Board is (208) 334-3233. The Board's FAX number is (208) 334-3945. The Board's e-mail address is *lar@ibol.state.id.us* lar@ibol.idaho.gov. The Board's official web site is at http://www.ibol.idaho.gov/lar.htm.

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 250. LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT-IN-TRAINING (RULE 250).

An individual may represent themselves as a landscape architect-in-training only under the following conditions: (3-20-04)

- **Qualifications**. Any person who is at least eighteen (18) years of age and has graduated from an approved college or school of landscape architecture, or who documents at least eight (8) years of actual practical experience in landscape architecture approved by the Board. (3-20-04)
- **O2. Supervision**. Each landscape architect-in-training shall be employed by and work under the direct supervision of an Idaho licensed landscape architect. <u>Any change in supervision shall require a new application and registration.

  (3-20-04)(

  )</u>
- **03. Prohibitions**. A landscape architect-in-training shall not sign or seal any plan, specification, or other document, and shall not engage in the practice of landscape architecture except under the direct supervision of an Idaho licensed landscape architect. (3-20-04)
- **04. Registration**. Each landscape architect-in-training shall register with the Board on forms provided by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses that shall include the application fee and the names and addresses of their employer, and supervisor.

  (3-20-04)(\_\_\_\_)
- <u>Vears.</u> <u>Termination.</u> A registration for a landscape architect-in-training shall not exceed a total of six (6)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 400. FEES (RULE 400).

Fees are not refundable, therefore, applications should not be filed unless the applicant can meet all requirements.

(7-1-93)

- **O1. Application Fee**. Application Fee (Original-Reapplication-Endorsement): One hundred dollars (\$100).
- **02.** Landscape Architect-in-Training Application Fee. Landscape architect-in-training application fee: Twenty-five dollars (\$25).
- **023. Examination Fees.** Examination fees will be as established by the Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards. (3-20-04)
- **034. Original License and Annual License Fee**. Original license and annual license fee: One hundred fifty dollars (\$150).
  - **045. Reinstatement Fee.** Reinstatement fee: Twenty-five dollars (\$25). (7-1-93)
- **056. Processing Fee.** Applicants for examination must submit a twenty-five dollar (\$25) processing fee, together with the examination fees and the application fee. (3-20-04)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.08.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF MORTICIANS

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-0801-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-1107, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To correct examination requirements for funeral director. Combine funeral and crematory establishment requirements to lessen confusion and add provisions for display of caskets and merchandise to include video, catalogs and electronic depiction.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes are formatting and clarification and not new requirements.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0801-0701

#### 325. APPROVED EXAMINATION (RULE 325).

Applicants for licensure shall successfully pass the examinations set forth below.

(3-16-04)

# BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES State Board of Morticians

Docket No. 24-0801-0701 Proposed Rule

01.	Mortician Examination. The Mortician examination shall consist of:	(3-16-04)
<b>a.</b> Examination; an	All sections of the International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Board's Nand	National Board (3-16-04)
<b>b.</b> preservation, bu	The examination of the laws and rules of the state of Idaho relating to the care irial, transportation, or other final disposition of human remains; and	e, disinfection, (3-16-04)
<b>c.</b> diseases and qua	The examination of the rules of the Department of Health and Welfare relating arantine.	g to infectious (3-16-04)
02.	Funeral Director. The funeral director examination shall consist of:	(3-16-04)
<b>a.</b> Funeral Service	The Arts section of the <u>State Based Examination conducted by the</u> International Examination Board's <u>National Board Examination</u> ; and	Conference of 3-16-04)()
<b>b.</b> preservation, bu	The examination of the laws and rules of the state of Idaho relating to the care irial, transportation, or other final disposition of human remains; and	e, disinfection, (3-16-04)
<b>c.</b> diseases and qua	The examination of the rules of the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare relating arantine.	ig to infectious (3-16-04)
such applicant s (75%), however	<b>Grading.</b> The required average grade to pass the examination is seventy-five per, that where the applicant has a score of less than seventy percent (70%) in one (1) or shall not be passed, notwithstanding that his average mark may be higher than seventy, should the applicant apply for reexamination he may, by board approval, be required the examination which he failed in previous examination.	more subjects, ty-five percent
	(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)	
All applicants for	RAL ESTABLISHMENT <u>AND CREMATORY ESTABLISHMENT</u> (RULE 450) or establishment license shall submit a completed application on a form approved by establishments and all branch or satellite facilities must meet the same requirements for	the Board. All
<del>provide an oper</del> funeral or other	Branch or Satellite Facility. A newly licensed establishment operated as a brane eet the same requirement for licensure as if it were operated independently. It will rating room and necessary equipment for embalming, a display room for caskets, a religious ceremonies may be held and a room for viewing and visitation. Contents of for a license to operate a funeral establishment or crematory establishment in Idaho s	be required to chapel where f Application.
<u>a.</u>	Name and address of owner whether individual or entity; and	<u>()</u>
<u>b.</u>	Notarized signature of applicant or authorized agent; and	()
<u>c.</u>	Name and license number of responsible licensee; and	()
<u>d.</u>	Other such information as the board may require.	<u>()</u>
<b>02.</b> establishment sh	<b>Change in Ownership or Location</b> . Any change in the ownership or location nall constitute a new funeral establishment for the purposes of licensure.	n of a funeral (7-1-93)

# BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES State Board of Morticians

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<u>followi</u>	<u>03.</u> ng:	Funeral Establishment. All funeral establishments shall be required to provide each	ch of the
	<u>a.</u>	An operating room and necessary equipment for embalming;	()
depiction	<u>b.</u> on of cask	A selection room for caskets and merchandise which may include video, catalogs, and ets and merchandise;	electronic ()
	<u>c.</u>	A chapel where funeral or other religious ceremonies may be held; and	()
	<u>d.</u>	A room for viewing and visitation.	()
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	a.	The price of the service that the person or persons have selected and what is included there	rein. (7-1-93)
	b.	The prices of each of the supplementary items of service and/or merchandise requested.	(7-1-93)
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	d.	The method of payment.	(7-1-93)
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# BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES State Board of Morticians

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application for licensure, the applicant must submit the following to the Board:

<del>(3-16-04)</del>

- **a.** Detailed information regarding the retort specifically documenting that the retort and accompanying equipment is listed by an approved testing agency as listed in the Uniform Fire Code; (3-16-04)
- **b.** One (1) set of blueprints for the proposed new construction or remodeling where the retort is to be located. The blueprints must be approved by the local building department as being in compliance with applicable building codes and ordinances; and (3-16-04)
- e. A copy of the permit issued by the Department of Environmental Quality indicating compliance with air quality standards. (3-16-04)

# **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

# 24.09.01 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-0901-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-1604, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Change would allow continuing education requirements to be waived for the first renewal of the license and clarify the setting for trainees in the administrators-in-training program.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes are for clarification purposes.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220 Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 Fax (208) 334-3945

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-0901-0701

#### 200. EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING REQUIREMENTS (RULE 200).

01. Educational Requirements. In order to be credited toward the educational requirements of the

# BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators

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Act, a seminar or course of study must be relevant to nursing home administration as determined by the Board and sponsored by accredited universities or colleges, State or National health related associations, and/or approved by NCERS (National Continuing Education Review Service). (7-1-93)

- **02. Requirements for License Renewal**. The department shall refuse to renew a Nursing Home Administrators license unless the required fee is accompanied by evidence of having met the educational and training requirement set forth in these rules on the form provided for that purpose by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses.
- **03. Renewal of License.** Applicants for renewal of license shall be required to attend a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours of courses approved under Subsection 200.01 within the preceding twelve-month (12) period. <u>Licensees shall not be required to comply with this requirement during the first year in which they become licensed under this chapter.

  (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)</u>
- **04. Credit Received Toward Renewal of License**. Credit received toward renewal of license may not be used again toward renewal of license for another license year. (7-1-98)

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 400. NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS-IN-TRAINING (RULE 400).

- **01. Related Health Care Field.** "Related health care field" shall mean a field in health care related to administration. (7-1-93)
- **O2. Trainees.** Trainees must work on a full time basis <u>in any capacity</u> in an Idaho licensed nursing home <u>setting</u>. Full time shall be a forty (40) hour per week work schedule with consideration for normal leave taken. Failure to comply with this rule or Section 54-1610, Idaho Code, shall not receive credit as a Nursing Home Administrator-In-Training.

  (4-6-05)(\_\_\_\_)
- **a.** Each trainee shall register with the Board as a Nursing Home Administrator-In-Training (AIT) by submitting an application provided by the Board together with the required fee. The effective date of each AIT program shall be the date the Board approves the application. (3-13-02)
- **b.** Quarterly reports for those trainees employed in a nursing home must reflect that the preceptor of the trainee has instructed, assisted and given assignments as deemed necessary to fulfill the requirements of Subsection 400.03. (7-1-98)
- **03. Nursing Home Administrator-in-Training Requirements**. A Nursing Home Administrator-in-Training shall be required to train in all phases of nursing home administration including the following: (7-1-93)

a.	Resident Care Management.	(7-1-9)	98)	
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- **b.** Personnel Management. (7-1-93)
- c. Financial Management. (7-1-93)
- **d.** Environmental Management. (7-1-98)
- e. Meeting Regulations and Governing Entities Directives. (7-1-98)
- **f.** Organizational Management. (7-1-98)
- g. Completion of a specialized course of study in nursing home long-term health care administration approved by NAB or otherwise approved by the Board. (4-6-05)

**04. Facility Administrator.** The trainee must spend no less than thirty-two (32) hours a month with the preceptor in a training and/or observational situation in the six (6) areas of nursing home administration as outlined in Subsection 400.03. Quarterly reports must reflect particular emphasis on the six (6) phases of nursing home administration during the time spent in the nursing home. (5-3-03)

# 05. Preceptor Certification.

(7-1-93)

- **a.** A nursing home administrator who serves as a preceptor for a nursing home administrator-intraining must be certified by the Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators. The Board will certify the Idaho licensed nursing home administrator to be a preceptor who: (7-1-98)
- i. Is currently practicing as a nursing home administrator and who has practiced a minimum of two (2) consecutive years as a nursing home administrator; and (7-1-98)
- ii. Who successfully completes a six (6) clock hour preceptor orientation course approved by the Board. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The orientation course will cover the philosophy, requirements and practical application of the nursing home administrator-in-training program and a review of the six (6) phases of nursing home administration as outlined in Subsection 400.03. (7-1-93)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.11.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-1101-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-605, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Revise examination rules to allow for consideration of the national board examination and the acceptable passing grade, establish a deadline for pending applications, and revise the continuing education courses that the board will accept.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes should not create controversy.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007

Tana Cory, Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220 Phone (208) 334-3233 / Fax (208) 334-3945

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1101-0701

# 400. LICENSURE BY EXAMINATION (RULE 400).

**O1.** Examination of Applicants. Examination of applicants shall be conducted by the whole board or by its designated agents or representatives. All applicants must successfully pass all parts of the national board examination given by the National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners.

(7-1-97)

- **02.** Exam Required for Licensure. No person shall be granted a license to practice podiatry without first receiving a passing grade on an examination given by the board and consisting of those subjects outlined in Section 54-606, Idaho Code.

  (3-13-02)
- 03. Exam Dates. Examinations shall be held at Boise, Idaho, no less than annually and at such times and places as the board shall direct. (4-11-06)
- **National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners for the examination with** a general average of not less than seventy percent (70%).
- **95.** Failure of Exam. An applicant failing the examination shall be entitled within six (6) months to a reexamination upon the payment of an additional fee as established in Section 300. (3-13-02)
- **96.** Failure of Reexam. An applicant who fails the examination on two (2) such reexaminations shall exhaust his privilege under his original application.

  (9-28-94)
- **07.** Original Application. The original application will be considered null and void after a period of two (2) years from date of original application if no license has been issued.

  (7-1-97)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

403. -- 44<u>0</u>9. (RESERVED).

#### 410. ORIGINAL APPLICATION (RULE 410).

The original application will be considered null and void after a period of two (2) years from date of original application if no license has been issued.

#### 411. -- 449. (RESERVED).

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 700. CONTINUING EDUCATION (RULE 700).

- **91. Post Graduate Education Requirement for License Renewal**. Each podiatrist licensed by the state of Idaho shall attend in each twelve (12) month period preceding the renewal of a license to practice podiatry in Idaho, a minimum of twelve (12) full hours of post-graduate podiatry education courses *approved by the Board*. No more than six (6) hours may be home study. Courses must be germane to the practice of podiatry; and (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
  - <u>a.</u> Approved by the Council on Podiatric Medical Education; or
  - **b.** Otherwise approved by the Board.
- **O2. Submission of License Renewal Application Form.** Each licensed Idaho podiatrist will be furnished a license renewal application form by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses on which each podiatrist shall be required to certify by signed affidavit that compliance with the continuing education requirements has been met and shall submit the renewal application together with the required fees to the Bureau. (3-15-02)
- **03. Verification of Attendance**. It shall be necessary for each licensee to maintain verification of attendance by securing authorized signatures or other documentation from the course instructors or sponsoring institution substantiating any and all hours attended by the applicant. This verification shall be maintained by the licensee and provided to the Board upon the request of the Board or its agent. The Board will conduct random audits to monitor compliance. (3-15-02)

# **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.14.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK EXAMINERS

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-1401-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-3204, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To clarify supervision of social workers in state and out of state and supervisor registration requirements. Update examination titles and update terminology in public policy and code of professional conduct.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because changes are necessary to protect the public in regards to qualified supervised experience and code of conduct.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

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# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1401-0701

#### 201. PRACTICE OF SOCIAL WORK.

01. Baccalaureate Social Work. The application of social work theory, knowledge, methods, and

ethics to restore or enhance social or psychosocial functioning of individuals, couples, families, groups, organizations, and communities. Baccalaureate social work is a generalist practice that includes assessment, planning, intervention, evaluation, case management, information and referral, supportive counseling, supervision, and consultation with clients. Baccalaureate social work also includes advocacy, education, community organization, and the development, implementation and administration of policies, programs, and activities. Bachelor level social workers are prohibited from performing psychotherapy. (3-20-04)

- **Master's Social Work**. The application of social work theory, knowledge, methods and ethics, and the professional use of self to restore or enhance social, psychosocial or biopsychosocial functioning of individuals, couples, families, groups, organizations, and communities. Master's social work requires the application of specialized knowledge and advanced practice skills in the areas of assessment, treatment planning, implementation and evaluation, case management, information and referral, supportive counseling, supervision and consultation with clients, advocacy, teaching, research, community organization, and the development, implementation, and administration of policies, programs, and activities. Master level social workers who do not hold clinical licensure may provide psychotherapy only under the supervision of a licensed clinical social worker, psychologist, or psychiatrist and in accordance with an approved supervision plan. (3-20-04)
- O3. Clinical Social Work. The practice of clinical social work is a specialty within the practice of master's social work and requires the application of specialized clinical knowledge and advanced clinical skills in the areas of assessment, diagnosis, and treatment of mental, emotional, and behavioral disorders, conditions and addictions. Clinical social work is based on knowledge and theory of psychosocial development, behavior, psychopathology, motivation, interpersonal relationships, environmental stress, social systems, and cultural diversity, with particular attention to person-in-environment. It shares with all social work practice the goal of enhancement and maintenance of psychosocial functioning of individuals, families, and small groups. Clinical social work includes, but is not limited to, individual, couples, family and group psychotherapy, and includes independent and private practice.

  (3-20-04)
- **04. Private Practice of Social Work**. As defined in Section 54-3207, Idaho Code, is that independent practice in which an individual sets up and maintains responsibility for the contractual conditions of payment with clients, agencies, or institutions. (5-3-03)
- **05. Employment of a Social Worker**. A social worker employed directly by a physician, psychologist or other social worker, or by a public or private agency, institution, hospital, nursing home, rehabilitation center, or any similar facility, is not to be considered within the definition of an independent practitioner. Furthermore, a social worker who contracts with an agency or institution that assumes full responsibility for and supervises the services provided to clients is not considered to be a private practitioner. (5-3-03)
- Of. Supervision. Supervised experience shall be required for both independent practice status and clinical licensure. Consultative-teaching supervision is directed toward enhancement and improvement of the individual's social work values, knowledge, methods, and techniques. A total of three thousand (3,000) hours of supervised social work experience accumulated in not less than two (2) years is required. Actual supervisor contact shall be face-to-face and provided by a qualified and experienced professional working in the same area of practice and must occur on a regular and on-going basis and consist of a minimum of one hundred hours (100) hours. Ratio of supervisor/supervisee shall not exceed two (2) social workers to one (1) supervisor per hour of supervision. Group supervision totaling no more than fifty (50) hours will be allowed for groups of no more than six (6) persons and the allowable credit shall be prorated at the two to one (2 to 1) ratio (total session minutes divided by total supervisees multiplied by two (2) equals maximum allowable credit per supervisee for the session. i.e. an individual attending a one (1) hour group supervisory session consisting of six (6) supervisees shall be allowed twenty (20) minutes of group supervision credit). Supervisors must hold a degree in social work and a current license in good standing, except as noted in Subsection 201.086.c.
- **a.** Supervision of baccalaureate social workers pursuing licensure as independent practitioners must be provided by a licensed social worker approved to provide independent practice at the baccalaureate, masters, or clinical level. (3-20-04)
- **b.** Supervision of masters social workers pursuing licensure as independent practitioners must be provided by a licensed social worker approved to provide independent practice at the masters or clinical level.

(5-3-03)

- c. Supervision of social workers pursuing licensure as clinical level practitioners must be provided by either a licensed clinical social worker who is registered as a supervisor, a licensed clinical psychologist, a person licensed to practice medicine and surgery who practices in the area of psychiatry, a licensed clinical professional counselor registered as a supervisor by the Idaho Licensing Board of Professional Counselors and Marriage and Family Therapists or a licensed marriage and family therapist registered as a supervisor by the Idaho Licensing Board of Professional Counselors and Marriage and Family Therapists and must focus on clinical social work as defined. No less than fifty percent (50%) of supervised experience must be provided by a licensed clinical social worker registered as a supervisor. A social worker pursuing licensure at the clinical level must document one thousand seven hundred fifty (1,750) hours of direct client contact of the required three thousand (3,000) hours in clinical social work as defined.
- d. Supervision reports shall be submitted from each supervisor directly to the Board within thirty (30) days following each six (6) month period. Failure of the supervisor to submit the required reports in a timely manner may result in the supervisor being restricted by the Board from providing further supervision. (3-20-04)
- **O7. Supervised Practice Required.** To be eligible for licensure as an independent practitioner a candidate must: (5-3-03)
  - **a.** Meet the requirements set forth in Subsection 201.086;

<del>(3-20-04)</del>(

- **b.** Develop a plan for supervision that must be approved by the Board prior to commencement of supervision. Prior to a change in supervisors, the supervisee must notify the Board and the change must be approved by the Board prior to the commencement of supervision by the new supervisor; and (5-3-03)
  - **c.** Not have more than two (2) supervisors at any given time.

(5-3-03)

Out-of-State Supervised Experience. The Board may consider supervised experience obtained outside the state of Idaho submitted for Idaho license purposes. Supervised experience must be provided by a licensed clinical social worker, licensed marriage and family therapist, licensed clinical psychologist, or a person licensed to practice medicine and surgery who practices in the area of psychiatry. No less than fifty percent (50%) of supervised experience must be provided by a licensed clinical social worker. The applicant must meet the other requirements of supervised practice as set forth in these rules.

#### 202. SOCIAL WORK SUPERVISOR REGISTRATION (RULE 202).

Effective January 1, 2007, Idaho licensed social workers shall be registered with the Board in order to provide postgraduate supervision for those individuals pursuing licensure in Idaho as a clinical social worker. (4-11-06)

## 01. Requirements for Registration.

(3-14-05)

- a. Document at least two (2) years experience as a licensed clinical social worker.
- (4-11-06)
- **b.** Have not been the subject of any disciplinary action for five (5) years prior to application for registration. (3-14-05)
- c. Document fifteen (15) contact hours of education in <u>clinical</u> supervisor training as approved by the Board.  $\frac{(4-11-06)(}{}$
- **02. Registration**. A supervisor applicant shall submit to the Bureau a completed application form as approved by the board. (3-14-05)
- **a.** Upon receipt of a completed application verifying compliance with the requirements for registration as a supervisor, the applicant shall be registered as a supervisor. (3-14-05)
- **b.** A supervisor's registration shall be valid only so long as the individual's clinical social worker license remains current and in good standing. (3-14-05)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 350. EXAMINATIONS, ENDORSEMENT, AND BOARD MEETINGS (RULE 350).

Examinations will be conducted by the board for qualified applicants for social work licensing and board meetings will be held to conduct other business. Applications for examination may be reviewed and approved by a designated Board member upon determination that the applicant meets the qualifications for examination. Approval to sit for examination does not obligate the Board to issue a license if it is later determined that the applicant does not meet the requirements for licensure. (3-20-04)

- **01. Board Meetings.** Board meetings will be held at least three (3) times each year at such times and places as the board deems necessary. (5-3-03)
- **02. Exam Utilized**. The Board utilizes the uniform, nationally standardized examination of the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB). (5-3-03)
  - **a.** Bachelor level candidates shall be required to successfully pass the  $\frac{basic}{bachelor's}$  examination.  $\frac{(5-3-03)}{(5-3-03)}$
- **b.** Masters level candidates shall be required to successfully pass the *intermediate* master's examination.
  - c. Clinical level candidates shall be required to successfully pass the clinical examination. (5-3-03)
- **03. Dates of Exams**. Examination at all levels of social work licensing will be conducted on dates established for national administration. (7-1-93)
- **04. Graduation Date to Qualify for Exam.** Candidates for examination who can satisfy the board that they will be graduating at the end of the spring, summer or fall terms of any given year, may qualify for examination at the established testing period immediately preceding the date of graduation. (5-24-95)
- **05. Exemption from Exam.** An applicant who has been tested for licensure utilizing an acceptable examination will be exempt from the Idaho examination if the applicant received a converted score of seventy (70) based upon a criterion reference examination. (7-1-93)
- **06. Endorsement**. The Board may grant a license to any person who submits a completed application on a form approved by the Board together with the required fees and who: (5-3-03)
- **a.** Holds a current, active social work license, at the level for which a license is being sought, issued by the authorized regulatory entity in another state or country, the certification of which must be received directly by the Board from the issuing agency; and (3-20-04)
- **b.** Has not been disciplined within the last five (5) years, had a license revoked, suspended, restricted, or otherwise sanctioned by any regulatory entity and has never voluntarily surrendered a license; and (5-3-03)
- **c.** Is of good moral character and has not been convicted, found guilty, or received a withheld judgment or suspended sentence for any felony; and (5-3-03)
- **d.** Has successfully passed an examination, as referenced in Subsection 350.02, or an examination provided by the Professional Examination Service (PES) at the clinical social worker and social worker level or the Education Testing Service (ETS) examination; and

  (5-3-03)
- **e.** Has certified under oath to abide by the laws and rules governing the practice of social work in Idaho and the code of professional conduct. (5-3-03)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 450. STATEMENT OF PUBLIC POLICY AND CODE OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT (RULE 450).

The profession of social work is dedicated to serving people; the professional relationship between social workers and clients thus shall be governed by the highest moral and ethical values. The client is in a vulnerable role that extends beyond the time frame of actual services. In both social and professional interactions, this vulnerability shall be taken into consideration whether the person is currently or has been a client. Following is the Code of Professional Conduct:

(5-24-95)

# 01. The Social Worker's Ethical Responsibility to Clients.

(7-1-93)

- **a.** For the purpose of this Code of Professional Conduct, a client is anyone for whom the social worker provides social work services directly or indirectly through consultations, staffings, or supervision with other professionals. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** The social worker shall not commit fraud nor misrepresent services performed. (7-1-93)
- **c.** The social worker shall not solicit the clients of an agency for which they provide services for his private practice. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The social worker shall not divide a fee or accept or give anything of value for receiving or making a referral. (7-1-93)
- **e.** The social worker shall provide clients with accurate and complete information regarding the extent and nature of the services available to them. (7-1-93)
- f. The social worker shall terminate service to clients, and professional relationships with them, when such service and relationships are no longer required or in which a conflict of interest arises. (7-1-93)
- **g.** A social worker shall not violate a position of trust by knowingly committing any act detrimental to a client. (7-1-93)
- **h.** A social worker shall not exploit their professional relationships with clients (or former clients), supervisees, supervisors, students, employees, or research participants, sexually or otherwise. Social workers shall not condone or engage in sexual harassment. Sexual harassment is defined as deliberate or repeated comments, gestures, or physical contacts of a sexual nature that are unwelcomed by the recipient. (7-1-93)
- **i.** A social worker shall not engage in sexual acts with a client or with a person who has been a client within the past three (3) years. A social worker shall not provide social work services to a person with whom he/she has had a sexual relationship. (7-1-93)

#### 02. The Social Worker's Conduct and Comportment as a Social Worker. (7-1-93)

- **b.** Social workers shall not undertake any activity in which their personal problems are likely to lead to inadequate performance or harm to a client, colleague, student, or research participant. If engaged in such activity when they become aware of their personal problems, they shall seek competent professional assistance to determine whether they should suspend, terminate, or limit the scope of their professional activities. (7-1-93)
- c. A social worker shall not provide social work service practice while under the influence of impaired by medication, alcohol, or other mind-altering or mood-altering drugs, which impair delivery of services or other chemicals. A social worker shall not practice under a mental or physical condition that impairs the ability to practice safely.

  (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **d.** A social worker shall not repeatedly fail to keep scheduled appointments. (7-1-93)
- **e.** The social worker who anticipates the termination or interruption of service to clients shall notify clients promptly and seek the transfer, referral, or continuation of services in relation to the clients' needs and preferences. (7-1-93)
- **f.** The social worker shall attempt to make appropriate referrals as indicated by the client's need for services. (7-1-93)
- g. A social worker shall obtain the client's or legal guardian's informed written consent when a client is to be involved in any research project. A social worker shall explain the research, including any implications.

  (7-1-93)
- **h.** The social worker shall obtain informed consent of clients before taping, recording, or permitting third party observation of their activities. (7-1-93)
- i. A social worker shall safeguard information given by clients in providing client services. Except when required by law or judicial order, a social worker shall obtain the client's informed written consent before releasing confidential information from the setting or facility except for compelling reasons defined as but not limited to:

  (7-1-93)
- i. Consultation with another professional on behalf of the client thought to be dangerous to self or others; (7-1-93)
  - ii. Duty to warn pursuant to Chapter 19, Title 6, Idaho Code; (5-24-95)
  - iii. Child abuse and sexual molestation pursuant to Chapter 16, Title 16, Idaho Code; and (5-24-95)
  - iv. Any other situation in accordance with statutory requirements. (7-1-93)
- **j.** A social worker shall report any violation of the law or rules, including Code of Professional Conduct, by a person certified under Chapter 32, Title 54, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
- **03. Competent Practice for Social Workers**. All social workers shall practice in a competent manner consistent with their level of education, training and experience. (3-20-04)
- **a.** A social worker shall only represent himself and practice within the boundaries of his education, training, licensure level, supervision, and other relevant professional experience. (3-20-04)
- **b.** A social worker shall only practice within new areas or use new intervention techniques or approaches after engaging in appropriate study, training, consultation, or supervision. (3-20-04)
- **c.** A social worker shall exercise careful judgement, when generally recognized standards do not exist with respect to an emerging area of practice, and take responsible steps to ensure the competence of his practice. (3-20-04)
- **04. The Advertising Rules for Social Workers**. No social worker shall disseminate or cause the dissemination of any advertisement or advertising which is any way fraudulent, false, deceptive or misleading. Any advertisement or advertising shall be deemed by the board to be fraudulent, false, deceptive, or misleading if it:

  (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Contains a misrepresentation of fact; or

**b.** Is misleading or deceptive because in its content or in the context in which it is presented it makes only a partial disclosure of relevant facts. More specifically, it is misleading and deceptive for a social worker to advertise free services or services for a specific charge when in fact the social worker is transmitting a higher charge

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for the advertised services to a third party payor for payment or charges the patient or a third party. It is misleading and deceptive for a social worker or a group of social workers to advertise a social work referral service or bureau unless the advertisement specifically names each of the individual social workers who are participating in the referral service or bureau.

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- c. Creates false or unjustified expectations of beneficial treatment or successful outcomes; or (7-1-93)
- **d.** Fails to identify conspicuously the social worker or social workers referred to in the advertising as a social worker or social workers; or (7-1-93)
- **e.** Contains any representation or claims, as to which the social worker, referred to in the advertising, fails to perform; or (7-1-93)
- **f.** Contains any representation which identifies the social worker practice being advertised by a name which does not include the terms "social worker," "social work," or some easily recognizable derivation thereof; or (7-1-93)
- g. Contains any representation that the practitioner has received any license or recognition by the state of Idaho or its authorized agents, which is superior to the license and recognition granted to any social worker who successfully meets the licensing requirements of Chapter 32, Title 54, Idaho Code; or (7-1-93)
- **h.** Appears in any classified directory, listing, or compendium under a heading, which when considered together with the advertisement, has the capacity or tendency to be deceptive or misleading with respect to the profession or professional status of the social worker; or (7-1-93)
  - i. Contains any other representation, statement, or claim which is misleading or deceptive. (7-1-93)

# **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

# 24.15.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO LICENSING BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

# **DOCKET NO. 24-1501-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-3404, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To clarify the qualifications for professional counselor license, update accrediting bodies for correct titles, clarify supervision requirements for marriage and family therapists, clarify that interns must be registered prior to commencement of supervised experience, add renewal fees for inactive license status and senior status, clarify endorsement continuing education, create inactive status and senior status, and clarify continuing education exemption for inactive status.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

There could be an impact on dedicated funds which is dependant on the number of licensees requesting inactive or senior status. Current renewal fees are \$100. Inactive status would be \$50 and Senior status would be \$60, so there would be a minimal decrease in revenues for the board.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because there was no controversy on the changes.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St., Ste. 220, Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 / Fax (208)334-3945

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1501-0701

#### 150. QUALIFICATIONS FOR PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR LICENSURE (RULE 150).

Licensure as a "professional counselor" shall be restricted to persons who have successfully completed the required examination and each of the following requirements: (3-30-06)

- **01. Graduate Program Requirement.** A planned graduate program of sixty (60) semester hours which is primarily counseling in nature, six (6) semester hours of which are earned in an advanced counseling practicum, and including a graduate degree in a counseling field from an accredited university or college offering a graduate program in counseling. (7-1-93)
- **a.** A planned graduate program in a counseling field shall be defined as completion of one (1) of the following: (7-1-93)
- i. A counseling program accredited or approved by the National Council for accreditation of Teacher Education or a counseling program listed in the Interstate List of Approved Programs; or (7-1-93)
- i<del>.</del> A counseling program approved by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs; or (7-1-93)
  - iii. A counseling program approved by the Council on Rehabilitation Education; or (7-1-93)
- i<u>vii</u>. A counseling program approved by the Board which shows evidence of education in the following areas: Counseling Theory, Counseling Techniques and Supervised Counseling Experience (this practicum must be supervised at the ratio of at least one (1) hour of one-to-one supervision for every ten (10) hours of experience in the setting) and a minimum of one graduate level course in at least six (6) of the following eight (8) areas:<del>(7-1-93)</del>( )
- (1) Human growth and development: Includes studies that provide a broad understanding of the nature and needs of individuals at all developmental levels. Emphasis is placed on psychological, sociological, and physiological approaches. Also included are areas such as human behavior (normal and abnormal), personality theory, and learning theory.

  (7-1-93)
- (2) Social and cultural foundations: Includes studies of change, ethnic groups, subcultures, changing roles of women, sexism, urban and rural societies, population patterns, cultural mores, use of leisure time, and differing life patterns. (7-1-93)
- (3) The helping relationship: Includes philosophic bases of the helping relationship: Consultation theory and/or an emphasis on the development of counselor and client (or consultee) self-awareness and self-understanding. (7-1-93)
- (4) Groups: Includes theory and types of groups, as well as descriptions of group practices, methods dynamics, and facilitative skills. It includes either a supervised practice and/or a group experience. (7-1-93)
- (5) Life-style and career development: Includes areas such as vocational-choice theory, relationship between career choice and life-style, sources of occupational and educational information, approaches to career decision-making processes, and career-development exploration techniques. (7-1-93)
- (6) Appraisal of the individual: Includes the development of a framework for understanding the individual, including methods of data gathering and interpretation, individual and group testing, case-study approaches and the study of individual differences. Ethnic, cultural, and sex factors are also considered. (7-1-93)
- (7) Research and evaluation: Includes areas such as statistics, research design, and development of research and demonstration proposals. It also includes understanding legislation relating to the development of research, program development, and demonstration proposals, as well as the development and evaluation of program objectives.

  (7-1-93)
- (8) Professional orientation: Includes goals and objectives of professional counseling organizations, codes of ethics, legal consideration, standards of preparation, certification, and licensing and role of identity of

counselors. (7-1-93)

- **b.** A total of at least sixty (60) graduate semester hours or ninety (90) graduate quarter hours shall be required. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** Advanced counseling practicum shall be practica taken at the graduate school level. (7-1-93)
- **d.** A graduate degree shall be one of the following beyond the baccalaureate level: The master's degree, the educational specialist certificate or degree, or the doctor's degree. (7-1-93)
- **e.** An accredited university or college shall be a college or university accredited by one (1) of the following: the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the New England State Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and Colleges, the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the Northwest Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and Of Colleges and Universities, the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, or the Western College Association of Schools and Colleges.

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- **O2. Supervised Experience Requirement.** One thousand (1,000) hours of supervised experience in counseling acceptable to the Board. (7-1-93)
- a. One thousand (1,000) hours is defined as one thousand (1,000) clock hours of experience working in a counseling setting, four hundred (400) hours of which shall be direct client contact. Supervised experience in practica and/or internships taken at the graduate level may be utilized. The supervised experience shall include a minimum of one (1) hour of face-to-face or one-to-one (1/1) or one-to-two (1/2) consultation with the supervisor for every twenty (20) hours of job/internship experience. Face-to-face may include a face-to-face setting provided by a live video connection between the supervisor and supervisee. As stated under Subsection 150.01.a.iv. counseling practicum experience as opposed to job or internship experience shall be supervised at a ratio of one (1) hour of supervision for every ten (10) hours in the settings. For example:
- i. A person in a twenty (20) hour per week job/internship who is receiving one (1) hour of individual supervision each week would accumulate one thousand (1,000) supervised hours in fifty (50) weeks to equal the twenty to one (20/1) ratio. (7-1-93)
- ii. A person in a forty (40) hour per week setting with one (1) hour of supervision per week would still require fifty (50) weeks to equal the twenty to one (20/1) ratio. (7-1-93)
- iii. A person in a forty (40) hour per week setting with two (2) hours of supervision per week would accumulate the one thousand (1,000) hours at the twenty to one (20/1) supervision ratio in twenty-five (25) weeks.

  (7-1-93)
- b. Until July 1, 2004, the supervision must be provided by a Professional Counselor or a Clinical Professional Counselor licensed by the state of Idaho. Effective July 1, 2004, postgraduate supervision must be provided by a Professional Counselor, a Clinical Professional Counselor or a Marriage and Family Therapist licensed by the state of Idaho and registered with the Board as a Supervisor. If the applicant's supervision was provided in another state, it must have been provided by a counseling professional licensed by that state, provided the requirements for licensure in that state are substantially equivalent to the requirements of Title 54, Chapter 34, Idaho Code. If supervision was obtained prior to July 1, 1988, or in a state that does not regulate counseling, that supervision must have been provided by a qualified counselor educator as a part of a planned graduate program or by a person who holds a graduate degree beyond the baccalaureate level who is certified and/or licensed as a counselor, social worker, psychologist, or psychiatrist. Supervision by an administrative superior who is not in a counseling related profession is not acceptable to the Board. Supervision by a professional counseling peer, however, may be acceptable to the Board if the peer/supervisory relationship includes the same controls and procedures expected in an internship setting. (See Subsection 150.02.a.) For example, the relationship should include the staffing of cases, the critiquing of counseling tapes and this supervision must be conducted in a formal, professional, consistent manner on a regularly scheduled basis.
  - **c.** Experience in counseling is defined as assisting individuals or groups, through the counseling

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relationship, to develop an understanding of personal problems, to define goals, and to plan action reflecting interests, abilities, aptitudes, and needs as related to persona-social concerns, educational progress, and occupations and careers. Counseling experience may include the use of appraisal instruments, referral activities, and research findings.

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**d.** The Board shall consider the recommendation of the supervisor(s) when determining the acceptability of the applicant's supervised experience. (4-2-03)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 238. MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS (RULE 238).

The following requirements must be met for marriage and family therapist licensure:

(3-13-02)

- **O1. Graduate Degree**. Possess a graduate degree as outlined in Section 54-3405C(1), Idaho Code. (3-13-02)
- **O2. Practicum**. Must meet the requirements as outlined in Section 54-3405C(2), Idaho Code. (3-13-02)
- **O3.** Supervised Marriage and Family Therapy Experience. Must meet the three thousand (3,000) hour requirement as outlined in Section 54-3405C(3), Idaho Code. Effective July 1, 2004, a Marriage and Family Therapist must be registered with the Board to provide post graduate supervision. (4-2-03)
- **a.** A minimum of two thousand (2,000) postgraduate direct client contact hours, in no less than a two (2) year time period shall include; (3-13-02)
  - i. A minimum one thousand (1,000) direct client contact hours with couples and families; and (3-13-02)
  - ii. Two hundred (200) hours of supervision. (3-13-02)
- **b.** Supervision <u>must may</u> be obtained from a registered marriage and family therapist supervisor. <u>or Supervision may also be obtained from</u> a licensed clinical professional counselor registered with the Board, licensed psychologist, licensed clinical social worker registered with the Board of Social Work Examiners, or licensed psychiatrist who documents: (3-30-07)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - i. A minimum of five (5) years of experience providing marriage and family therapy; and (3-20-04)
  - ii. Fifteen (15) contact hours of education in supervisor training; and (3-20-04)
- iii. Has not been the subject of any disciplinary action for five (5) years immediately prior to providing supervision. (3-20-04)
- **c.** No more than one hundred (100) hours of group supervision shall be allowed. Group supervision shall be defined as no more than six (6) supervisees per each supervisor; and (3-13-02)
  - **d.** Individual supervision is defined as up to two (2) supervisees per supervisor; and (3-13-02)
- **e.** Supervision must employ the use of audio technologies or video technologies or co-therapy, or live supervision; and (3-13-02)
- **f.** In accordance with the adopted Codes of Ethics prohibiting dual relationships, a supervisor shall not act as an applicant's personal Professional Counselor/Therapist. (3-13-02)

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**g.** The Board shall consider the recommendation of the supervisor(s) when determining the acceptability of the applicant's supervised experience. (4-2-03)

**04.** Examination. (3-13-02)

- **a.** The Board requires successful passage of the National Marital and Family Therapy Examination as approved by the Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Boards (AMFTRB). (3-13-02)
  - **b.** The examination will be conducted at a time and place specified by the Board. (3-13-02)
- **c.** Successful passage of the examination is defined by the Board as achievement of the passing score set by the AMFTRB. Reexamination shall consist of the entire examination. (3-13-02)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 245. REGISTERED INTERNS (RULE 245).

An individual pursuing Idaho licensure as a Professional Counselor may register with the Board as an Intern. An individual pursuing Idaho licensure as a Marriage and Family Therapist shall register <u>prior to commencement of</u> supervised experience with the Board as an Intern in compliance with section 54-3402, Idaho Code. (4-2-03)(

#### 01. Requirements for Registration.

(4-2-03)

- **a.** Possess a graduate degree in counseling, marriage and family therapy, or a closely related field from an accredited university or college. (4-2-03)
  - **b.** Be actively pursuing postgraduate supervised experience.

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- **c.** Designate a supervisor who is registered as a supervisor or who is otherwise approved to provide marriage and family therapy supervision as defined in Section 54-3405C, Idaho Code, and who shall be responsible to provide supervision. (3-20-04)
- **02. Registration**. An individual applying for registration as a Counselor Intern or Marriage and Family Therapist Intern shall fully complete the application form as established by the Board and submit the designated fee as adopted by Board rule. (4-2-03)

**03.** Practice. (4-2-03)

- a. A Registered Intern may only practice counseling or marriage and family therapy under the direct supervision of a Counselor Supervisor or Marriage and Family Therapist Supervisor who shall be responsible to ensure that a Registered Intern is competent to practice such counseling or marriage and family therapy as may be provided.

  (4-2-03)
- **b.** Only a Registered Intern may use the title Counselor Intern or Marriage and Family Therapist Intern. (4-2-03)
- c. An individual shall not practice as an intern for more than four (4) years from the original date of registration. (4-2-03)
- 246. -- 249. (RESERVED).
- 250. FEES (RULE 250).
  - **01. Application Fee**. Application fee:

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- **a.** Professional Counselor -- seventy-five dollars (\$75). (3-13-02)
- **b.** Clinical Professional Counselor -- seventy-five dollars (\$75). (3-13-02)
- **c.** Marriage and Family Therapist -- seventy-five dollars (\$75). (3-13-02)
- **d.** Intern Registration -- twenty-five dollars (\$25). (4-2-03)
- **O2.** Professional Counselor and Marriage and Family Therapist Examination or Reexamination Fee. The Professional Counselor and Marriage and Family Therapist license examination or reexamination fee shall be the fee as set by the provider of the approved examination plus an administration fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25). (3-30-06)
- **03. Original License Fee**. Original license fee for Professional Counselor or Clinical Professional Counselor or Marriage and Family Therapist -- seventy-five dollars (\$75). (4-6-05)
- **04. Annual Renewal Fee.** Annual license renewal fee for Professional Counselor, Clinical Professional Counselor, or Marriage and Family Therapist -- one hundred dollars (\$100). (3-19-07)
- 05. Annual Renewal Fee for Inactive License. Annual license renewal fee for inactive Professional Counselor, Clinical Professional Counselor, or Marriage and Family Therapist -- fifty dollars (\$50).
- <u>06.</u> <u>Annual Renewal Fee for Senior Status.</u> Annual license renewal fee for senior Professional Counselor, Clinical Professional Counselor, or Marriage and Family Therapist -- sixty dollars (\$60).
  - **057. Fees are Non-Refundable**. All fees are non-refundable. (7-1-93)
- 251. -- 299. (RESERVED).

#### 300. ENDORSEMENT (RULE 300).

The Board may grant a license to any person who submits a completed application on a form approved by the board together with the required fees and who:

(3-13-02)

- **01**. **Holds a Current License**. The applicant must be the holder of a current active license, in the profession for which a license is being sought, issued by the authorized regulatory entity in another state or country, the certification of which must be received directly by the board from the issuing agency; and (3-13-02)
- **02. Has Not Been Disciplined**. The applicant must certify they have not been disciplined within the last five (5) years, had a license revoked, suspended, restricted, or otherwise sanctioned by any regulatory entity and has never voluntarily surrendered a license; and (3-13-02)
- **03. Is of Good Moral Character.** The applicant must certify they are of good moral character and have not been convicted, found guilty, or received a withheld judgment or suspended sentence for any felony; and (3-13-02)
- **04. Has Documented Experience.** The applicant must provide a documented record of at least five (5) years actual practice under licensure immediately prior to application in the profession for which a license is being sought, or can demonstrate hardship or extenuating circumstances that prohibited practice during a portion of the five (5) year period as determined by the board; and (3-13-02)
- **05. Will Abide by Laws, Rules and Code of Ethics**. The applicant must certify under oath to abide by the laws and rules governing the practice of counseling and marriage and family therapy in Idaho and the applicable code of ethics as adopted; and either (3-30-07)
- **06. National Credential Registry.** If applicant has been granted credentials by the American Association of State Counseling Boards as qualifying for Category II of the national credential registry or any such similar qualification granted by a national credentialing entity otherwise approved by the Board; or (3-30-07)

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five (5)	years im	reduces information. The applicant must document at least three (3) of the following mediately prior to application:	(3-13-02)
	a.	A minimum of one thousand (1,000) hours client contact;	(3-13-02)
		Service as an officer of a state or national counseling or marriage and family therapy org state or national counseling or marriage and family therapy board or committee, or other be approved by the Board;	
	c.	Teaching at least three (3) graduate courses for credit at an accredited college or university	ty; (3-13-02)
	d.	A certificate to supervise issued by the NBCC or AAMFT;	(3-13-02)
seeking	e. licensure	Providing at least twelve (12) months of supervision to each of no less than three (3);	3) persons (3-13-02)
filed;	f.	Maintained professional liability insurance for the previous five (5) years with proof of	no claims (3-13-02)
therapy	<b>g.</b> that is in	Obtained a post graduate degree in a field of study related to counseling or marriage addition to the minimum licensure requirements;	and family (3-13-02)
for whic	<b>h.</b> ch licensu	Current certification by a national credentialing entity as approved by the Board in the re is sought;	discipline (3-13-02)
the five	<b>i.</b> (5) years	Twenty (20) A total of one hundred (100) hours of continuing education per year for immediately prior to application.	
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#### 375. SENIOR STATUS (RULE 375).

	<u>01.</u>	Requst for Senior Status. Each person having attained the age of sixty-five (65) and requesting
senior	status duri	ng the renewal of their active license must submit a written request and pay the established fee.
	<u>02.</u>	Continuing Education. Continuing education must be completed annually per Section 425 of thi
<u>rule.</u>		<u>(                                    </u>
376	- 399.	(RESERVED).

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 425. CONTINUING EDUCATION (RULE 425).

Every person holding an Idaho license as a Professional Counselor, Clinical Professional Counselor or a Marriage and Family Therapist must annually complete twenty (20) contact hours of continuing education prior to license renewal. (3-30-06)

- **01. Contact Hours**. The contact hours of continuing education shall be obtained in areas of study germane to the practice for which the license is issued as approved by the Board. No less than three (3) contact hours for each renewal period shall be in ethics. (3-30-06)
- **O2. Documentation of Attendance**. It shall be necessary for the applicant to provide documentation verifying attendance by securing authorized signatures or other documentation from the course instructors, providers, or sponsoring institution substantiating any hours attended by the applicant. This documentation must be maintained by the applicant and provided to the Board upon request by the Board or its agent. (4-2-03)
- **03. Excess Hours**. Continuing education hours accumulated during the twelve (12) months immediately preceding the license expiration date may be applied toward meeting the continuing education requirement for the next license renewal. No more than five (5) hours in excess of the required twenty (20) hours shall be carried forward. Excess hours may be used only during the next renewal period and may not be carried forward more than one (1) time. (4-2-03)
- **O4. Compliance Audit.** The Board may conduct random continuing education audits of those persons required to obtain continuing education in order to renew a license and require that proof acceptable to the Board of meeting the continuing education requirement be submitted to the Bureau. Failure to provide proof of meeting the continuing education upon request of the Board shall be grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with section 54-3407, Idaho Code. (4-2-03)
- **05. Special Exemption**. The Board shall have authority to make exceptions for reasons of individual hardship, including health (certified by a medical doctor) or other good cause. The licensee must provide any information requested by the Board to assist in substantiating hardship cases. This exemption is granted at the sole discretion of the Board. There is no continuing education required of those holding a current inactive license.

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### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.16.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTURITRY

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-1601-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-3309, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To limit the length of an internship and create a standard for advertisements to ensure public safety.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes should not be controversial.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220 Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 Fax (208) 334-3945

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1601-0701

#### 300. INTERNSHIP (RULE 300).

01. Requirements and Conditions for Internship.

(3-10-00)

a. To be eligible for internship the applicant must have completed: (3-10-00)i. The educational requirements set forth in Section 54-3310(b), Idaho Code; or (3-10-00)ii. Have denturitry experience of three (3) years within the five (5) years immediately preceding application. (3-10-00) Where an internship is established based on experience, the internship is valid only while the intern b. is actively pursuing completion of Idaho licensure requirements. (3-10-00)Application shall be made on forms provided by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses and shall: c. (3-10-00)i. Document the location of practice; (3-10-00)ii. Include the name and address of the supervising denturist or dentist; (3-10-00)Include a sworn or affirmed statement by the supervising denturist or dentist; iii. (3-10-00)Include a sworn or affirmed statement by the supervisor accepting supervision of the intern; iv. (3-10-00)Include a sworn statement by applicant that he is knowledgeable of law and rules and will abide by all requirements of such law and rules; and (3-10-00)Include such other information necessary to establish applicant's qualifications for licensure as a denturist and establish compliance with pre-intern requirements. (3-10-00)Two (2) years of internship under the supervision of a licensed denturist shall be completed in not less than twenty-four (24) months and shall not exceed thirty (30) months except as approved by the board. Internship Equivalency. A person shall be considered to have the equivalent of two (2) years internship under a licensed denturist who has met and verifies one (1) of the following within the five (5) years immediately preceding application: (3-10-00)Two (2) years internship as a denture lab technician under a licensed dentist; or (3-10-00)b. Two (2) years in the military as a denture lab technician; or (3-10-00)c. Three (3) years experience as a denturist under licensure in another state or Canada. (3-10-00)**Internship Not to Exceed One Year.** Internship not to exceed one (1) year acquired through a 03. formal training program in an acceptable school will be accepted toward the two (2) year required internship for licensure.  $(7-\hat{1}-93)$ 04. **Training Requirements.** Each year of required internship shall consist of two thousand (2,000) clock hours of training and performance of the following minimum procedures for licensure. (7-1-93)Procedures shall include all steps required in constructing a finished denture but are not limited to a. the following: (7-1-93)i. Patient charting -- thirty-six (36) minimum. (7-1-93)ii. Operatory sanitation -- thirty-six (36) minimum. (7-1-93)iii. Oral examination -- thirty-six (36) minimum. (7-1-93)

iv.	Impressions, preliminary and final (pour models, custom trays) thirty-six (36) minimum	
		(7-1-93)
v.	Bite registrations twelve (12) minimum.	(7-1-93)
vi.	Articulations twelve (12) minimum.	(7-1-93)
vii.	Set ups twelve (12) minimum.	(7-1-93)
viii.	Try ins twelve (12) minimum.	(7-1-93)
ix.	Processing (wax up, flask-boil out, packing, grind-polish) thirty-six (36) minimum.	(7-1-93)
х.	Delivery-post adjustment thirty-six (36) minimum.	(7-1-93)
b.	Processed relines (one (1) plate = one (1) unit) twenty-four (24) units.	(7-1-93)
c.	Tooth repairs forty-eight (48) minimum.	(7-1-93)
d.	Broken or fractured plates or partials forty-eight (48) minimum.	(7-1-93)

- **05. Reporting Requirements.** Interns must file reports, attested to by the supervisor, with the board on forms provided by the Bureau of Occupational Licenses on a monthly basis and recapped at termination or completion of the training. (7-1-93)
  - **O6. Denture Clinic Requirements.** Denture clinic requirements for approved internship training: (7-1-93)
- **a.** There shall be not more than one (1) internee per licensed denturist or dentist who is practicing at the clinic on a full time basis. (7-1-93)
- **b.** There shall be a separate work station in the laboratory area for each intern with standard equipment, i.e. lathe, torch and storage space. The intern shall provide necessary hand tools to perform the duties of the denture profession. Use of the operatory facilities and other equipment will be shared with the intern. (7-1-93)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 450. STANDARDS OF CONDUCT AND PRACTICE (RULE 450).

**01.** Sanitation. (7-1-93)

- **a.** There shall be three (3) separate rooms; a reception room, and operatory room and a laboratory. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The operatory room shall have hot and cold running water, basin with approved disposal system; disinfectant soap; single-use towels, a cuspidor with running water and a closed waste receptacle. (8-24-94)
- c. The laboratory room shall have hot and cold running water, and basin with approved disposal system. (8-24-94)
- **d.** There shall be a method of sterilization and disinfection evident and in use to insure the protection of the public. (8-24-94)

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	e.	All floors, walls, ceiling and benches shall be kept in a sanitary cond	lition at all times.	(8-24-94)
	f.	Every patient shall have a separate and clean bib and a disposable cu	ıp.	(7-1-93)
	g.	Every denturist shall wear a clean and professional garment.		(7-1-93)
antisep	<b>h.</b> tic soap a	The hands of every denturist shall be washed in the presence of evend water. Every denturist shall wear disposable gloves.	ery patient with ge	ermicidal or (8-24-94)
approv	<b>i.</b> ed disposa	Adequate and conveniently located toilet facilities with hot and call system, soap and single use towels will be provided within the build		basin with (8-24-94)
the boa	<b>j.</b> ard or its a	All denturist offices shall be open to inspection anytime during the bigents.	ousiness hours to in	spection by (7-1-93)
	k.	All telephones must have emergency phone numbers placed on the to	elephone.	(7-1-93)
	02.	Office Standards.		(7-1-93)
work.	a.	Denturists shall take care to use proper sterilization and sanitation to	echniques in all pha	uses of their (7-1-93)
	b.	A complete record of each patient shall be kept.		(7-1-93)
	c.	All teeth and materials used shall meet ADA standards.		(7-1-93)
	<u>03.</u>	Advertisements.		()
which i	<b>a.</b> is any way	No denturist shall disseminate or cause the dissemination of any fraudulent, false, deceptive or misleading.	advertisement or	advertising ()
	0 <del>3</del> 4.	General Conditions.		(7-1-93)

Conditions deemed by investigators to be a menace to the public health will be brought to the

**b.** These Standards of Conduct and Practice shall be conspicuously posted in every licensed denturist's place of business. (7-1-93)

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attention of the board for consideration and immediate action.

(7-1-93)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.17.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-1701-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-4705, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This change will define accredited college or university and clarify requirements for certification due to statute changes during the 2007 legislative session.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the clarification is due to statute changes during the 2007 legislative session.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1701-0701

### 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 10).

**01. Board.** The State Board of Acupuncture as prescribed in Section 54-4704, Idaho Code. (3-10-00)

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- **02. Technician Certificate**. The category of license granted to a qualified applicant who meets the requirements pursuant to Section 54-4708, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **03. Certification**. The category of license granted to a qualified applicant who meets the requirements pursuant to Section 54-4707, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **04. License**. Any license, certification or technician certificate issued to a qualified applicant pursuant to IDAPA 24.17.01, "Rules of the State Board of Acupuncture," promulgated by the Board, permitting said applicant to practice acupuncture in the state of Idaho. (3-10-00)
- **05. Practitioner.** A person to whom a license, certification or technician certificate has been issued pursuant to Title 54, Chapter 47, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **06. Licensure/Licensed**. The category of license granted to a qualified applicant who meets the requirements pursuant to Section 54-4706, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **07. Approved Acupuncture Program**. A formal full-time acupuncture educational program that has met the standards of the Accreditation Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine or an equivalent educational body. An acupuncture program may be established as having satisfied this requirement by obtaining:

  (3-30-01)

**a.** Accreditation; or (3-30-01)

**b.** Candidacy for accreditation; or (3-30-01)

- **c.** An equivalent evaluation performed by a private, state government, or foreign government agency recognized for that purpose by the NCCAOM (National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine) Eligibility Committee. (3-30-01)
- **08. Didactic Course Work**. Educational instruction in acupuncture that is physically obtained in a classroom or laboratory setting, and when such instruction is obtained from, and in the presence of, a person credentialed as a qualified educator of acupuncture. (3-30-01)
- **09. Clinical Practice.** Practical experience in acupuncture that is physically obtained in a health care facility in order to meet the minimum requirements for licensure or certification. (3-30-01)
- **10. Bureau**. The Bureau of Occupational Licenses as prescribed in Sections 54-4705 and 67-2602, Idaho Code. (5-3-03)
- 11. Accredited College or University. An accredited college or university is a college or university accredited by an accrediting organization approved by the U.S. Department of Education.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 200. QUALIFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE (RULE 200).

- **01. Requirements for Licensure**. Applicants for licensure shall submit a complete application, required fee, and official certified documentation of either: (3-30-01)
  - **a.** Certification from NCCAOM; or (5-3-03)
- **b.** Graduation from an approved formal full-time acupuncture program of at least one thousand seven hundred twenty-five (1,725) hours of entry-level acupuncture education which includes a minimum of one thousand (1000) hours of didactic course work and five hundred (500) clinical hours practice; and (3-30-01)

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- **c.** Successful completion of an acupuncture internship, or other equivalent experience as approved by the Board; and (3-30-01)
  - **d.** Receipt of a passing grade on an NCCAOM Acupuncture certification examination; or (3-30-01)
- **e.** Other demonstration of proficiency as uniformly required by the Board for other similarly qualified applicants for licensure; and (3-30-01)
- **f.** Successful completion of a Blood Borne Pathogen course and comprehensive examination that incorporates clean needle techniques and OSHA procedures and requirements. (3-30-01)
- **02. Requirements for Certification.** Applicants for certification shall submit a complete application, required fee and official certified documentation of either: (3-30-01)
- **a.** Successful passage of an examination or other demonstration of proficiency as approved by the board; and
- **ab.** Successful completion of the requirements for full membership of the American Academy of Medical Acupuncture or fellowship of the International Academy of Medical Acupuncture, Inc.; or (3-30-01)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- <u>c.</u> Possess a doctoral degree in chiropractic, dentistry, podiatric medicine, or naturopathic medicine from a college or university accredited by an organization approved by the U.S. Department of Education or Idaho State Board of Education; and
- **bd.** Successful completion of a minimum of one hundred (100) hours of didactic course work, two hundred (200) hours of practice as a certified technician over a one (1) year period, twenty-five (25) case studies; and (3-30-01)
- **d.** Other demonstration of proficiency as uniformly required by the Board for other similarly qualified applicants for certification; and
- **ef.** Successful completion of a Blood Borne Pathogen course and comprehensive examination that incorporates clean needle techniques and OSHA procedures and requirements. (3-30-01)
- **03. Requirements for Acupuncture Technician Certificate**. Applicants for Acupuncture technician Certificate shall submit a complete application, required fee, and official certified documentation of either: (3-30-01)
- **a.** Successful completion of the requirements for clinical technician certificate from the International Academy of Medical Acupuncture, Inc.; or (3-10-00)
- **b.** Successful completion of a minimum of one hundred (100) hours of didactic course work within one (1) academic year; and (3-30-01)
- **c.** Successful completion of a Blood Borne Pathogen course and comprehensive examination that incorporates clean needle techniques and OSHA procedures and requirements; and (3-30-01)
- **d.** Receipt of a passing grade on a board approved examination leading to an Acupuncture Technician Certificate, or other demonstration of proficiency as may be uniformly required for other similarly qualified applicants as approved by the Board. (3-30-01)

#### **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.18.01 - RULES OF THE REAL ESTATE APPRAISER BOARD

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-1801-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 29, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-4106, Idaho Code, and Title XI, federal code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Changes will allow applicants currently working on the qualifications for licensure time to come into compliance with the new federal standards. Remove a section that is duplicated and clarify continuing education in compliance with federal requirements.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1) b, Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: Federal requirements under Title XI will change effective January 1, 2008. This change will allow those currently working toward licensure time to come into compliance with the new standards.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because changes are required to meet federal standards under Title XI.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 29th day August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-1801-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 10).

The definitions numbered one through twelve (1-12), appearing at Section 54-4104, Idaho Code are incorporated herein by reference as if set forth in full. (7-1-93)

- **O1.** Advisory Committee. A committee of state certified or licensed real estate appraisers appointed by the board to provide technical assistance relating to real estate appraisal standards and real estate appraiser experience, education and examination requirements that are appropriate for each classification of state certified or licensed real estate appraiser.

  (7-1-93)
- **02. Appraisal Foundation**. The Appraisal Foundation means the Appraisal Foundation established on November 30, 1987, as a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of Illinois. (7-1-97)
- **03. Appraiser Qualifications Board**. Appraiser Qualifications Board of the Appraisal Foundation establishes the qualifications criteria for licensing, certification and recertification of appraisers. (7-1-97)
- **04. Appraisal Standards Board**. The Appraisal Standards Board of the Appraisal Foundation develops, publishes, interprets and amends the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice (USPAP) on behalf of appraisers and users of appraisal services. (7-1-97)
- **05. Bureau**. The Bureau means the Bureau of Occupational Licenses, as prescribed in Sections 54-4106(2)(a) and 67-2601, Idaho Code. (3-13-02)
- **06. Chief**. The Bureau Chief of the Bureau of Occupational Licenses as established by Section 67-2602, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
  - **07. Classroom Hour.** Fifty (50) minutes out of each sixty (60) minute hour. (7-1-93)
- **08. Field Real Estate Appraisal Experience.** Personal inspections of real property, assembly and analysis of relevant facts, and by the use of reason and the exercise of judgement, formation of objective opinions as to the market or other value of such properties or interests therein and preparation of written appraisal reports or other memoranda showing data, reasoning, and conclusion. Professional responsibility for the valuation function is essential. (4-6-05)
- **69. FIRREA**. Title XI, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 was designed to ensure that more reliable appraisals are rendered in connection with federally related transactions.

  (7-1-93)
- **10. Nationally Recognized Appraisal Organization**. An appraisal organization which is a *member* sponsor of The Appraisal Foundation. (7-1-93)(8-29-07)T
- **11. Real Estate**. In addition to the previous definition in Section 54-4104(7), Idaho Code will also mean an identified parcel or tract of land, including improvements, if any. (7-1-93)
- **12. Real Property.** In addition to the previous definition in Section 54-4104(8), Idaho Code will also mean one or more defined interests, benefits, or rights inherent in the ownership of real estate. (7-1-93)
  - 13. Residential Unit. Real estate with a current highest and best use of a residential nature. (7-1-93)
- 14. Specialized Appraisal Services. Services which include situations in which an appraiser is employed or retained to provide appraisal services that do not fall within the defined term "appraisal assignments." Specialized appraisal services relate to the employer's or client's individual needs or investment objectives and commonly include specialized marketing and financing studies as well as analysis, opinions, and conclusions

rendered in connection with activities such as real estate brokerage, mortgage banking, and real estate counseling, including real estate tax counseling. (7-1-97)

- **15. Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice or USPAP.** Those uniform standards adopted by the Appraisal Foundation's Appraisal Standards Board. These standards may be altered, amended, interpreted, supplemented, or repealed by the Appraisal Standards Board (ASB) from time to time. (3-13-02)
- **16. USPAP Course**. For the purposes of licensure and license renewal, any reference to the approved USPAP course shall mean the National USPAP Course provided by Appraisal Qualifications Board Certified USPAP Instructors and Educational Providers. (4-6-05)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 250. REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE (RULE 250).

All applicants for licensure in any real estate appraiser classification must comply with the following education, experience and examination requirements in addition to meeting those requirements set forth in Sections 275, 300, 350, and 400 below. (4-11-06)

- **O1.** Education. If an individual has completed the education requirements on or before December 31, 2007, the individual must submit a complete application to the board before January 1, 2011. If an individual has not completed their educational requirement on or before December 31, 2007, or submits an application on January 1, 2011 or later, the individual must complete the educational requirements which became effective January 1, 2008 and any subsequent requirements adopted prior to the individual's application date. Effective July 1, 2006, hHours will be credited only for courses with content that follows the Required Core Curriculum as outlined by the Appraisal Qualification Board.

  (4-11-06)(8-29-07)T
- **a.** Credit toward the classroom hour requirement may only be granted where the length of the educational offering is at least fifteen (15) hours, and the individual successfully completes a closed-book examination pertinent to the educational offering. (4-11-06)
  - **b.** Credit for the classroom hour requirement may be obtained from the following: (7-1-97)
  - i. Colleges or Universities. (7-1-97)
  - ii. Community or Junior Colleges. (7-1-97)
  - iii. Courses approved by *T*the Appraisal Qualifications Board. (8-20-04)(8-29-07)T
  - iv. State or Federal Agencies or Commissions. (7-1-97)
  - v. Other providers approved by the Board. (7-1-97)
- **c.** Only those courses completed preceding the date of application will be accepted for meeting educational requirements. (3-18-99)
- **d.** Course credits that are obtained from the course provider by challenge examination without attending the course will not be accepted. (4-11-06)
- e. Various appraisal courses may be credited toward the classroom hour education requirement. Applicants must demonstrate that their education involved coverage of those topics listed in Subsection 250.01.e. that are required for the license classification for which application is being made. Licensed Residential and Certified Residential must include emphasis in one (1) to four (4) unit residential properties; Certified General must include emphasis in nonresidential properties. (4-11-06)

	F OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES e Real Estate Appraiser Board	Docket No. 24-1801-0701 Temporary and Proposed Rule
i.	Basic appraisal principles.	(4-11-06)
ii.	Basic appraisal procedures.	(4-11-06)
iii.	The fifteen (15) hour national USPAP course.	(4-11-06)
iv.	Market analysis and highest and best use.	(4-11-06)
v.	Appraiser site valuation and cost approach.	(4-11-06)
vi.	Sales comparison approach.	(4-11-06)
vii.	Sales income approach.	(4-11-06)
viii.	Report writing and case studies.	(4-11-06)
ix.	Statistics, modeling and finance.	(4-11-06)
х.	Advanced applications and case studies.	(4-11-06)
xi.	Appraisal subject matter electives.	(4-11-06)
<b>f.</b> prerequisite. requirements.	Advanced courses will be those courses for which an Typically classes titled "Introductory," "Basic," or "Pri	n introductory or basic course is required as a nciples" will not be accepted for advanced (4-11-06)
02.	Experience.	(7-1-97)
<b>a.</b> in compliance	The work product claimed for experience credit must with generally accepted standards which were in effect at	
b.	All appraisal experience must be obtained as a registe	red trainee or as a licensed appraiser. (4-11-06)
<b>c.</b> considered for	Only experience gained during the five (5) years revaluation.	immediately preceding application will be (4-11-06)
<b>d.</b> Staff appraisa analysis, revie	Acceptable non field appraisal experience includes, al analysis, ad valorem tax appraisal, condemnation appears appraisal, real estate counseling, highest and best use a	praisal, technical review appraisal, appraisal
<b>e.</b> affidavit, unde	Each applicant applying for licensure must verify er oath subject to penalty of perjury, and notarized on a for	completion of the required experience via rm provided by the Board. (4-11-06)
i.	The Board requires submission of a log that details	hours claimed for experience credit. The log

- i. The Board requires submission of a log that details hours claimed for experience credit. The log must include the type of property, address of the property, report date, description of work performed, and number of work hours. (4-11-06)
- ii. The Board reserves the right to contact an employer for confirmation of length and extent of experience claimed. This may require an employer to submit appraisal reports and/or an affidavit. (7-1-97)
- iii. The Board may request submission of written reports or file memoranda that substantiate an applicant's claim for experience credit. (4-11-06)
  - f. Ad valorem tax appraisers must demonstrate the use of techniques to value properties similar to

those used by appraisers and effectively use the process as defined in Subsection 010.10, Field Real Estate Appraisal Experience in order to receive experience credit. (4-11-06)

**03. Examination**. Successful completion of an examination appropriate to the license classification being applied for and approved by the Board pursuant to the guidelines of the Appraisal Qualifications Board.

(4-11-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

276. -- 29<del>8</del>9. (RESERVED).

#### 299. REOUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION (RULE 299).

All applicants for licensure/certification in any real estate appraiser classification must meet the following requirements in addition to those requirements set forth in Sections 300, 350, and 400 below. All applicants for trainee registration must meet the following requirements regarding education set forth in Section 299 in addition to those requirements set forth in Section 430.

(3-13-02)

**01.** Examination. Successful completion of an examination approved by the Board pursuant to the guidelines of the Appraisal Foundation.

(7-1-97)

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**a.** Credit toward the classroom hour requirement may only be granted where the length of the educational offering is at least fifteen (15) hours, and the individual successfully completes an examination pertinent to the educational offering.

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- e. Only those courses completed preceding the date of application will be accepted for meeting educational requirements.

  (3-18-99)
- **d.** Course credits which are obtained from the course provider by challenge examination without attending the course will not be accepted. (3-18-99)
- e. Various appraisal courses may be credited toward the classroom hour education requirement. Applicants must demonstrate that their education involved coverage of all topics listed below. Licensed Residential and Certified Residential must include emphasis in one (1) to four (4) unit residential properties; Certified General must include emphasis in nonresidential properties.

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<del>iv.</del>	Economic Principles.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>V.</del>	Real Estate Markets and Analysis.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>vi.</del>	Valuation Process.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>vii.</del>	Property Description.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>viii.</del>	Highest and Best Use Analysis.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>ix.</del>	Appraisal Statistical Concepts.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>x.</del>	Sales Comparison Approach.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>xi.</del>	Site Value.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>xii.</del>	Cost Approach.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>xiii.</del>	Income Approach.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
xiv.	Valuation of Partial Interests.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>
<del>xv.</del>	Appraisal Standards and Ethics.	<del>(7-1-97)</del>

f. Advanced courses will be those courses for which an introductory or basic course is required. Typically classes titled "Introductory," "Basic," or "Principles" will not be accepted for advanced requirements.

(7-1-97)

#### 03. Experience: (7-1-97)

- **a.** The work product claimed for experience credit must be in conformity with the USPAP or shall be in compliance with generally accepted standards which were in effect at the time those appraisals were prepared.

  (3-13-02)
- b. On or after July 1, 2003, appraisal experience must be obtained as a registered trainee or as a licensed or certified appraiser. A year of experience is equal to a minimum of one thousand (1,000) hours worked during a consecutive twelve (12) month period. Regardless of the number of experience hours submitted or obtained during any twelve (12) month period, no more than one thousand (1,000) of those hours may be credited to meet this requirement. Hours obtained in excess of one thousand (1,000) hours during any consecutive twelve (12) month period may not be credited or carried over into the next twelve (12) month period.

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  Only experience gained during the five (5) years preceding application will be considered for (7-1-97)
- d. Acceptable non field appraisal experience includes, but is not limited to the following: Fee and Staff appraisal analysis, tax appraisal, appraisal analysis, review appraisal, real estate counseling, highest and best use analysis, and feasibility analysis/study.

  (3-18-99)
- e. An appraiser applying for certification/licensure must verify his completion of the required experience via affidavit, under oath subject to penalty of perjury, and notarized on a form provided by the Board.

  (7-1-97)
- i. To demonstrate experience the Board requires submission of a log which details hours claimed for experience credit.
  - ii. The Board reserves the right to contact an employer for confirmation of length and extent of

experience claimed. This may require an employer to submit appraisal reports and/or an affidavit.

<del>7-1-97</del>

- iii. The Board may request submission of written reports or file memoranda which substantiate an applicant's claim for experience credit. (7-1-97)
- f. Ad valorem tax appraisers who demonstrate that they use techniques to value properties similar to those used by appraisers and effectively use the process as defined in Subsection 010.10, Field Real Estate Appraisal Experience will receive experience credit.

  (7-1-97)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 350. CERTIFIED RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE APPRAISER CLASSIFICATION APPRAISER QUALIFICATION CRITERIA (RULE 350).

The State Certified Residential Real Estate Appraiser classification applies to the appraisal of residential properties of four (4) or less units without regard to transaction value or complexity. Applicants must meet the following education, experience and examination requirements in addition to complying with Section 250. Subsequent to being certified every licensee must annually meet the continuing education requirement. (4-11-06)

**01. Education**. Prior to January 1, 2008, as a prerequisite to taking the examination for licensure as an Idaho Certified Residential Real Estate Appraiser, each applicant shall present evidence satisfactory to the board of having successfully completed not less than one hundred twenty (120) classroom hours of courses in subjects related specifically to real estate appraisal that have been approved by the board. Each applicant must have successfully completed not less than ninety (90) classroom hours of study related to those topics outlined under Subsection 250.01.e., the basic principles of real estate appraising and thirty (30) classroom hours of advanced residential or non-residential specialized courses relating to the topics specified at Subsection 250.01.e. Not less than fifteen (15) and no more than twenty (20) classroom hours of studies within the last five (5) years specifically relating to the USPAP, and Code of Ethics; will be credited to the classroom hour requirement. Beginning on January 1, 2008, as a prerequisite to taking the examination for licensure as an Idaho Certified Residential Real Estate Appraiser, each applicant shall:

(3-30-07)

- **a.** Hold an Associate Degree or higher from an accredited college or university or document successful completion of no less than twenty-one (21) college semester credit hours in English Composition, Principles of Economics (micro or macro), Finance, Algebra, Geometry or higher mathematics, Statistics, *Introduction to* Computers Science, and Business or Real Estate Law; and (4-11-06)(8-29-07)T
- **b.** Document registration as an Appraiser Trainee and completion of the education required for licensure as a Licensed Residential Real Estate Appraiser or hold a current license as a Licensed Residential Real Estate Appraiser; and (4-11-06)
- **c.** Document the successful completion of not less than fifty (50) classroom hours of courses in subjects related to real estate appraisal as follows: (4-11-06)
- i. Statistics, Modeling and Finance not less than fifteen (15) hours specifically including Statistics; Valuation Models (AVM's and Mass Appraisal); and Real Estate Finance; and (4-11-06)
- ii. Advanced Residential Applications and Case Studies not less than fifteen (15) hours specifically including Complex Property, Ownership and Market Conditions; Deriving and Supporting Adjustments; Residential Market Analysis; and Advanced Case Studies; and (4-11-06)
- iii. Appraisal Subject Matter Electives not less than twenty (20) hours and may include hours over the minimum shown in Subsection 350.01.c. (4-11-06)
  - **O2.** Experience. Experience is a prerequisite to sit for the licensure examination: (4-11-06)

- **a.** Document two thousand five hundred (2,500) hours of appraisal experience in no less than twenty-four (24) months (see Subsection 250.02). Experience documentation in the form of reports or file memoranda should be available to support the claim for experience. (4-11-06)
- **b.** Two thousand (2,000) hours of the experience shall be from residential field appraisal experience. The balance of five hundred (500) hours may include non field experience, refer to Subsection 250.02.d. (4-11-06)

#### 351. -- 399. (RESERVED).

# 400. CERTIFIED GENERAL REAL ESTATE APPRAISER CLASSIFICATION APPRAISER QUALIFICATION CRITERIA (RULE 400).

The State Certified General Real Estate Appraiser classification applies to the appraisal of all types of real property. Applicants must meet the following examination, education, and experience requirements in addition to complying with Section 29950. Subsequent to being certified, an individual must meet the continuing education requirement.

(7-1-97)(8-29-07)T

- **01. Education**. Prior to January 1, 2008, as a prerequisite to taking the examination for licensure as an Idaho State Certified General Real Estate Appraiser, each applicant shall present evidence satisfactory to the board of having successfully completed not less than one hundred eighty (180) classroom hours of courses in subjects related specifically to real estate appraisal approved by the board. Each applicant must have successfully completed not less than one hundred sixty (160) classroom hours of study related to those topics outlined under Subsection 250.01.e. Not less than fifteen (15) and no more than twenty (20) classroom hours of studies within the last five (5) years specifically relating to the USPAP, and Code of Ethics; and one hundred (100) classroom hours of advanced non residential specialized courses relating to the topics specified at Subsection 250.01.e. Beginning on January 1, 2008, as a prerequisite to taking the examination for licensure as an Idaho Certified General Real Estate Appraiser, each applicant shall:
- a. Hold a Bachelors Degree or higher from an accredited college or university or document successful completion of no less than thirty (30) college semester credit hours in English Composition, Micro Economics, Macro Economics, Finance, Algebra, Geometry or higher mathematics, Statistics, *Introduction to* Computers Science, and Business or Real Estate Law, and two (2) elective courses in accounting, geography, ageconomics, business management, or real estate; and

  (4-11-06)(8-29-07)T
- **b.** Document registration as an Appraiser Trainee or licensure as a Licensed Residential Real Estate Appraiser or licensure as a Certified Residential Real Estate Appraiser; and (4-11-06)
- **c.** Document the successful completion of not less than two hundred ten (210) classroom hours of courses in subjects related to real estate appraisal as follows: (4-11-06)
- i. Statistics, Modeling and Finance not less than fifteen (15) hours specifically including Statistics; Valuation Models (AVM's and Mass Appraisal); and Real Estate Finance; and (4-11-06)
  - ii. General Appraiser Market Analysis and Highest and Best Use not less than thirty (30) hours; and (4-11-06)
- iii. General Appraiser Sales Comparison Approach not less than thirty (30) hours specifically including Value Principles, Procedures, Identification and Measurement of Adjustments, Reconciliation, and Case Studies; and (4-11-06)
  - iv. General Appraiser Site Valuation and Cost Approach not less than thirty (30) hours; and (4-11-06)
- v. General Appraiser Income Approach not less than sixty (60) hours specifically including Overview, Compound Interest, Lease Analysis, Income Analysis, Vacancy and Collection Law, Estimating Operating Expenses and Reserves, Reconstructed Income and Expense Statement, Stabilized Net Operating Income Estimate, Direct Capitalization, Discounted Cash Flow, Yield Capitalization, Partial Interest, and Case Studies; and (4-11-06)

- vi. General; Appraiser Report Writing and Case Studies not less than thirty (30) hours specifically including Writing and Reasoning Skills, Common Writing Problems, Report Options and USPAP Compliance, and Case Studies. (4-11-06)
  - **02. Experience.** Experience is a prerequisite to sit for the licensure examination: (4-11-06)
- **a.** Document three thousand (3,000) hours of appraisal experience in no less than thirty (30) months (See Subsection 250.02.). Experience documentation in the form of reports or file memoranda should be available to support the claim for experience. (4-11-06)
- **b.** One thousand five hundred (1,500) hours of the experience must be nonresidential appraisal experience. The balance of one thousand five hundred (1,500) hours may be solely residential experience or can include up to five hundred (500) hours of nonfield experience as outlined in Subsection 250.02.d. (4-11-06)

#### 401. CONTINUING EDUCATION (RULE 401).

All certified/licensed appraisers must comply with the following continuing education requirements: (7-1-97)

- **01. Purpose of Continuing Education**. The purpose of continuing education is to ensure that the appraiser participates in a program that maintains and increases his skill, knowledge and competency in real estate appraising. (7-1-97)
- **02. Hours Required**. The equivalent of fifteen (15) classroom hours of instruction in courses or seminars during each year prior to renewal is required. (3-20-04)
  - **a.** A classroom hour is defined as fifty (50) minutes out of each sixty (60) minute segment. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Credit toward the classroom hour requirement may be granted only where the length of the educational offering is at least two (2) hours. (7-1-97)
- c. Credit for the classroom hour requirement may be obtained by accredited courses which have been approved by the Appraisal Qualification Board and by courses approved by Real Estate Appraiser Boards of states with reciprocity with Idaho. All other courses must have approval of the Board, which shall require documentation including the instructors and their qualifications, course content, length of course, and its location. Courses shall be approved for a period of four (4) years. (4-6-05)
- **d.** Once every two (2) years an Idaho State Certified/Licensed Real Estate Appraiser will be required to attend an approved seven (7) hour USPAP update course or the equivalent. (3-30-07)
- 03. Credit for Appraisal Educational Processes and Programs. Continuing education credit may also be granted for participation, other than as a student, in appraisal educational processes and programs. Examples of activities for which credit may be granted are teaching, program development, authorship of textbooks, or similar activities which are determined to be equivalent to obtaining continuing education. Credit for educational processes and programs continuing education shall not exceed one-half (1/2) of the total continuing education credits required for a renewal period.

  (7-1-97)(8-29-07)T
- **04.** Credit for Attending the Licensure Board Meetings. Continuing education credit may be granted once each year for a maximum of two (2) hours each renewal period for time spent attending one (1) Board meetings of no less than two (2) hours. Members of the board shall not be entitled to continuing education credit for board service.

  (3-30-07)(8-29-07)T
- **05. Requirement When a Certificate/License Is Cancelled.** For each year (less than five (5)) in which a license is lapsed, canceled, or otherwise non-renewed, fifteen (15) hours of continuing education must be documented, including a seven (7) hour USPAP update course, prior to reinstatement. (3-30-07)

#### **IDAPA 24 - IDAHO BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

#### 24.22.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO STATE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS SAFETY BOARD

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-2201-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-5310, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Add dated edition for NFPA 58 incorporated by reference, add requirement for certification of general liability insurance as application requirement and create a section for general liability insurance requirements per statute passed during the 2007 session, and clarify the inspection rules.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the insurance requirement is necessary to comply with statute change.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory, Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220, Boise, ID 83702 Phone (208) 334-3233 / Fax (208) 334-3945

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-2201-0701

#### 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 4).

The document titled National Fire Protection Association Code 58, <u>2004 Edition</u>, commonly known as NFPA 58, is herein incorporated by reference and is available *from* <u>at</u> the Board's office *and on the Board web site*.

<del>(3-30-06)</del>(\_\_\_\_)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 350. FACILITY LICENSURE (RULE 350).

#### 01. Facility Licensure and Operation Requirements.

(3-30-06)

- a. Application for a facility license shall be made on forms available from the Bureau and shall include a certificate of general liability insurance set forth in these rules and plans and specifications complying with local ordinances and zoning requirements. All applications shall be submitted to the Board for approval and a license must be issued before a new facility may open for business;

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- **b.** Each facility application shall clearly identify and designate a location adequate to allow the facilities safe operation and the selling, filling, refilling, or commercial handling or commercial storage of liquefied petroleum gas; (3-30-06)
  - **c.** Each facility shall meet all requirements of NFPA 58.

(3-30-06)

#### 02. Facility Changes in Ownership or Location.

(3-30-06)

- **a.** Whenever a change of ownership or location of a facility occurs, an original application must be submitted, the fee must be paid and compliance with all rules concerning a new facility documented, before a new license will be issued. FACILITY LICENSES ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE. (3-30-06)
  - **b.** Deletion of an owner from multiple ownership does not constitute a change in ownership.

(3-30-06)

- c. Addition of an owner to multiple ownership does constitute a change in ownership.
- (3-30-06)
- d. Whenever any facility ceases operation at the licensed location, the owner(s) shall notify the Board in writing that the facility is out of business and the facility license shall be submitted to the Bureau. A new facility license will not be issued for any location that is currently licensed as a facility at the time of application. (3-30-06)

#### 351. -- 3<del>7</del>54. (RESERVED).

#### 355. GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENT (RULE 355).

As set forth in 54-5308(1)(j), Idaho Code, no facility license will be issued without a certificate showing proof of a current general liability insurance policy in the sum of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for an occurrence.

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Original Facility License Application</u>. An application for facility license will not be considered complete without a certificate of general liability insurance showing a current policy. The policy must be kept in full force and effect.
- **Q2.** Renewal of Facility License. All licenses being renewed must certify that the facility holds a current general liability insurance policy.
- **03.** Audit of Liability Insurance. The Board may conduct random audits of facility licenses and request documentation of a current general liability insurance policy.

#### 356. -- 374. (RESERVED).

#### 375. INSPECTION RULES (RULE 375).

All facilities shall be subject to inspection by the Board or its agents at any time without notice to insure the safe operation of each facility and to insure continued compliance with the requirements of NFPA 58 and the Idaho laws and rules. The Board may adopt a form which establishes for the facility those material rules of NFPA 58 which will be inspected, and a level of compliance necessary for issuance or retention of a license or disciplinary action. The Board may further determine the time frame a facility may be granted in order to comply with NFPA 58, but still continue to operate, or pursue disciplinary action for a failure to comply.

(3-30-06)(

#### **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

### 24.23.01 - RULES GOVERNING THE IDAHO BOARD OF SPEECH AND HEARING SERVICES

#### **DOCKET NO. 24-2301-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-2910, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To clarify qualifications for Audiologists, Speech-Language Pathologists, Speech-Language Pathologist Aides, Speech-Language Pathologist Assistants, and Hearing Aid Dealer and Fitters and to clarify personal contact by supervisors for provisional permit holders.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because these rules will clarify the laws pertaining to Speech and Hearing Services.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2007.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-2301-0701

201. -- 2909. (RESERVED).

210. OUALIFICATIONS FOR AUDIOLOGIST LICENSURE (RULE 210).

# BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES Idaho Board of Speech and Hearing Services

Docket No. 24-2301-0701 Proposed Rule

		mpletion of an application as set forth in Section 150 of these rules, all applicants for licensure as an comply with the following education, experience, and examination requirements:  ()
		Graduate Program Requirement. A master's or doctoral degree with emphasis in audiology or enty-five (75) semester credit hours of post-baccalaureate study that culminates in a doctoral degree accredited school for audiology.
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	01.	Adequate Personal Contact Requirements.	(3-30-06)
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must be	<b>b.</b> made no	Contact in person described in Subsection 450.01.a., <u>after the first soless</u> than once in each calendar week throughout the <u>entire</u> <u>remaining</u>	sixty (60) days of employment period of the permit.  (3-30-06)()
		In the event a permit holder fails the licensing examination two ain a permit, the supervisor and permit holder must reinstate contact i on 450.01.a.	
	d.	All client and supervisor contacts shall be recorded in the permit hole	der's quarterly report. (3-30-06)
	02.	Supervisor Responsibilities Restrictions.	(3-30-06)
	a.	The supervisor shall be familiar with Section 54-2908, Idaho Code.	(3-30-06)
under su	<b>b.</b> apervisio	The supervisor shall be responsible for all practice and the ethical on.	conduct of each permit holder (3-30-06)
	c.	A supervisor may not supervise more than one (1) permit holder at a	time. (3-30-06)

- **d.** The supervisor and the permit holder shall be required to work within the same facility. (3-30-06)
- **e.** The supervisor shall provide the permit holder with adequate training and client contact necessary to prepare for the required examination. (3-30-06)
- f. The supervisor shall record with the Board a plan of training that encompasses all ten sections covered in the license examination. The plan must be accepted and approved by the Board or its agent prior to issuance of the permit. The supervisor shall document, by the quarterly report, the permit holder's progress.

(3-30-06)

**g.** A supervisor may terminate his supervision of a permit holder by a written notice to the Bureau and the permit holder by certified mail at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the termination. (3-30-06)

#### 03. Application -- Quarterly Reports.

(3-30-06)

- **a.** Application for permit shall include completed application, examination fee, permit fee, supervisor statement and plan of training and supervision. (3-30-06)
- **b.** A permit shall not be valid unless an unrevoked statement accepting supervisory responsibility by a qualified licensee is on file with the Bureau. Upon termination of supervision, a new permit may be applied for in accordance with these rules, provided that the expiration date of the new permit is adjusted to not exceed the date of the third licensure examination following the original application. (3-30-06)
- **c.** Eighteen (18) months is the maximum time allowed for any combination of new or renewed permits. (3-30-06)
- **d.** Every permit holder must submit a quarterly report of his activities on forms furnished by the Bureau together with supplemental attachments as may be necessary, attested to and signed by the permit holder and the supervisor of record. All sales or fittings made by the permit holder will be indicated on the quarterly report forms supplied by the Bureau. Supplemental attachments to be submitted with this form include: (3-30-06)
  - i. Log of client and supervisor contacts as specified in Subsection 450.01.d. (3-30-06)
- ii. Supervisor's statement of completion of training assignments by permit holder as specified in Subsection 450.02.f. (3-30-06)
  - iii. Copy of test results for all persons tested by the permit holder whether or not a sale occurred. (3-30-06)
  - iv. Copy of hearing aid order for all fittings including specifications of instruments ordered. (3-30-06)
- **e.** Quarterly reports are due on or before April 10th, July 10th, October 10th and January 10th for the three (3) months preceding the month due. If the permit has not been in effect for the entire quarter, the report is due for that portion of the quarter in which the permit was in effect. If quarterly reports are not received by the specified due date, the permit will be revoked. A new permit may be applied for in accordance with Subsection 450.03.a.

(3-30-06)

#### 04. Exemptions.

(3-30-06)

- **a.** A permit holder who possesses the Certificate of Clinical Competence in Audiology from American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) or who is Board Certified by National Board for Certification in Hearing Instrument Sciences (NBC-HIS) shall be exempt from Subsections 450.01.a., 450.02.d., and 450.02.f. from the date of issuance of the permit until the date of the next offered licensing examination. (3-30-06)
- **b.** Failure of the licensing examination or failure to take the next offered licensing examination rescinds this exemption. (3-30-06)

#### **IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**

### 24.24.01 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

### DOCKET NO. 24-2401-0701 (NEW CHAPTER - FEE RULE)

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 54-5109, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

October 23, 2007 -- 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St., Suite 220, Boise, ID

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The rules provide contact information, definitions, provide an application, provide for fees, allow for renewal of registrations, set standards for continuing education, defines scope of practice, and defines approved schools and examinations.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

These rules would set fees for application, license, and renewal allowed in Section 54-5111, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year as a result of this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was conducted. The Notice of Negotiated Rulemaking was published in the July 4, 2007, Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Volume 07-7, page number 70.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at (208) 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 22nd day of August, 2007.

Tana Cory Bureau Chief Bureau of Occupational Licenses 1109 Main St. Ste. 220 Boise, ID 83702 (208) 334-3233 Ph. / (208) 334-3945,fax

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 24-2401-0701

#### IDAPA 24 TITLE 24 CHAPTER 01

#### 24.24.01 - RULES OF THE BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

	to Section	AUTHORITY (RULE 0). ons 54-5103, 54-5104, 54-5105, and Section 54-5109, Idaho Code, the Idaho Board of Naturers (IBNME) is authorized to promulgate rules to govern the practice of Naturopathic Med		
001. These ru		AND SCOPE (RULE 1). be cited as IDAPA 24.24.01, "Rules of the Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners."	(	)
interpret	ard may	TEN INTERPRETATIONS (RULE 2). have written statements that pertain to the interpretation of the rules of this chapte any, are available for public inspection and copying at cost in the main office of the Buenses.		
003. All cont Procedu	tested ca	IISTRATIVE APPEALS (RULE 3). ses shall be governed by the provisions of IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Admini Attorney General."	strati (	ive
<b>004.</b> There ar		PORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 4). uments incorporated by reference into this rule.	(	)
of Occu Naturopa telephon	ral office pational athic Me e numbe	e of the Idaho Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners will be in Idaho located within the Licenses. The Board's mailing address, unless otherwise indicated, will be Idaho Boardical Examiners, Owyhee Plaza, 1109 Main Street, Suite 220, Boise, Idaho 83702-564 or of the Board is (208)334-3233. The Board's facsimile (FAX) number is (208)334-394 is at www.ibol.idaho.gov/nat.htm. The Board's office hours for filing documents are 8 a.m. to	oard 12. T 15. T	of he he
	ords assoc	C RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE (RULE 6). ciated with the Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners are subject to the provisions of thact, Title 9, Chapter 3, Idaho Code.	e Ida (	.ho
<b>007.</b> Original		G OF DOCUMENTS - NUMBER OF COPIES (RULE 7). ocuments must be filed with the Board.	(	)
008 0	09.	(RESERVED).		
010.	DEFINI	ITIONS (RULE 10).		
	01.	Act or NPLA. The Naturopathic Physicians Licensing Act. Title 54, Chapter 51, Idaho Coo	le.	)
	02.	<b>Applicant</b> . Any person seeking a license to practice naturopathic medicine from the Board.	(	)
Idaho Co	<b>03.</b> ode.	Board. The Idaho Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners as prescribed in Section 5-	4-510 (	08,
	04.	Board Approved Accrediting Bodies. The Board shall approve qualified, indep	ende	nt,

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accrediting organizations as approved accrediting bodies for purposes of approving naturopathic medical programs including the Liaison Committee for Naturopathic Education (LCNE), the United States Department of Education (USDE), the Council on Naturopathic Medical Education (CNME), and any other qualified, independent, accrediting organization(s) that the Board may deem to be acceptable.

- **05. Bureau**. The Bureau of Occupational Licenses as prescribed in Section 67-2602, Idaho Code.
- **06. Environmental Medicine**. Environmental Medicine explores the role of dietary and environmental allergens in health and illness. Environmental medicine addresses the elimination of toxic substances in the body, the body's ability to process new environmental insults, and lifestyle changes to avoid future problems. ( )
- **07. Former Patient**. A former patient includes a patient for whom the physician has not provided medical services or prescriptions within the last eighteen (18) months.
- **08. Idaho Jurisprudence Examination**. A multiple choice examination created by the Bureau related to the naturopathic laws and Board rules and approved by the Board.
- **09. License to Practice Naturopathic Medicine**. A license issued by the Board to practice naturopathic medicine in Idaho.
- **10. Mechanotherapy**. The treatment of disease by manual, physical, electrical, or mechanical means. Mechanotherapy excludes chiropractic adjustment as defined in Section 54-704, Idaho Code, or physical therapy as defined in Section 54-2203, Idaho Code.
- **11. Meridian Therapy**. Meridian therapy is the treatment of the body's energy pathways by manual, electrical, physical, or mechanical means. Meridian therapy does not involve insertion of acupuncture needles.( )
- 12. Naturopathic Medical Formulary Council. That council created and consisting of naturopathic physicians, pharmacists, and medical physicians pursuant to Section 54-5110, Idaho Code. The council, once appointed and formed, must specifically include in the naturopathic medical formulary those prescription drugs and/or medical devices that a naturopathic physician will be allowed to dispense, administer, adjust or prescribe. In order to best serve the field of naturopathic medicine and the public, the Board retains its authority to review pharmacists and medical physicians who have some understanding in holistic health care and naturopathic medicine for appointment to the Council.
- **13. Naturopathic Medicine.** Naturopathic medicine allows naturopathic physicians to provide all natural health care services as defined in Section 54-5102(8), Idaho Code.
- **14. Original Certificate or Document**. Shall mean either the original document itself or a certified copy thereof issued by the agency or institution and mailed or delivered directly from the source to the Board or a Board approved credential verification service.
- **15. Rules**. The Rules of the Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners, IDAPA 24.24.01 as amended from time to time.
- **16. Suspicious of Malignancy**. The term "treat any lesion suspicious of malignancy" means a naturopathic physician may treat a person with a lesion unless he is reasonably aware based upon standard naturopathic education and training that the lesion has a possibility of being malignant and, if so, will refer patient with said lesion to an appropriately licensed health care professional. Nothing in Title 54, Chapter 51, Idaho Code, shall prohibit treatment of a person with suspicious or malignant lesions in conjunction with a physician licensed pursuant to Title 54, Chapter 18, Idaho Code.
- 17. Treat Any Lesion Requiring Surgical Removal. The term "treat any lesion requiring surgical removal" means a naturopathic physician will only do such removal if it falls within the definition of "minor office procedures" per Section 54-5102(3), Idaho Code.

011. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. SCOPE OF PRACTICE (RULE 100).

- **O1. Scope of the Naturopathic Physician**. A naturopathic physician is authorized to provide only services and treatments for which that licensee has been appropriately trained and prepared by Board approved education, continuing education, and practical experience. Information contained within the application together with supporting documentation submitted by the licensee shall be prima facie evidence of the licensee's education and experience. It is the responsibility of the individual licensee to submit adequate documentation of education and experience appropriate to the services and treatments being provided to the public. Naturopathic medicine allows naturopathic physicians to provide all natural health care services as defined in Section 54-5102(8), Idaho Code. A naturopathic physician is authorized to examine, diagnose, treat, mitigate, and prevent all mental and physical illnesses, infirmities, injuries, ailments, diseases, and conditions or make appropriate referral.
- **Release of Liability.** If a patient of a naturopathic physician refuses to accept treatment for health conditions that are required by statute to be referred to a medical physician licensed pursuant to Title 54, Chapter 18, Idaho Code, said naturopathic physician has the right to not refuse treatment to said patient if patient signs a release of liability form stating that said patient was referred to a medical physician and is voluntarily, without coercion, and in sound mind refusing all treatment from a medical physician. A tailored release of liability form will be made available to all licensed naturopathic physicians.
- **03. Treatments.** The scope of practice as defined in Section 54-5104, Idaho Code, as amended, and includes dispensing, administering, ordering, prescribing or performing the following:
- **a.** Oral food, extracts of food, nutraceuticals, phytonutrients, vitamins, amino acids, minerals, enzymes, botanicals, and their extracts, homeopathic medicines, herbal medicines, Ayurvedic medicines, all dietary supplements and non prescription drugs as defined by or recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia-National Formulary (USP-NF), the Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia of the United States (HPUS), Facts & Comparisons, and the PDR (Physicians Desk Reference) for Herbal Medicines or any supplement to these documents.
- $\textbf{b.} \qquad \text{Prescription medications and devices as determined by the naturopathic medical formulary council and approved by the Board.}$
- c. Naturopathic physical medicine and modalities consistent with naturopathic medical training and education including, but not limited to, hydrotherapy, colon hydrotherapy, meridian therapy, electro-stimulation, sensitivity elimination therapy, micro-systems diagnosis and therapy, mechanotherapy, therapeutic touch, contact reflex analysis, environmental medicine, light therapy, color therapy, energy therapy, gem therapy, sound therapy, air therapy, heat therapy, bio-feedback, and therapeutic exercise. Devices including, but not limited to, therapeutic devices, barrier contraception, and durable medical equipment.
  - **d.** Health promoting education and counseling. (
- **e.** Repair and care incidental to superficial lacerations and abrasions, removal of foreign bodies located in the superficial tissues, as defined in Section 54-5102.3, Idaho Code.

#### 101. -- 109. (RESERVED).

#### 110. SPECIAL COMPETENCY CERTIFICATION (RULE 110).

Acquired Special Competency Certifications shall be shown on licenses issued to naturopathic medical doctors for the following areas: minor office procedures, intravenous therapy, and naturopathic obstetrics, and also displayed on the license certificate and annual renewal card.

- **01. Naturopathic Obstetrics Certification**. Naturopathic obstetrics certification requires proof of completion of an advanced life support in obstetrics (ALSO) course and documentation of training and experience equal to or greater than that required by IDAPA 23.01.01, "Rules of the Idaho Board of Nursing." ( )
  - **02. Intravenous Therapy Certification**. Intravenous therapy certification requires proof of

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comple	tion of ap	propriate coursework and number of hours to be determined by the Board.	(	)
comple	<b>03.</b> tion of a p	Minor Office Procedures Certification. Minor office procedures certification requires preceptorship consisting of twenty-five (25) documented cases as approved by the Board.	proof (	of )
111 1	124.	(RESERVED).		
125.	QUALI	IFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE (RULE 125).		
	01.	Qualifications for Licensure. Applicants will meet the following requirements:	(	)
	a.	Submit a complete application accompanied by all appropriate fees;	(	)
Idaho C	<b>b.</b> Code;	Completion of a Board approved naturopathic medical program as defined in Section 54-5	5102 (	(1),
Idaho C	c. Code;	Pass an examination approved by the Board as defined in Sections 54-5109 (9) and 54-	5112(	(2),
health c	<b>d.</b> care servic	File a Board-approved disclosure form stating the degrees, training, experience, credentials cest hey are approved to provide by the Board;	s and	the )
	e.	Sign an affidavit swearing under oath that they:	(	)
	i.	Possess a good, ethical and professional reputation;	(	)
reasona	ii. ble accon	Are physically and mentally capable of safely practicing naturopathic medicine with or immodation; and,	with	out )
ability	to skillfu	Have never had a license to practice naturopathic medicine or other health care license, regused, revoked or suspended by any other state or country for reasons that relate to the apilly and safely practice naturopathic medicine, or other health care profession unless that retification has been restored to good standing by that state or country.	plicar	nt's
minor t	iv. raffic offe	Have disclosed any criminal charges, convictions, or guilty pleas against the applicant of enses.	her th	nan )
	02.	<b>Residence</b> . No period of residence in Idaho shall be required of any applicant.	(	)
		<b>Character</b> . The Board may refuse licensure if it finds that the applicant has engaged in action 54-5115, Idaho Code; provided that the Board, solely at its own discretion, may to rehabilitation of the applicant and other mitigating circumstances.		
	04.	Application - Form and Deadline.	(	)
include	<b>a.</b> :	All applicants shall complete an application for licensure upon a Board approved form, wh	ich sh	nall )
have kn	i. nown the a	References to include two (2) letters of recommendation signed by naturopathic physiciapplicant professionally for at least one (1) year;	ans w	vho )
	ii. larger tha lication;	An unmounted photograph of the applicant, of adequate size and clarity to identify the an four inches tall by three inches wide (4" x 3"), taken not more than one (1) year prior to the		
	iii	The employment history and relevant practice locations of the applicant:	(	)

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iv.	Each state in which the applicant has applied for a license to practice naturopathic medicine	e; and
v.	Each state wherein the applicant is licensed to practice naturopathic medicine.	(
<b>b.</b> received by the l been paid.	No application shall be accepted or considered by the Board until it is complete and habureau at least thirty (30) days prior to the next scheduled Board meeting and all required fee	
<b>c.</b> of initial receipt	Incomplete applications on file with the Bureau for a period in excess of one (1) year from t by the Bureau shall be deemed denied and terminated by the Board.	the date
05.	Official Transcripts.	(
<b>a.</b> institution, to be	All applicants shall arrange for official transcripts of all credit earned, at each approved eductransmitted by the registrars of the education institutions directly to the Board.	cational
<b>b.</b> explanation and for licensure.	If official documentation is unobtainable or unavailable, the applicant shall submit a provide any documentation the Board may request to assist the Board in considering the applications are considered in the considering the applications are considered as a submit a provide any documentation the Board may request to assist the Board in considering the applications are considered as a submit a provide any documentation the Board may request to assist the Board in considering the applications are considered as a submit a provide any documentation the Board may request to assist the Board in considering the applications are considered as a submit a provide any documentation the Board may request to assist the Board in considering the applications are considered as a submit a sub	
<b>06.</b> committee of the credentials.	<b>Personal Interview</b> . Each applicant may be personally interviewed by the Board or a deside Board. The interview shall include a review of the applicants qualifications and professions.	
126 129.	(RESERVED).	
All applicants sh 54-5102(1), Idal approved by the approved accred Naturopathic Ed Medical Educati to be acceptable. bodies identified	OVED PROGRAMS OF NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE (RULE 130).  The late that the dead an "Approved Naturopathic Medical Program" as that phrase is defined in the Code, to mean a doctoral level program of supervised resident study in naturopathic medical. The Board approves the following qualified, independent, accrediting organizations as iting bodies for purposes of approving Naturopathic Medical Programs - the Liaison Commit function (LCNE), the United States Department of Education (USDE), the Council on Naturon (CNME), and any other qualified, independent, accrediting organization(s) that the Board in this rule or any other program as approved by the Board. All approved naturopathic pre he registration requirements of their relevant jurisdiction.	nedicine s Board ittee for opathic l deems rediting
01. identified in this educational stand	<b>Naturopathic Medical Program.</b> If the program is not accredited by an accrediting rule, the naturopathic medical program will meet the following minimum naturopathic medical:	
required of U.S. with the appropring regulated by the an approved proprovisions of T specifically exe	The naturopathic medical school is or was incorporated in the United States under the laws ence. Foreign country naturopathic medical programs must possess equivalent qualifications to naturopathic medical programs. Approved schools of Naturopathic Medicine will be duly regarded agency under their State Department or Board of Education in the state in which they exprules of that Department or Board of Education in that state. Any individual or school entity cogram of study in Naturopathic Medicine and operating in the state of Idaho must compute 33, Chapter 24, Idaho Code, and register with the Idaho State Board of Education mpt from the registration requirements of IDAPA 08.01.11, "Registration of Post-Sectitutions and Proprietary Schools," Subsection 400.03.d.  The naturopathic medical schools or programs objectives shall be clearly stated and should state and should seem the state of Idaho and should seem the	to those gistered xist and offering ly with unless condary
	of naturopathic physicians to provide patient care and for being licensed by state authorities.	(

**c.** Educational standards shall include instruction in a core program of the basic and clinical sciences relating to naturopathy, naturopathic theory and practice, including naturopathic techniques and methods, and such

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other subjects as the Board may deem useful and shall require each student to demonstrate competence.	)
<b>d.</b> The naturopathic medical program shall disclose to the Board, upon request, information regard the academic merits of its curriculum, the professional competence of its faculty, record keeping methods, physicassets, financial status, makeup of the governing body, catalogue characteristics, nondiscrimination policy, and a self-evaluation system.	cal
<b>02. Revoke the Approval</b> . The Board may revoke the approval of a program if it fails to meet requirements of its applicable approved accrediting body or the Board. (	the )
131 134. (RESERVED).	
135. APPROVED NATUROPATHIC EXAMINATION (RULE 135). All applicants must pass a Board-approved examination and an Idaho jurisprudence examination. (	)
<b>01. Section 54-5109(9), Idaho Code</b> . The Board shall have the authority to provide a unifor independently proctored and psychometrically valid examination for use in licensing naturopathic physicians who will adequately test the applicant's knowledge of naturopathic medicine including the basic medical sciences and diagnostic and therapeutic skill of license applicants.	ich
02. Approved Examinations. (	)
<b>a.</b> The USNLE (the United States Naturopathic Licensing Exam) is an approved naturopate examination for licensing naturopathic physicians in Idaho conditioned upon the Board reviewing and approving compliance with the statute examination requirements as defined in Sections 54-5109(9) and 54-5112(2), Ida Code, including competency based, and psychometric validity and reliability. The USNLE is administered by National Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners (NBNME) or successor organization.	its aho
<b>b.</b> The NPLEx (the Naturopathic Physicians Licensing Exam) is an approved naturopath examination for licensing naturopathic physicians in Idaho conditioned upon the Board reviewing and approving compliance with the statute examination requirements as defined in Sections 54-5109(9) and 54-5112(2), Ida Code, including competency based and psychometric validity and reliability. The NPLEx is administered by North American Board of Naturopathic Examiners (NABNE) or successor organization.	its aho
<b>c.</b> The Board retains its authority to evaluate any examination entity for approval that meets statute examination requirements as defined in Sections 54-5109(9) and 54-5112(2), Idaho Code, include competency based and is psychometrically valid and reliable.	the ing )
<b>03. Minimum Passing Score</b> . The minimum passing score for each section of any examinate approved by the Board shall be that passing score determined by the examination entity.	ion )
<b>04. Idaho Jurisprudence Examination</b> . The minimum passing score for the jurisprudence examination shall be seventy-five percent (75%).	ice
136 149. (RESERVED).	
150. LICENSES (RULE 150).	
<b>O1. Expiration Date</b> . All licenses issued pursuant to the Naturopathic Physicians Licensing Act, To 54, Chapter 51, Idaho Code, and these Rules shall expire and must be renewed annually in accordance with Sect 67-2614, Idaho Code. Licenses not timely renewed prior to expiration shall be cancelled. (	

**Q2. Renewal**. Each license to practice naturopathic medicine may be renewed prior to its expiration date by the payment of a renewal fee to the Board and completion of a renewal form provided by the Board. In order to be eligible for renewal, a licensee must provide a current address to the Board and must notify the Board of any change of address prior to the renewal period. Licenses not renewed by their expiration date shall be canceled. The license will terminate on the date of the license holder's birthday in accordance with Section 67-2614, Idaho Code.

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<b>03. Reinstatement</b> . In accordance with Section 67-2614, Idaho Code, licenses canceled for nonpayment of renewal fees may be reinstated by filing a reinstatement application on forms prescribed by the Board and upon payment of a reinstatement fee. The applicant shall submit proof of having satisfied the required CE credits for the twelve-month (12) period preceding the reinstatement date.
<b>04. Relicensure</b> . Persons, whose licenses have been canceled for a period of more than five (5) years, shall be required to make application to the Board as new applicants for licensure and comply with provisions of Section 67-2614, Idaho Code, for reinstatement.
151 199. (RESERVED).
200. LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT (RULE 200).
<b>01. Jurisdiction Other Than the State of Idaho</b> . All applicants licensed in a jurisdiction other than the state of Idaho and whose licensure requirements are equal to or greater than the licensure requirements for the state of Idaho may apply for licensure by endorsement. Endorsement applicants shall meet the following requirements:
a. Submit a complete application accompanied by the appropriate fees. ( )
<b>b.</b> Cause to be submitted directly to the Board from the issuing authority an official certification of a current license in good standing.
c. Sign an affidavit swearing under oath that they have:
i. Fully reviewed and understand and will abide by both the Naturopathic Physicians Licensing Act, Title 54, Chapter 51, Idaho Code, and the Board's Rules, IDAPA 24.24.01, "Rules of the Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners"; and,
ii. Have never had a license to practice naturopathic medicine or other health care license, registration or certificate refused, revoked or suspended by any other state or country for reasons that relate to the applicant's ability to skillfully and safely practice naturopathic medicine, or other health care profession unless that license, registration or certification has been restored to good standing by that jurisdiction.
<b>d.</b> The Board may refuse licensure if it finds that the applicant has engaged in conduct prohibited by Section 54-5115, Idaho Code; provided that the Board, solely at its own discretion, may take into consideration the rehabilitation of the applicant and other mitigating circumstances.
201 249. (RESERVED).
250. CONTINUING NATUROPATHIC EDUCATION (CNE) REQUIRED (RULE 250).
<b>01. Purpose</b> . The purpose of practice relevant CNE is to enhance competence, performance, understanding of current standards of care, and patient outcomes.
<b>Renewal</b> . Each person licensed to practice naturopathic medicine in Idaho shall complete no less than twenty (20) hours of relevant educational courses, workshops or other activities as approved by the Board, five (5) hours of which must be in pharmacology with specialization in naturopathic materials, medications, and remedies each year. Licensee may carry over up to twenty (20) hours of unused CNE's to the next renewal cycle.
<b>03. Continuing Education</b> . Continuing education regarding formulary for use by naturopathic physicians. Once an approved formulary, as determined by the naturopathic medical formulary council, has been adopted as a temporary rule, all licensed naturopathic physicians must take a Board-approved course reviewing any addition to the formulary.

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or sponsor	<b>)4.</b> red by a	<b>Approved Programs</b> . All education offered by regionally accredited institutions or organic federally accredited naturopathic medical program or as approved by the Board.	zation (	ıs, )
include th approved l	by the l	<b>Distance Learning and Home Study</b> . Courses of distance learning and home study that all physical attendance of the applicant in a face-to-face setting with a course instructor Board for continuing education credit. Such courses shall not be eligible for more than fifty tired continuing education credits.	may l	be
		<b>Verification of Compliance</b> . Licensees shall, at license renewal, provide a signed statement compliance. The Board, in its discretion, may require such additional evidence as is necest.		
		<b>Penalties for Noncompliance</b> . The Board may condition, limit, suspend, or refuse to reson whom the Board determines has failed to comply with the continuing education requirer ese rules.		
251 299	9.	(RESERVED).		
300. F	FEES (I	RULE 300).		
0	)1.	Licensure Fee. Licensure Fee Two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).	(	)
0	)2.	Application Fee. Application Fee Two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).	(	)
	03. ees not j	<b>Reinstatement License Fee</b> . Reinstatement license fee one hundred dollars (\$100) plus paid by applicant.	total	of )
0	)4.	<b>Annual Renewal Fee</b> . Annual Renewal Fee – Two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).	(	)
0	15	Non Defendable All for our new refundable	,	
	<i>)</i> 3.	Non-Refundable. All fees are non-refundable.	(	)
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practice naturopa	Engaging in practice or behavior that demonstrates, or manifests an incapacity, or incompetence to thic medicine.	) )
c.	Allowing another person or organization to use the licensee's license to practice medicine. (	)
<b>d.</b> stepchild any dru	Prescribing, selling, administering, distributing or giving to himself, herself, to a spouse, child, or glegally classified as a controlled substance or recognized as an addictive or dangerous drug.	r )
e.	Violating any state or federal law or regulation relating to controlled substances. (	)
f. contraindicated b	Directly promoting minor office procedures or laboratory tests that are unnecessary and by current standards of naturopathic practice.	d )
<b>g.</b> do so by the subj	Failure to transfer pertinent and necessary medical records to another physician when requested to ect patient or by the subject patient's legally designated representative or guardian.	0
h. at a minimum, so the plan of care.	Failing to maintain adequate records. Adequate patient records means legible records that contain abjective information, an evaluation and report of objective findings, assessment, or diagnosis, and (	
<b>05.</b> of the trust and c	<b>Conduct</b> . Engaging in any conduct that constitutes an abuse or exploitation of a patient arising our onfidence placed in the physician by the patient, including, but not limited to:	ıt )
a.	Obtaining any fee by fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation. (	)
b.	Employing abusive billing practices. (	)
c. former patient w	Commission of any act of sexual contact, misconduct, exploitation, or intercourse with a patient of here such act arises out of the licensee's practice of naturopathic medicine.	r )
i.	Consent of the patient, whether expressed or implied, shall not be a defense. (	)
ii. provider and the	Subsection 350.05 of this rule does not apply to sexual contact between a naturopathic medical carprovider's spouse or a person in a domestic relationship who is also a patient. (	e )
	Interfering with an investigation or disciplinary proceeding by willful misrepresentation of facts of or harassment against any patient, board or committee on professional discipline member, Board icer, or witness in an attempt to influence the outcome of a disciplinary proceeding, investigation, of the control of the c	d
<b>06.</b> licensed naturopa	<b>Civil Fine</b> . The Board may impose a civil fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000) upon athic physician for each violation of Section 54-5115, Idaho Code.	a )
<b>07.</b> incurred by the Idaho Code.	<b>Costs and Fees</b> . The Board may order a licensed naturopathic physician to pay the costs and fee Board in the investigation or prosecution of the licensee if found in violation of Section 54-5115 (	
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#### **IDAPA 26 - DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

# 26.01.20 - RULES GOVERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF PARK AND RECREATION AREAS AND FACILITIES

#### **DOCKET NO. 26-0120-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 67-4249, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This proposed rule addresses several issues pertaining to the operation of state parks and protection of the natural resources of the state. An addition to the definition of the capacity of a campsite is recommended to provide that a family unit can include one vehicle or RV, or two motorcycles, and up to two tents. An increasing number of park visitors come to our facilities to pursue non-traditional recreational activities, such as model airplane operations, geocaching, gold panning, and metal detecting, etc. We need to establish appropriate guidance for park staff so they can effectively manage these activities for the benefit of the visitor and the natural resources of the park. With regard to protection of our historical, cultural and natural resources, we are experiencing an increasing number of requests to spread human ashes on lands owned by the Parks Department. This rule change will provide the necessary guidance for staff to appropriately respond to requests, and will also establish acceptable parameters for approving this activity.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because it was determined there was insufficient time from the formal approval of the proposed rules by the Idaho Park and Recreation Board. Public meetings will be scheduled prior to the upcoming legislative session if requested.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Dean Sangrey, 208-514-2260, dsangrey@idpr.idaho.gov.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 28th day of August, 2007.

Dean Sangrey, Division Administrator, Operations Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation 5657 Warm Springs Ave., Boise, ID 83716 PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0065

Phone: 208-334-4199 / Fax: 208-334-3741

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 26-0120-0701

#### 010. **DEFINITIONS.**

As used in this chapter: (1-1-94)

#### 01. ADA Campsites and Facilities.

(3-30-06)

- a. ADA Designated Campsites. A reservable ADA campsite may only be reserved and occupied by a party that can provide proof of disability upon arrival. If not reserved after 6:00 p.m. and no other non-ADA designated sites of the same site type are available, the site would be available for one (1) night. (3-30-06)
- **b.** ADA Accessible Facilities. IDPR offers some facilities that provide for ADA accessibility. These facilities are not managed exclusively for ADA use. (3-30-06)
- **O2.** Board. The Idaho Park and Recreation Board, a bipartisan, six (6) member Board, appointed by the Governor. (3-13-97)
- **03.** Camping Unit. A camping unit is the combined equipment and people capacity that a site or facility will accommodate. (3-30-06)
- a. Campsites. Maximum capacity limits on each campsite are subject to each site's design and size. Unless otherwise specified, the maximum capacity will be one (1) family unit or a party of no more than eight (8) persons, one (1) vehicle or RV or two (2) motorcycles, and up to two (2) tents, provided the combined equipment and people fit within the designated camping area of the site selected.

  (3-30-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- **b.** Facilities. Maximum capacity limits on each facility are subject to each facility's design and size. The combined equipment and people occupying a facility must fit within the designated areas of the facility selected. (3-30-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# **401. OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES FOR NON-TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.**Non-traditional recreational activities such as model airplane/glider operations, geo-caching, gold panning and metal

detecting may be authorized by the Park Manager or his designee, if such activities do not interfere with traditional uses of the park and are consistent with preservation of park resources.

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# 576. PROTECTION OF HISTORICAL, CULTURAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

The digging, destruction or removal of historical, cultural or natural resources is prohibited. Collection for scientific and educational purposes will be through written permission of the park manager or designee only. (3-30-06)

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Spreading of Human Ashes.</u> Human ashes may be spread on lands owned by the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation. The exact location must be pre-approved by the Park Manager or designee. Ashes may not be spread in the water within a state park.
- Q2. Land-Use Restrictions. The spreading of human ashes will not restrict the use of Department land from future development. The Department does not assign or convey any rights or restrictions by allowing the placement of ashes on the land, and there are no restrictions in the ability of the landowner to operate, develop, or otherwise use the land at their sole discretion without any obligation associated with the placement of ashes on the land.

#### **IDAPA 26 - DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

## 26.01.30 - IDAHO SAFE BOATING RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 26-0130-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 67-4249, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

In accordance with the provisions of the Idaho Safe Boating Act, it is critical that the Department of Parks and Recreation rules be amended to address concerns with regard to negligent operation of a vessel. This proposed amendment addresses unsafe seating while the vessel is underway, and the unsafe operation of a vessel in close proximity to a person in the water.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because it was determined there was insufficient time from the formal approval of the proposed rules by the Idaho Park and Recreation Board. Public meetings will be scheduled prior to the upcoming legislative session if requested.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Dean Sangrey, 208-514-2260, dsangrey@idpr.idaho.gov.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 28th day of August, 2007.

Dean Sangrey Division Administrator, Operations Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation 5657 Warm Springs Ave. Boise, ID 83716 PO Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0065

Boise, ID 83720-0065 Phone: 208-334-4199 Fax: 208-334-3741

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 26-0130-0701

# DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION Idaho Safe Boating Rules

Docket No. 26-0130-0701 Proposed Rule

525.	NEGI	IGENT	OPERA	ATION.

Negligent operation, as used in Section 67-7017, Idaho Code, shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
(1-1-94)

- **01. Airborne**. Becoming airborne or completely leaving the water while crossing the wake of another vessel at an unsafe distance from the vessel creating the wake; or (3-23-98)
  - **02.** Weaving. Weaving through congested traffic; or (3-23-98)
- **O3.** Speed or Proximity. Operating at such a speed and proximity to another vessel, a person, or property of other persons so as to require the operator to swerve at the last moment to avoid collision—: or (3-23-98)(
- <u>04.</u> <u>Unsafe Seating While Underway.</u> Operating a motorboat while a person sits, stands, or kneels on the bow deck, gunwales, transom, or any other areas not designed by the manufacturer for passengers, while the vessel is underway at a speed greater than no wake or five (5) miles per hour, except when immediately necessary for safe and reasonable navigation or operation; or (\_\_\_\_\_)
- <u>05.</u> <u>Unsafe Operation Person in Vicinity of Vessel.</u> Operating a motorboat, or engaging the engine of an idle motorboat, when someone is occupying the water in a manner or in proximity to the vessel's propulsion and/or exhaust so as to create a safety hazard.

#### **IDAPA 27 - BOARD OF PHARMACY**

# 27.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

#### **DOCKET NO. 27-0101-0703**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 3, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 54-1717, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Idaho Legislature in 2007 enacted comprehensive legislation regarding the licensing of wholesale distributors and the providing of prescription drug pedigrees. 2007 Session Law, Chapter 319 (S.B. No. 1184), pp. 948 through 959. The legislation is known as the Wholesale Drug Distribution Act. The Act necessitates revision of the Board of Pharmacy's existing rules regarding wholesalers in order to implement the new legislation. The proposed rule implements the licensing requirements, bonding requirements, and drug pedigree requirements required by the Idaho Wholesale Drug Distribution Act, which Act is a comprehensive revision of the former wholesale drug distribution laws.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

The proposed changes are needed to comply with amendments in governing law regarding the licensing of wholesale distributors and the providing of prescription drug pedigrees.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Negotiated rulemaking was not utilized in view of the need for a temporary rule. This temporary rule is necessary in order to comply with amendments in governing law enacted by the 2007 Idaho Legislature.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Jan Atkinson, Senior Compliance Officer, (208) 334-2356.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

Jan Atkinson Senior Compliance Officer Idaho Board of Pharmacy 3380 Americana Terrace, Ste. 320 P. O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0067

Phone: (208) 334-2356 Facsimile: (208) 334-3536

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 27-0101-0703

#### 321. DEFINITIONS.

- **Q1.** Authentication. To affirmatively verify before any wholesale distribution of a prescription drug occurs that each transaction listed on the pedigree has occurred. (8-3-07)T
- **Use.** Articles intended for use in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment or prevention of disease in man or other animal. Authorized Distributor of Record. A wholesale distributor with whom a manufacturer has established an ongoing relationship to distribute the manufacturer's prescription drug. An ongoing relationship is deemed to exist between such wholesale distributor and a manufacturer when the wholesale distributor, including any affiliated group of the wholesale distributor, as defined in section 1504 of the Internal Revenue Code, complies with the following:

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- <u>a.</u> The wholesale distributor has a written agreement currently in effect with the manufacturer evidencing such ongoing relationship; and (8-3-07)T
- **b.** The wholesale distributor is listed on the manufacturer's current list of authorized distributors of record, which is updated by the manufacturer on no less than a monthly basis. (8-3-07)T
- 03. Other. Articles other than food intended to affect the structure or any function of the body of man or other animals. Chain Pharmacy Warehouse. A physical location for prescription drugs that acts as a central warehouse and performs intra-company sales or transfers of such drugs to a group of chain pharmacies that have the same common ownership and control.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **O4.** Co-Licensed Partner or Product. An instance where two (2) or more parties have the right to engage in the manufacturing and/or marketing of a prescription drug, consistent with the federal Food and Drug Administration's implementation of the Prescription Drug Marketing Act. (8-3-07)T
- **045. Components.** Articles intended for use as a component of any articles specified in Subsection 321.01, 321.02, or 321.03 of these rules.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}$
- Marehouse by the manufacturer of the prescription drug, or that manufacturer's co-licensed product partner, that manufacturer's third party logistics provider, or that manufacturer's exclusive distributor, whereby the wholesale distributor or chain pharmacy warehouse takes title but not physical possession of such prescription drug and the wholesale distributor invoices the pharmacy or chain pharmacy warehouse, or other person authorized by law to dispense or administer such drug to a patient, and the pharmacy or chain pharmacy warehouse or other authorized person receives delivery of the prescription drug directly from the manufacturer, or that manufacturer's third party logistics provider, or that manufacturer's exclusive distributor.

  (8-3-07)T
- **047. Drug.** Articles recognized as drugs in the official United States Pharmacopoeia, official National Formulary, official Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia, other drug compendia or any supplement to any of them. (7-1-93)

- **08.** Facility. Facility of a wholesale distributor where prescription drugs are stored, handled, repackaged, or offered for sale. (8-3-07)T
- **Manufacturer**. Manufacturer means anyone who is A person licensed or approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration to engaged in manufacturing, preparing, propagating, compounding, processing, packaging, repackaging or labeling of a drug the manufacture of drugs or devices, consistent with the federal Food and Drug Administration definition of "manufacturer" under its regulations and guidance implementing the Prescription Drug Marketing Act.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- Manufacturer's Exclusive Distributor. Anyone who contracts with a manufacturer to provide or coordinate warehousing, distribution, or other services on behalf of a manufacturer and who takes title to that manufacturer's prescription drug, but who does not have general responsibility to direct the sale or disposition of the manufacturer's prescription drug. Such manufacturer's exclusive distributor must be licensed as a wholesale distributor under Section 54-1753, Idaho Code, and, to be considered part of the normal distribution channel, must also be an authorized distributor of record.

  (8-3-07)T
- 11. Normal Distribution Channel. A chain of custody for a prescription drug that goes from a manufacturer of the prescription drug, from that manufacturer to that manufacturer's co-licensed partner, from that manufacturer to that manufacturer's third party logistics provider, or from that manufacturer to that manufacturer's exclusive distributor, either directly or by drop shipment to:

  (8-3-07)T
  - **a.** A pharmacy to a patient:

(8-3-07)T

- <u>b.</u> Other designated persons authorized by law to dispense or administer such drug to a patient; (8-3-07)T
- <u>c.</u> A wholesale distributor to a pharmacy to a patient or other designated persons authorized by law to dispense or administer such drug to a patient; (8-3-07)T
- **d.** A wholesale distributor to a chain pharmacy warehouse to that chain pharmacy warehouse's intracompany pharmacy to a patient or other designated persons authorized by law to dispense or administer such drug to a patient; or (8-3-07)T
- e. A chain pharmacy warehouse to the chain pharmacy warehouse's intra-company pharmacy to a patient or other designated persons authorized by law to dispense or administer such drug to a patient. (8-3-07)T
- 12. Pedigree. A document or electronic file containing information that records each wholesale distribution of any given prescription drug. (8-3-07)T
- $\theta$ 713. Prescription Drug. Prescription drug means a Any human drug, including any biological product, except for blood and blood components intended for transfusion or biological products that are also medical devices, required by  $F_f$ ederal or Idaho law or rule federal regulation to be dispensed only by a prescription, including finished dosage forms and active ingredients bulk substances, subject to Section 503(b) of the  $F_f$ ederal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act. (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- 14. Repackage. Repackaging or otherwise changing the container, wrapper, or labeling to further the distribution of a prescription drug, excluding that completed by the pharmacist responsible for dispensing product to the patient.

  (8-3-07)T
  - **15. Repackager.** A person who repackages.

(8-3-07)T

- **6516.** Sample. Drug sample means  $a\Delta$  unit of a drug that is not intended to be sold and is intended to promote the sale of the drug.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}$
- 17. Third Party Logistics Provider. Anyone who contracts with a prescription drug manufacturer to provide or coordinate warehousing, distribution, or other services on behalf of a manufacturer, but does not take title

to the prescription drug or have general responsibility to direct the prescription drug's sale or disposition. Such third party logistics provider must be licensed as a wholesale distributor under Section 54-1753, Idaho Code, and, to be considered part of the normal distribution channel, must also be an authorized distributor of record. (8-3-07)T

- **918.** Wholesale Distribution. Distribution of <u>prescription</u> drugs to persons other than a consumer or patient, but does not include:  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}$
- a. The sale, purchase or trade of a drug or an offer to sell, purchase or trade a drug for emergency medical reasons; for purposes of this section "emergency medical reasons" includes transfers of prescription drugs by a retail pharmacy to another retail pharmacy to alleviate a temporary shortage, except that the gross dollar value of such transfers shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the total prescription drug sales revenue of either the transferor or transferee pharmacy during any twelve (12) consecutive month period. Intracompany sales of prescription drugs, meaning any transaction or transfer between any division, subsidiary, parent or affiliated or related company under common ownership and control of a corporate entity, or any transaction or transfer between colicensees of a co-licensed product.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **b.** The sale, purchase, or distribution, trade, or transfer of a prescription drug, an or offer to sell, purchase, or distribute, trade, or transfer a prescription drug, or the dispensing of a drug pursuant to a prescription for emergency medical reasons.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **c.** The *lawful* distribution of <u>prescription</u> drug samples by manufacturers' representatives—*or distributor's representatives*.
- **d.** The sale, purchase or trade of blood and blood components intended for transfusion. Drug returns, when conducted by a hospital, health care entity, or charitable institution in accordance with 21 CFR 203.23.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **e.** Intracompany transfers among hospitals or health care entities under common control, transfers among members of a group purchasing organization and transfers between a charitable organization and a nonprofit affiliate. The sale of minimal quantities of prescription drugs by retail pharmacies to licensed practitioners for office use.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- <u>f.</u> The sale, purchase, or trade of a drug, an offer to sell, purchase, or trade a drug, or the dispensing of a drug pursuant to a prescription. (8-3-07)T
- g. The sale, transfer, merger, or consolidation of all or part of the business of a pharmacy or pharmacies from or with another pharmacy or pharmacies, whether accomplished as a purchase and sale of stick or business assets.

  (8-3-07)T
- h. The sale, purchase, distribution, trade, or transfer of a prescription drug from one (1) authorized distributor of record to one (1) additional authorized distributor of record when the manufacturer has stated in writing to the receiving authorized distributor of record that the manufacturer is unable to supply such prescription drug and the supplying authorized distributor of record states in writing that the prescription drug being supplied had, until that time, been exclusively in the normal distribution channel.

  (8-3-07)T
- The delivery of, or offer to deliver, a prescription drug by a common carrier solely in the common carrier's usual course of business of transporting prescription drugs, and such common carrier does not store, warehouse, or take legal ownership of the prescription drug.

  (8-3-07)T
- j. The sale or transfer from a retail pharmacy or chain pharmacy warehouse of expired, damaged, returned, or recalled prescription drugs to the original manufacturer or third party returns processor, including a reverse distributor. (8-3-07)T
- **<u>419. Wholesale</u> Distributor**. *Wholesale distributor means aA* nyone engaged in wholesale distribution of drugs, including, but not limited to: manufacturers; repackagers; own-label distributors; private-label distributors; jobbers; brokers; warehouses, including manufacturer's and distributor's warehouses, including manufacturer's and distributor's warehouses, independent wholesale drug traders;

specialty wholesale distributors; third party logistics providers; retail pharmacies that conduct wholesale distribution; and chain drug pharmacy warehouses and wholesale drug warehouses; independent wholesale drug traders; retail pharmacies; and drug outlets that conduct wholesale distributions. To be considered part of the normal distribution channel, such wholesale distributor, except for a chain pharmacy warehouse not engaged in wholesale distribution, must also be an authorized distributor of record.

(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

#### 322. WHOLESALE DRUG DISTRIBUTOR LICENSING REQUIREMENT.

- **O1. License Required.** Every wholesale distributor, *wherever located*, who engages in wholesale distribution *into, out* of, *or within this state* prescription drugs must be licensed by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy in accordance with the laws and rules of this state before engaging in wholesale distribution of prescription drugs, and every nonresident wholesale distributor, if it ships prescription drugs into this state, must be licensed by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy in accordance with the laws and rules of this state before engaging in wholesale distribution of prescription drugs.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **Reciprocity.** Those wholesale drug distributors not located within the state may obtain the license required by this rule on the basis of reciprocity if the out-of-state distributor possesses a valid license granted by another state pursuant to standards comparable to those in Idaho and the other state extends reciprocal treatment to distributors of this state. Exemption. Manufacturers distributing their own federal Food and Drug Administration approved drugs and devices are exempt from the wholesale distributor licensing requirement unless federal law or regulation requires such manufacturers to be licensed in this state as wholesale distributors. (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

# 323. MINIMUM REQUIRED INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE.

- **01.** Requirements Information Under Oath. The Idaho Board of Pharmacy requires the following information under oath from each wholesale drug distributor as part of the initial licensing procedure and as part of any renewal of such license: (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
  - **a.** The name, full business address, and telephone number of the licensee. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** All trade or business names used by the licensee. (7-1-93)
- c. Addresses, telephone numbers, and the names of contact persons for the facility used by the licensee for the storage, handling, and distribution of <u>prescription</u> drugs.  $\frac{(7-I-93)(8-3-07)T}{(7-I-93)(8-3-07)T}$ 
  - **d.** The type of ownership or operation (i.e., partnership, corporation, or sole proprietorship). (7-1-93)
  - The name(s) of the owner and/or operator of the licensee, including: (7-1-93)
  - i. If a person, the name of the person. (7-1-93)
  - ii. If a partnership, the name of each partner, and the name of the partnership. (7-1-93)
- iii. If a corporation, the name and title of each corporate officer and director, the corporate names, and the name of the state of incorporation, and the name of the parent company, if any. (7-1-93)
  - iv. If a sole proprietorship, the full name of the sole proprietor and the name of the business entity.

    (7-1-93)
- **f.** A list of all licenses and permits issued to the applicant/licensee by any other state that authorizes the applicant/licensee to purchase or possess prescription drugs. (8-3-07)T
- g. Any convictions of the applicant/licensee under any federal, state, or local laws relating to wholesale or retail prescription drug distribution or distribution of controlled substances. (8-3-07)T
  - h. Any felony convictions of the applicant/licensee under federal, state, or local law. (8-3-07)T

- **i.** Any discipline of the applicant/licensee by a regulatory agency in any state for violating any federal, state, or local laws relating to wholesale or retail prescription drug distribution or distribution of controlled substances. (8-3-07)T
- j. The name of the licensee's designated representative for the facility, together with the personal information statement and fingerprints required for such individual pursuant to Paragraph 323.01.k. of these rules.

  (8-3-07)T
- **k.** For each individual identified by the licensee as a designated representative pursuant to Paragraph 323.01.g of these rules, the licensee shall provide the following information: (8-3-07)T
  - <u>i.</u> The individual's places of residence for the past seven (7) years.

(8-3-07)T

<u>ii.</u> The individual's date and place of birth.

- (8-3-07)T
- <u>iii.</u> The individual's occupations, positions of employment, and offices held during the past seven (7) years. (8-3-07)T
- iv. The principal business and address of any business, corporation, or other organization in which each such office of the individual was held or in which each such occupation or position of employments was carried on.

  (8-3-07)T
- v. Whether the individual during the past seven (7) years has been the subject of any proceeding for the revocation of any license or any criminal violation and, if so, the nature of the proceeding and the disposition of the proceeding.

  (8-3-07)T
- vi. Whether the individual during the past seven (7) years has been enjoined, either temporarily or permanently, by a court of competent jurisdiction from either violating any federal or state law or regulation the possession, control, or distribution of prescription drugs or criminal violations, together with details concerning any such event.

  (8-3-07)T
- vii. A description of any involvement by the individual during the past seven (7) years with any business, including any investments, other than the ownership of stock in a publicly traded company or mutual fund, which manufactured, administered, prescribed, distributed, or stored pharmaceutical products, and any lawsuits in which such businesses were named as a party.

  (8-3-07)T
- viii. A description of any felony criminal offense of which the individual, as an adult, was found guilty, regardless of whether adjudication of guilt was withheld or whether the individual pled guilty or nolo contendere. If the individual has a criminal conviction under appeal and a copy of the notice of appeal of that criminal offense is submitted to the Board, the licensee must submit to the Board within fifteen (15) days after disposition of the appeal a copy of the final written order of disposition.

  (8-3-07)T
  - ix. A photograph of the individual taken in the previous year.

- (8-3-07)T
- **O2.** License Required for Each <u>Location Facility</u>. Where operations are conducted at more than one (1) location by If a single wholesale distributor, distributes prescription drugs from more than one (1) facility, the wholesale distributor shall obtain a license for each such location shall be licensed by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy facility.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **O3.** Changes in Information Must Be Submitted to Board. Changes in or corrections to, any information in this Section provided pursuant to Subsection 323.01 of these rules shall be submitted to the Idaho Board of Pharmacy under oath at the time of license renewal.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **Q4.** Requirement for Bond or Equivalent Security. Every wholesale distributor required to be licensed in this state shall submit to the Idaho Board of Pharmacy a bond of not less than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), or other equivalent means of security acceptable to the Board and payable to the Board, such as an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a third party acceptable to the Board or a deposit in a trust account or financial

institution acceptable to the Board. Such bond or equivalent security shall secure payment of any administrative fines or penalties imposed by the Board and any fees or costs incurred by the Board regarding that licensee when those fines, penalties, fees, or costs are authorized under the laws of this state and the licensee fails to pay thirty (30) days after the fines, penalties, fees, or costs become final. The Board may make a claim against such bond or equivalent security until one (1) year after the licensee's license cease to be valid. A single bond may suffice to cover all facilities operated by the licensee in this state.

(8-3-07)T

- **O5.** Separate Fund for Deposit of Bonds. The Board shall deposit the bonds required pursuant to Subsection 323.04 of these rules in a fund established by the Board separate from its other accounts. (8-3-07)T
- <u>06.</u> <u>Accreditation by VAWD.</u> The Idaho Board of Pharmacy will recognize inspection and accreditation of wholesale distributors by the National Association of Board of Pharmacy's Verified-Accredited Wholesale Distributors (VAWD) program. (8-3-07)T
- <u>O7.</u> <u>License by Reciprocity.</u> The Idaho Board of Pharmacy may license by reciprocity a wholesale distributor that is licensed under the laws of another state if the applicant is accredited by the National Association of Board of Pharmacy's Verified-Accredited Wholesale Distributor's (VAWD) program. (8-3-07)T

#### 324. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS.

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Mandatory Denial of Licensure for Wholesale Distribution of Drugs.</u> The Idaho Board of Pharmacy shall not issue a wholesale distributor license to an applicant if the designated representative does not meet all of the following qualifications: (8-3-07)T
  - <u>a.</u> <u>Is at least twenty-one (21) years of age.</u>

(8-3-07)T

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- **b.** Has been employed full-time for at least three (3) years in a pharmacy or with a wholesale distributor in a capacity related to the dispensing and distribution of, and recordkeeping related to, prescription drugs. (8-3-07)T
  - **c.** Is employed by the applicant full-time in a managerial level position.
  - <u>d.</u> <u>Is actively involved in and aware of the actual daily operation of the wholesale distributor.</u> (8-3-07)T
- <u>e.</u> <u>Is physically present at the facility of the applicant during regular business hours, except when the absence of the designated representative is authorized including, but not limited to, sick leave and vacation leave. (8-3-07)T</u>
- Is serving in the capacity of a designated representative for only one (1) applicant at a time, except where more than one (1) licensed wholesale distributor is co-located in the same facility and such wholesale distributors are members of an affiliated group, as defined in Section 1504 of the Internal Revenue Code. (8-3-07)T
- g. Does not have any convictions under any federal, state, or local law relating to wholesale or retail prescription drug distribution or distribution of controlled substances. (8-3-07)T
  - **h.** Does not have any felony convictions under federal, state, or local law.
- 042. Other Eligibility for Licensure for Wholesale Distribution of Drugs Factors. Besides the qualifications of the applicant's designated representative, 7the Idaho Board of Pharmacy will consider the following factors in determining the applicant's eligibility for licensure of persons who engage in the as a wholesale distribution of drugs distributor.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **a.** Any convictions of the applicant under any federal, state, or local laws relating to drug samples, wholesale or retail drug distribution, or distribution of controlled substances. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Any felony convictions of the applicant under federal, state, or local laws. (7-1-93)

- **c.** The applicant's past experience in the manufacture or distribution of drugs, including controlled substances. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The furnishing by the applicant of false or fraudulent material in any application made in connection with drug manufacturing or distribution. (7-1-93)
- **e.** Suspension or revocation by federal, state, or local government of any license currently or previously held by the applicant for the manufacture or distribution of any drugs, including controlled substances.

  (7-1-93)
  - **f.** Compliance with licensing requirements under previously granted licenses, if any. (7-1-93)
- **g.** Compliance with the requirements to maintain and/or make available to the state licensing authority or to federal, state, or local law enforcement officials those records required to be maintained by wholesale drug distributors.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T}$
- **h.** Any other factors or qualifications the Idaho Board of Pharmacy considers relevant to and consistent with the public health and safety. (7-1-93)
- **023. Denial of License to Applicant**. The Idaho Board of Pharmacy reserves the right to deny a license to an applicant if it determines that the granting of such a license would not be in the *public* interest *based on* of the public health, safety, and welfare *considerations*.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

#### 325. PERSONNEL.

- <u>01.</u> <u>Employment of Adequate Personnel.</u> The licensed wholesale distributor shall employ adequate personnel with the education and experience necessary to safely and lawfully engage in the wholesale distribution of drugs.
- <u>02.</u> <u>Continuing Training for Designated Representative</u>. A licensed wholesale distributor's designated representative must receive and complete: (8-3-07)T
- **a.** Continuing education programs specified by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy regarding federal and state laws regarding wholesale distribution of prescription drugs. (8-3-07)T
- b. If no formal continuing education is specified by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy, training programs that address applicable federal and state laws regarding wholesale distribution of prescription drugs and are provided by qualified in-house specialists, outside counsel, or consulting specialists with capabilities to help ensure compliance.

  (8-3-07)T

#### 326. MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS.

- **01. Requirements for Storage and Handling of Drugs**. The following are required for the storage and handling of drugs, and for the establishment and maintenance of drug distribution records by wholesale drug distributors and their officers, designated representative, agents, representatives, and employees. (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **02. Drug Facility Requirements**. All facilities at which drugs are stored, warehoused, handled, held, offered, marketed, or displayed shall: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Be of suitable size and construction to facilitate cleaning, maintenance, and proper operations; (7-1-93)
- **b.** Have storage areas designed to provide adequate lighting, ventilation, temperature, sanitation, humidity, space, equipment, and security conditions; (7-1-93)
  - c. Have a quarantine area for storage of prescription drugs that are outdated, damaged, deteriorated,

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- misbranded, or adulterated, or that are in medicate or sealed secondary containers that have been opened. (7-1-93)
  - **d.** Be maintained in a clean and orderly condition. (7-1-93)
  - e. Be free from infestation by insects, rodents, birds, or vermin of any kind. (7-1-93)
- **03. Security of Wholesale Drug Distribution Facilities**. All facilities used for wholesale drug distribution shall be secure from unauthorized entry. (7-1-93)
  - a. Access from outside the premises shall be kept to a minimum and be well controlled. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** The outside perimeter of the premises shall be well lighted. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** Entry into areas where drugs are held shall be limited to authorized personnel (7-1-93)
  - **d.** All facilities shall be equipped with an alarm system to detect entry after hours. (7-1-93)
- **e.** All facilities shall be equipped with a security system that will provide suitable protection against theft and diversion. (7-1-93)
- **f.** When appropriate, the security system shall provide protection against theft or diversion that is facilitated or hidden by tampering with computers or electronic records. (7-1-93)
- **04. Proper Storage of Drugs**. All drugs shall be stored at appropriate temperatures and under appropriate conditions in accordance with requirements, if any, in the labeling of such drugs, or with requirements in the current edition of an official compendium. (7-1-93)
- **a.** If no storage requirements are established for a drug, the drug may be held at "controlled" room temperature, as defined in an official compendium, to help ensure that its identity, strength, quality, and purity are not adversely affected. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Appropriate manual, electromechanical, or electronic temperature and humidity recording equipment, devices, and/or logs shall be utilized to document proper storage of drugs. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** The record keeping requirements in Subsection 326.07 shall be followed for all stored drugs. (7-1-93)
- **05. Examination of Materials**. Upon receipt, each outside shipping container shall be visually examined for identity and to prevent the acceptance of contaminated drugs or drugs that are otherwise unfit for distribution. (7-1-93)
- **a.** This examination shall be adequate to reveal container damage that would suggest possible contamination or other damage to the contents. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Each outgoing shipment shall be carefully inspected for identity of the drug products and to ensure that there is no delivery of drugs that have been damaged in storage or held under improper conditions. (7-1-93)
- ${f c.}$  The record keeping requirements in Subsection 326.07 of this section shall be followed for all incoming and outgoing drugs. (7-1-93)
- **06. Returned, Damaged, and Outdated Drugs**. Drugs that are outdated, damaged, deteriorated, misbranded, or adulterated shall be quarantined and physically separated from other drugs until they are destroyed or returned to *their supplier* the original manufacturer or third party returns processor. (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T
- **a.** Any drugs whose immediate or sealed outer or sealed secondary containers have been opened or used shall be identified as such, and shall be quarantined and physically separated from other drugs until they are either destroyed or returned to the *supplier* original manufacturer or third party returns processor. (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

- **b.** If the conditions under which a drug has been returned cast doubt on the drug's safety, identity, strength, quality, or purity, then the drug shall be destroyed, or returned to the supplier, unless examination, testing, or other investigation proves that the drug meets appropriate standards of safety, identity, strength, quality, and purity.

  (7-1-93)
- **c.** In determining whether the conditions under which a drug has been returned cast doubt on the drug's safety, identity, strength, quality, or purity, the wholesale drug distributor shall consider, among other things, the conditions under which the drug has been held, stored, or shipped before or during its return and the condition of the drug and its container, carton, or labeling, as a result of storage or shipping. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The record keeping requirements in Subsection 326.07 shall be followed for all outdated, damaged, deteriorated, misbranded, or adulterated drugs. (7-1-93)
- **07. Record Keeping by Wholesale Drug Distributors**. Wholesale drug distributors shall establish and maintain inventories and records of all transactions regarding the receipt and distribution or other disposition of drugs. (7-1-93)
  - **a.** The records shall include: (7-1-93)
- i. The source of the drugs, including the name and principal address of the seller or transferor, and the address of the location from which the drugs were shipped. (7-1-93)
  - ii. The identity and quantity of the drugs received and distributed or disposed of. (7-1-93)
  - iii. The dates of receipt and distribution or other disposition of the drugs. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Inventories and records shall be made available for inspection and photocopying by any authorized official of any governmental agency charged with enforcement of these rules for a period of two (2) years following disposition of the drugs. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Records described in this section that are kept at the inspection site or that can be immediately retrieved by computer or other electronic means shall be readily available for authorized inspection during the retention period. (7-1-93)
- **d.** Records kept at a central location apart from the inspection site and not electronically retrievable shall be made available for inspection within two (2) working days of a request by an authorized official of any governmental agency charged with enforcement of these rules. (7-1-93)

## 327. WRITTEN POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.

Wholesale drug distributors shall establish, maintain, and adhere to written policies and procedures, which shall be followed for the receipt, security, storage, inventory, and distribution of drugs, including policies and procedures for identifying, recording, and reporting losses or thefts, and for correcting all errors and inaccuracies in inventories.

(7-1-93)

- **O1. Distribution of Oldest Approved Stock First**. A procedure whereby the oldest approved stock of a drug product is distributed first but may permit deviation from this requirement if such deviation is temporary and appropriate. (7-1-93)
- **O2. Procedure for Recalls and Withdrawals**. A procedure to be followed for handling recalls and withdrawals of drugs that is adequate to deal with recalls and withdrawals due to: (7-1-93)
- **a.** Any action initiated at the request of the Food and Drug Administration or other federal, state, or local law enforcement or other government agency, including the Idaho Board of Pharmacy. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Any voluntary action by the manufacturer to remove defective or potentially defective drugs from the market. (7-1-93)

- **c.** Any action undertaken to promote public health and safety by the replacing of existing merchandise with an improved product or new package design. (7-1-93)
- **O3. Procedure for Crisis Situations.** A procedure to ensure that wholesale drug distributors prepare for, protect against, and handle any crisis that affects security or operation of any facility in the event of strike, fire, flood, or other natural disaster, or other situations of local, state, or national emergency. (7-1-93)
- **O4. Segregation and Disposal of Outdated Drugs**. A procedure to ensure that any outdated drugs shall be segregated from other drugs and either returned to the <u>original</u> manufacturer <u>or third party returns processor</u> or destroyed which shall provide for written documentation of the disposition of outdated drugs and maintained for two (2) years after disposition of the outdated drugs.

  (7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

#### 328. RESPONSIBLE PERSONS.

Wholesale drug distributors shall establish and maintain lists of officers, directors, managers, the designated representative, and other persons in charge of wholesale drug distribution, storage, and handling, including a description of their duties and a summary of their qualifications.

(7-1-93)(8-3-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 331. PEDIGREE.

<u>01.</u>	Pedigree Contents. A pedigree for each prescription drug shall contain the following in	formation: (8-3-07)T
<u>a.</u>	The proprietary and established name of the prescription drug.	(8-3-07)T
<u>b.</u>	The container size of the prescription drug.	(8-3-07)T
<u>c.</u>	The number of containers.	(8-3-07)T
<u>d.</u>	The dosage form.	(8-3-07)T
<u>e.</u>	The dosage strength.	(8-3-07)T
<u>f.</u>	The lot number with expiration dates and the national drug code number of the prescript	ion drug. (8-3-07)T
g. product.	The name of the manufacturer and repackager, if applicable, of the finished prescri	ption drug (8-3-07)T
<u>h.</u> prescription drug	The name, address, telephone number, and, if available, the e-mail address, of each ow and each wholesale distributor of the prescription drug.	<u>vner of the</u> (8-3-07)T
<u>i.</u> from the owner's	The name and address of each location from which the prescription drug was shipped, s.	if different (8-3-07)T
<u>i.</u>	The sales invoice number.	(8-3-07)T
<u>k.</u>	The dates of each transaction.	(8-3-07)T
<u>l.</u>	A certification that each recipient has authenticated the pedigree, back to the manufacture	<u>rer.</u> (8-3-07)T

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**m.** The name and address of each recipient of the prescription drug.

- (8-3-07)T
- <u>**02.**</u> <u>**Pedigree Format.** The pedigree format shall include the contents described in Subsection 331.01 of these rules and may be subject to the approval of the Idaho Board of Pharmacy. (8-3-07)T</u>
- Q3. Requirement of a Pedigree. Each person who is engaged in wholesale distribution of prescription drugs, including repackagers but excluding the original manufacturer of the finished form of the prescription drug, that leaves or has ever left the normal distribution channel shall, before each wholesale distribution of such drug, provide a pedigree to the person who receives such drug. A retail pharmacy or chain pharmacy warehouse shall comply with the pedigree requirement only if the retail pharmacy or chain pharmacy warehouse engages in wholesale distribution.

  (8-3-07)T
- **Q4.** Authentication. Each person who is engaged in the wholesale distribution of a prescription drug, including repackagers but excluding the original manufacturer of the finished form of the prescription drug, who is provided a pedigree for a prescription drug and attempts to further distribute that prescription drug, shall affirmatively verify before any wholesale distribution of a prescription drug occurs that each transaction listed on the pedigree has occurred.

  (8-3-07)T
- Maintenance of Pedigree. The purchaser and the wholesale distributor of a prescription drug shall maintain the pedigree for not less than three (3) years from the date of sale or transfer. (8-3-07)T
- **06.** Availability of Records for Inspection. Pedigrees shall be made available to the Idaho Board of Pharmacy for inspection within five (5) business days of a request from the Board. (8-3-07)T

#### 33+2. FAILURE TO COMPLY.

A wholesale distributor's violation of, or Ffailure to comply with, these rules may result in reprimand, suspension or revocation of license or other disciplinary action imposition by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy of any one (1) or more of the penalties provided in Section 54-1728, Idaho Code.

33<u>23</u>. -- 350. (RESERVED).

# **IDAPA 27 - BOARD OF PHARMACY**

## 27.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

#### **DOCKET NO. 27-0101-0705**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 37-2726(4) and 54-1717, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Board of Pharmacy is instituting a 24/7 electronic database for tracking controlled substance prescriptions. The rule is needed to comply with the directive of Section 37-2726(4), Idaho Code, that the Board promulgate rules to insure that only authorized individuals have access to the database.

The proposed rule establishes procedures for registration in order to access the database; for assignment of user accounts, log-in names, and passwords; for confidentiality; for discipline for the unauthorized disclosure of information or sharing of account information, log-in names, or passwords; and for information reports by non-practitioners.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because of the simple nature of the rule.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jan Atkinson, Senior Compliance Officer, (208) 334-2356.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2007.

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# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 27-0101-0705

<u>497.</u>	<b>INFOR</b>	MATION FROM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES PRESCRIPTION DATABASE.
	<u>01.</u>	Authority. These rules are promulgated as authorized by Section 37-2726(4), Idaho Code.
	<u>02.</u>	<u><b>Definitions</b></u> . The definitions set forth in Section 37-2701, Idaho Code, shall apply to these rules.
		Access to Online Prescription Monitoring Program. Access to the Idaho Board of Pharmacy's on Monitoring Program shall be limited to licensed practitioners and licensed pharmacists who have be Board.
the onli	04. ne Prescr	Registration and Access Requirements. In order to register with the Board and obtain access to iption Monitoring Program, a licensed practitioner or licensed pharmacist must:
	<u>a.</u>	Complete the registration form available from the Idaho Board of Pharmacy;
	<u>b.</u>	Obtain from the Board a user account, login name, and password; and
	<u>c.</u>	Agree in writing that:
		No information shall be accessed from the Prescription Monitoring Program by a licensed authority to prescribe controlled substances unless it relates specifically to a current patient of the whom the practitioner is prescribing or considering prescribing any controlled substance:
		No information shall be accessed by a licensed pharmacist having authority to dispense controlled the Prescription Monitoring Program unless it relates specifically to a current patient to whom that pensing or considering dispensing any controlled substance;
	<u>iii.</u>	Information accessed from the Prescription Monitoring Program shall be kept confidential; (
unautho	<u>iv.</u> rized per	Information accessed from the Prescription Monitoring Program shall not be disclosed to any son; and
regardle	<u>v.</u> ess of whe	User account information, login names, and passwords shall not be shared with any person ether or not that person is also an authorized user of the online Prescription Monitoring Program.
Prescrip	05. otion Mor	Conditions on Access and Use. Each of the following conditions applies to access to the online nitoring Program and to use of information obtained from it.
		No licensed practitioner or licensed pharmacist authorized by the Board to access the online nitoring Program shall share user account information, login names, or passwords with any person ether or not that person is also an authorized user of the online Prescription Monitoring Program.
Prescrip practitio	b. otion Mooner, to w	A licensed practitioner having authority to prescribe controlled substances shall access the online printering Program only to obtain information specifically related to a current patient of the practitioner is prescribing or considering prescribing any controlled substance.
		A licensed pharmacist having authority to dispense controlled substances shall access the nitoring Program only to obtain information specifically related to a current patient to whom that pensing or considering dispensing any controlled substance.

<u>d.</u>	Information obtained from the Prescription Monitoring Program shall be kept confidential. (	_)
e. unauthorized per	No information obtained from the Prescription Monitoring Program shall be disclosed to a cson.	<u>ny</u> )
<u>f.</u> outside the licens	No information obtained from the Prescription Monitoring Program shall be used for a purposed practitioner's or licensed pharmacist's scope of professional practice.	) <u>se</u>
g. practitioner's or Monitoring Prog	No licensed practitioner or licensed pharmacist shall permit any unauthorized person to utilize to pharmacist's user account, account name, or password in order to access the online Prescription are regarding any person or for any purpose.	
Prescription Mo	Termination of Access and Discipline. Violation of these rules shall be grounds for suspension estriction of the licensed practitioner's or licensed pharmacist's authorization to access the online online of the licensed practitioner or license he imposition of penalties pursuant to Sections 54-1726 and 54-1728, Idaho Code.	ine
	Other Profile Requests. Profiles from the Prescription Monitoring Program may be obtained thorized by Section 37-2726(2), Idaho Code, to obtain such information, but who are not register by the Board for online access, or are not eligible under these rules for registration and online access.	ed
<u>a.</u> completed form, Pharmacy's office	Completing the form provided by the Idaho Board of Pharmacy and mailing or faxing talong with any proof of identification and authorization required by the Board, to the Idaho Board (	<u>he</u> <u>of</u> )
<b>b.</b> produce the prof	By serving upon the Board a lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction directing the Board ile to that court or to such person designated by the court in its order.	<u>to</u>
08. individual's prof to Sections 54-1	Additional Grounds for Discipline. A licensed practitioner or licensed pharmacist who obtains file pursuant to Subsection 497.07 of these rules shall be subject to discipline and sanctions pursuant 526 and 54-1728, Idaho Code, if:	<u>an</u> ant )
<u>a.</u> current practition	The profile was obtained for an individual with whom the practitioner or pharmacist did not have ner/patient or pharmacist/patient relationship at the time the profile was requested; (	<u>e a</u> )
<u>b.</u>	The profile was requested for an unlawful purpose;	)
<u>c.</u>	The information in the profile was used for an unlawful purpose; or (	)
<u>d.</u> unauthorized per	The profile or information from the profile was disclosed by the practitioner or pharmacist to cson.	<u>an</u> )
	Duties, Powers, and Immunities. Nothing in these rules shall affect the Idaho Board es and powers under Sections 37-2730a(2) and 37-2730a(3), Idaho Code, or the immunities grant 730a(4), Idaho Code.	
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# **IDAPA 28 - IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

# 28.02.03 - RULES OF THE IDAHO REGIONAL TRAVEL AND CONVENTION GRANT PROGRAM DOCKET NO. 28-0203-0701

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 3, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 67-4715, 67-4717 and 67-4718, Idaho Code

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The purpose of this rulemaking is to update language and concepts that related to previous changes and advances in technology. It is also necessary to update outdated language and to bring consistency between rules.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1) and 67-4702, Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

The inconsistencies in language cause questions and confusion in the administration of existing Idaho Travel Council grants These rule changes confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes proposed do not substantially change the existing rules, but remove outdated and inconsistent content.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Cathy Bourner, 208 334-2670.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 30, 2007.

Cathy Bourner Grant Analyst Idaho Department of Commerce, Division of Tourism Development 700 W State St, Boise, ID PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0094 208 334-2470 Fax 208 334-2631

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 28-0203-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS, REGIONAL/LOCAL/SPECIAL INTEREST PROMOTION.

The applicant must establish that the plan will attract more visitors to the region and keep them in the region longer. All plans must identify Idaho and market various attractions and events throughout the region. Regional applications must be a true region-wide promotion, and must promote the planning region as defined in the legislation. The following items are eligible projects:

(5-3-03)

- **01. Advertising.** Ranked Primary. Priority will be given to advertising that is image-driven and targets specific attractions or events within the region and ties to the state advertising plan. Markets, concepts, attractions and events will be defined in the application. If developed as a co-op, pre-approval is required by the Department of Commerce. Applicant must state in the application: (5-3-03)
  - **a.** Objective and placement of advertising. (2-22-93)
  - **b.** Geographic target audience. (2-22-93)
  - **c.** Demographic target audience. (2-22-93)
  - **d.** Fulfillment plans. (2-22-93)
- **O2. Hospitality Training**. Ranked Primary. Hospitality training will be an allowable item under the grant program. A detailed plan for the training must be included in the application. (2-22-93)(8-3-07)T
- **03. Convention Promotion.** Ranked Primary. Trade shows (to be approved prior to the application process) and convention advertising. Concept and placement must be submitted with application. (2-22-93)
- **O4. Site Visits/Familiarization Tours (FAMS).** Ranked Primary. Tour Operators, Travel Writers, Convention Planners, Winters Sports Clubs and Airline Sales People are groups that can be invited for site visits and FAMS. Grant funds can be used for one hundred percent (100%) of travel and lodging expenses for FAM participants. Grant funds can also be used for in-state transportation, fuel expenses, rental vans, motorcoaches, invitations, baggage tags, information folders and miscellaneous snacks, such as coffee, soda pop, and candy bars. Grant funds cannot be used to pay for alcoholic beverages and attractions. FAMS must be coordinated and approved in writing by the Department of Commerce. (3-30-07)
- **65. Fulfillment.** Ranked Primary. Includes expenses directly related to implementing ITC funded plan. *Eligible costs are for shipping, stuffing, sorting, envelopes, postage, eligible website costs per ITC guidelines, long distance phone calls and watts line.* Once the remaining elements of the grant are awarded, an additional ten percent (10%) of the total award, excluding any amount awarded for an audit, will be awarded for fulfillment.

<del>(3-30-07)</del>(8-3-07)T

- **96. Travel and Trade Shows**. Ranked Primary. Specific shows and the number of attendees per show shall be approved prior to the application process. The applicant must identify in the application whether or not a portable display booth is available and what literature will be distributed at the show. (2-22-93)
- **O7.** Slide Shows/Videos. Ranked Tertiary. Applicant must state in the application the purpose of the slide show/video, how it will be used to promote the area, and how the slide show/video ties in with the applicant's overall marketing.

  (2-22-93)(8-3-07)T
- **08. Marketing Research**. Ranked Primary. To allow marketing research in conjunction with the statewide marketing and research efforts. (2-22-93)
- **09. Capital Outlay.** Ranked Secondary. Equipment with a useful life of more than one (1) year, costing one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) or more per unit. *No more than one (1) piece of any like equipment per Region.*

<del>(7-1-98)</del>(8-3-07)T

- **a.** Subject to the obligations and conditions set forth in this section, title to equipment acquired under a grant will vest upon acquisition with the grantee. (2-22-93)
- **b.** Useful Life. The useful life of all equipment acquired through the travel grant program is five (5) years. (2-22-93)

**c.** Use. (2-22-93)

- i. Equipment shall be used by the grantee in the program or project for which it was acquired as long as needed, whether or not the project or program continues to be supported by the ITC. When no longer needed for the original program or project, the equipment may be used in other activities currently or previously supported by the ITC.

  (2-22-93)
- ii. The grantee shall also make equipment available for use on other projects or programs currently or previously supported by the ITC, providing such use will not interfere with the work on the projects or program for which it was originally acquired. First preference for other use shall be given to other programs or projects supported by the ITC.

  (2-22-93)
  - iii. The grantee may not use equipment acquired with grant funds to provide services for a fee. (2-22-93)
- iv. When acquiring replacement equipment, the grantee may use the equipment to be replaced as a trade-in or sell the property and use the proceeds to offset the cost of the replacement property; or, the proceeds will be reinvested into the grantee's current grant program, subject to the approval of the ITC. Sale proceeds are not cash match.

  (2-22-93)
- d. Management Requirements. Capital outlay purchased with grant funds must be accounted for on the property record supplied by the ITC. When the property is initially purchased, the grantee will provide all the required information on the property record. Send the original to the Department of Commerce and keep a copy for your files. The property is tracked through its useful life. Procedures for managing equipment (including replacement equipment), whether acquired in whole or in part with grant funds, until disposition takes place will, as a minimum, meet the following requirements: (2-22-93)
- i. Property records maintained must include a description of the property; a serial number or other identification number; the acquisition date and cost of the property; the location, use and condition of the property; and any ultimate disposition information including the date of disposal and sale price of the property. (2-22-93)
- ii. The grantee will conduct an annual physical inventory of the property and the results will be reported to the ITC for reconciliation with the property records. This report will accompany the final narrative progress report, and must be received before final ITC reimbursement, to the grantee, is made. The ITC will conduct a physical inventory of the property at least once every two (2) years. (2-22-93)
- iii. A control system must be developed to ensure adequate safeguards to prevent loss, damage or theft of the property. (2-22-93)
  - iv. Adequate maintenance procedures must be developed to keep the property in good condition. (2-22-93)
  - **e.** Disposition. Disposition of equipment purchased with ITC funds will be made as follows: (7-1-98)
- i. Items of equipment which have exceeded their useful life may be retained, sold or otherwise disposed of. It is recommended the sale proceeds be used to acquire like equipment or enhance the grantee's current grant program. Sale proceeds are not cash match. (2-22-93)
  - ii. Items of equipment which have not exceeded their useful life may be sold with written

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authorization from the ITC. The grantee will be required to use the proceeds to purchase like equipment or to enhance the current grant program. (2-22-93)

- f. Procurement. When procuring equipment under the travel grant program, the grantee will follow the same policies and procedures for purchases over five thousand dollars (\$5,000) as outlined in the Bid Process section of the administrative rules. (3-20-04)
- **g.** Purchasable Equipment. A list of purchasable equipment under the travel grant program is listed below: (2-22-93)

ii. Video Equipment: Player/Recorder, Television, Monitor, Camera. (2-22-93)

iii. Movie Projector. (2-22-93)

iv. Slide Projector. (2-22-93)

<u>₹iii</u>. Computer Hardware per ITC guidelines. (5-3-03)

Fig. Equipment not listed above may be fundable at the discretion of the ITC. (2-22-93)

- **h.** Rental Costs. Grantees are encouraged to complete projects in the most cost effective manner. If the purchase of equipment is not feasible due to a low use factor, the grantee will be allowed to enter into rental agreements to meet their equipment needs. Rental costs exceeding *five* twenty thousand dollars (\$520,000) will not be exempt from the travel grant program's bid process. (3-20-04)(8-3-07)T
- **i.** Application. When applying for grant funds to acquire equipment, the applicant must stipulate need for equipment, its location, intended use, and contact person. (2-22-93)

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 200. MULTI-REGIONAL PROMOTION.

Grants that combine the resources of two (2) or more non-profit local/special interest organizations in different regions, in an effort to promote both regions, are encouraged and supported by the ITC. These grants are called multiregional and require a *fifty* twelve and one-half percent (5012.5%) cash match. They must meet the following guidelines:

(2-22-93)(8-3-07)T

- **01. Non-Profit Submittal.** A non-profit organization in each of the affected regions must submit a grant application to the ITC/IDC. Such application must specify that the request is a multi-regional request and show a regional liaison. To improve chances for a grant award, the applicant should show support from their respective region. Additionally, each grant application must include: (2-22-93)
- **a.** State of Idaho Certificate of Incorporation and Articles of Incorporation from the Secretary of State or a letter of determination from the Internal Revenue Service. (7-1-98)
  - **b.** Notice of Employer Identification number assigned by the IRS. (7-1-98)
- **02. Memorandum of Agreement**. A written memo of agreement must be included with each multiregional grant application designating each regional key player and describing their role. (2-22-93)
- **O3. Subcontract**. Upon receipt of the grant award, the affected organizations must either subcontract with one (1) of the other organizations or subcontract with an independent contractor to perform the work outlined in the application. (2-22-93)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 203. INELIGIBLE PROJECTS.

The following grant activities will not be considered for funding:

(2-22-93)

- **O1.** Administration Expense. Rent, phone, supplies, postage, photocopying, travel or other overhead associated with the ongoing normal administrative functions of any organization are not eligible. Expenses directly related to implementing ITC funded plans, *i.e.*, *staff time*, *rent*, *and travel*, *will not be reimbursable to the grantee*, *but may be used as match* are to be paid out of the Administrative/Fulfillment amount awarded as ten percent (10%) of the total award, excluding any amount awarded for an audit. A ceiling is placed on administrative expenses of up to ten percent (10%) of the ITC funds awarded.

  (2-22-93)(8-3-07)T
- **02. Brochures**. Printing of brochures and materials that does not deal strictly with travel or convention promotion is not eligible. (2-22-93)
- **03. Alternative Funding Sources**. Printing of materials that may have alternative funding sources (i.e., regular chamber of commerce budgets) or that have been funded previously with the agency's own funds. (2-22-93)
- **04. Salary or Personnel**. Salary or personnel expenses or expenses relative to personnel costs involving grant writing or administration are not eligible. (2-22-93)
- **05. Funding for Partial Projects**. The ITC will not fund partial projects phased in over one (1) or more grant cycles. Projects must be completed during the contract period. This excludes fulfillment. (2-22-93)
- **06. Capital Outlay.** Office equipment, signs, (other than the approved rest area signing) display cases, expenditures for buildings, additions or improvements to buildings will not be considered for funding. (2-22-93)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 209. BID PROCESS.

- **01. Bids.** Regional Travel and Convention Program grantees must utilize a bid process for purchases or services over twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000). (3-30-07)
- **O2. Documentation**. Prior to reimbursement for each cost, the appropriate information shall be submitted to the Department of Commerce which documents the following: (2-22-93)
  - **a.** Item or service to be purchased.

(7-1-98)

- **b.** Informal bids are required for projects between one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) and twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000). This consists of contacting three (3) vendors. Formal bids are required for projects greater than twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000). This requires three (3) written bids from vendors. (3-30-07)
- **c.** List vendors contacted and their response (list those contacted whether or not a response was received). (7-1-98)
  - **d.** Justify why the successful vendor was selected.

(2-22-93)

e. Annual renewal of the subcontract can be made without rebidding, upon execution of a new contract between the grantee and the subcontractor and approval by the Department of Commerce. This can be done only after the initial three (3) bids have been processed. Subcontract renewal is authorized for up to three (3) years beyond the initial contract year. (7-1-98)

f: If a vendor is going to donate part of his/her charges as match, he/she shall have been the lowest bidder.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 222. PLAN SELECTION.

The Idaho Travel Council is responsible for the selection of plans to be awarded. Selection of Regional Travel and Convention Grants is as follows: (2-22-93)

- **01. Committee Presentation**. At a regularly scheduled ITC meeting, applications for the Regional Travel and Convention Grant Program are presented, discussed and voted upon by the Idaho Travel Council. Grant applicants may be present to comment and answer questions. (2-22-93)
- **02. Contract Preparation**. Once the Idaho Travel Council has selected plans to be funded, the Department of Commerce will notify all applicants, by letter, of their funding status. (2-22-93)
- **a.** All contracts will be signed for a period of no more than fourteen (14) months unless otherwise stipulated in the contract. (2-22-93)
  - **b.** If applicable, special conditions of funding will be outlined.

- (2-22-93)
- **c.** The grant will take effect upon the date of award. Grant monies cannot be obligated or expended until that date. No expenditures can be reimbursed until the contract is signed by the director of the Department of Commerce. (2-22-93)
- **d.** Extensions and amendments shall be discouraged. However, in the event of an extension or amendment, the grantee may shift funds between line items according to the following schedule, up to twenty-five percent (25%) of the total ITC dollars awarded, between line items, not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the entire grant cycle.

Grants of	May Shift	
between \$1.00 and \$100,000	An amount equal to 25% of the grant	Not to exceed \$10,000
Between \$100,001 and \$250,000	An amount equal to 10% of the grant	Not to exceed \$25,000
of \$250,001 and over	An amount equal to no more than 5% of the grant	Without ITC Approval

(8-3-07)T

**e.** To shift funds in excess of the limits in Subsection 222.02.d., *T*the grantee must complete the appropriate amendment form, and *all* receive the approval of the regional ITC members will vote on each amendment, for dollar amounts in excess of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). From the Department of Commerce, extensions of up to ninety (90) days can be granted.

(3-20-04)(8-3-07)T

#### **IDAPA 28 - IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

## 28.03.04 - RULES OF THE BUSINESS AND JOBS DEVELOPMENT GRANT FUND

#### **DOCKET NO. 28-0304-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 67-4715, 67-4717 and 67-4718, Idaho Code

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The purpose of this rulemaking is to change grant awards from \$200,000 to \$250,000 dollars.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1) and 67-4702, Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

These rule changes confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the changes proposed do not substantially change the existing rules, but remove outdated and inconsistent content.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary rule, contact Pat Madarieta, 208 334-2650.

DATED this 30th day of August, 2007.

Pat Madarieta Idaho Department of Commerce 700 W State St, Boise, ID PO Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0094 208 334-2650 Fax 208 334-2631

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 28-0304-0701

## 015. AWARD AMOUNTS.

The amount of each grant shall be determined by the Director, in his sole discretion, but no grant shall exceed  $\underline{\text{two}}$   $\underline{\text{hundred fifty thousand dollars}} \$2\theta \underline{5}0,000.$   $\underline{(3-30-07)}(9-1-07)T$ 

#### **IDAPA 29 - IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION**

# 29.01.01 - RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

#### **DOCKET NO. 29-0101-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 22-1201, et seq., Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

To update commission location and contact information.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(a) and (c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: It is necessary to protect the public health, safety, or welfare and it confers a benefit by clarifying contact information for those who do business with the Idaho Potato Commission.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: No fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Negotiated rulemaking was not conducted. However, this rule was developed with input from the potato industry which is affected.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact: Patrick J. Kole, VP Legal and Government Affairs, at (208) 334-2350.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2007.

Patrick J. Kole VP Legal and Government Affairs Idaho Potato Commission 661 S. Rivershore Lane, Suite 230, Eagle PO Box 1670, Eagle, Idaho, 83616 Phone (208) 334-2350 Fax (208) 334-2274

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 29-0101-0701

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS -- AGENCY GUIDELINES (RULE 2).

For rulemakings conducted before July 1, 1993, written interpretations to these rules in the form of explanatory comments accompanying the order of proposed rulemaking and review of comments submitted in the order adopting these rules are maintained in the files of the Secretary of the Idaho Potato Commission and are available from the office of the Commission Secretary. The Commission Secretary may be contacted in writing at the Idaho Potato Commission, P.O. Box 1068 Boise 1670 Eagle, Idaho 83701 83616, or may be reached by telephone at (208) 334-2350. For rulemakings conducted after July 1, 1993, written interpretations to these rules in the form of explanatory comments accompanying the notice of proposed rulemaking that originally proposed the rules and review of comments submitted in the rulemaking decision adopting these rules are published in the issues of the Idaho Administrative bulletin proposing or adopting the rules.

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 012. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET ADDRESS (RULE 12).

The principal office of the Commission is in *Boise* <u>Eagle</u>, Idaho. This office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Saturday, Sunday and legal holidays. The Commission's telephone number is (208) 334-2350. The Commission's FAX number is (208) 334-2274. The Commission's mailing address is: Idaho Potato Commission, Post Office Box <u>1068 Boise</u> 1670 <u>Eagle</u>, Idaho <u>83701-1068</u> 83616. The street address of the Commission is: <u>599 West Bannock Street</u>, <u>Boise</u>, <u>Idaho</u> <u>83702-5983</u> 661 S. Rivershore Lane, Suite 230, <u>Eagle</u>, <u>Idaho</u>, <u>83616</u>. All documents filed in all proceedings must be filed with the Commission at one of these addresses. (11-27-93)(9-1-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 241. NOTICE OF HEARING (RULE 241).

- **O1. Timing of Notice.** Notice of the place, date and hour of hearing will be served at least fourteen (14) days, or in the case of formal complaints, twenty-one (21) days, before the time set for hearing, unless the Commission finds by order that the public necessity requires the hearing to be held earlier. (11-27-93)
- **O2.** Contents of Notice. Notices must comply with Rule 242's requirements. Notices must list the names of the parties (or the lead parties if the parties are too numerous to name), the case number, and the name of the hearing officer who will conduct the hearing if the case will not be heard by one or more Commissioners. If no document previously issued by the Commission has listed the legal authority of the Commission to conduct the hearing, the notice of hearing must do so. The notice of hearing shall state that the hearing will be conducted under these rules of procedure and inform the parties where they may read or obtain a copy. (11-27-93)
- **03.** Locations of Hearing. Hearings may be held in  $\frac{Boise}{Eagle}$ , Idaho, or at other places designated by notice or order.  $\frac{(H-27-93)(9-1-07)T}{(H-27-93)(9-1-07)T}$

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 286. TRANSCRIPTS (RULE 286).

**01.** Form of Transcripts -- Cover Sheet. Transcripts must be prepared on white eight and one-half

inch by eleven inch paper. The cover page of each volume of transcript must show the title of the proceeding, the case number, the presiding officer, the time and place of hearing, and other information as shown in the following example:

BEFORE THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

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(TITLE OF PROCEEDING)

)

(CASE NO. XXX-X-XX-XX
)

(COMMISSIONER Able Baker, Presiding)

(HEARING OFFICER Charlie Dog, Presiding)

(Date, e.g., January 21, 1983)

(Hearing Room, e.g., Commission Hearing Room)

(Address, e.g., 599 West Bannock, Boise 661 S. Rivershore Lane, Suite 230, Eagle, Idaho)
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<del>(11-27-93)</del>(9-1-07)T

- **Volumes of Transcript -- Indices to Volumes**. Each day of hearing must be transcribed in a volume or volumes separate from other days of hearing. Each volume of transcript must begin with a list of the parties who appeared that day and their representatives at hearing that day. This list must be followed with a list of all witnesses whose testimony is reported in that volume, showing the pages at which each witness's testimony begins, what party (if any) called the witness, the pages upon which each other party's examination begins, the pages upon which each Commissioner's or hearing examiner's examination begins, and the pages upon which redirect examination or any party's, Commissioner's or hearing examiner's re-examination begins. These lists must be followed with a list showing all exhibits identified in that volume of transcript (including exhibits accompanying prepared testimony), the pages upon which they are first identified, and, if any exhibits are denied admission, the pages upon which the exhibits are denied admission.
- **03. Matters Included in Transcript**. The transcript must contain all discussions on the record while the hearing is in order. Unless otherwise directed by the Commission, the presiding officer, or the Commission Secretary, prepared testimony must be included in the transcript without change or retyping. Witness's corrections to prepared testimony should be made by distributing replacement pages to the reporter and describing those corrections on the record and/or distributing an errata sheet; unless otherwise directed, no corrections other than replacement pages will be made in the prepared testimony before it is incorporated in the transcript, except the reporter may make minor corrections by interlineation in the prepared testimony. Witnesses may have seven (7) days after hearing to distribute replacement pages to all parties and to the reporter, unless the Commission, the presiding officer or the Commission Secretary otherwise directs.
- **04. Marginal Notes.** The testimony of all witnesses reported in the transcript must be designated in the lower right margin by the witness's surname and the party sponsoring the witness's testimony. The type of testimony must be shown following the witness's surname as "Di" (direct or redirect), "X" (examination by any party not sponsoring the witness), or "Com" (examination by a Commissioner or hearing examiner). Examples of the designations required by this Rule follow: (11-27-93)
  - a. Accountant, Di; ABC Company;

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**b.** Accountant, Com; ABC Company;

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- **c.** Discussions on the record that are not testimony or examination may be labeled "argument," "decision," "colloquy," etc., to describe what is reported. (11-27-93)
- **05. Volume Size -- Number of Pages**. Transcript volumes should not exceed three hundred (300) pages. Transcript volumes and pages of all proceedings on the record, including prehearing conferences, hearings, arguments, and any other proceedings on the record, must be numbered consecutively. For example, if a prehearing conference on the record preceded a hearing, the transcript volume and page numbers of the hearing would be numbered consecutively with that of the prehearing conference. (11-27-93)

# **IDAPA 29 - THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION**

# 29.01.02 - RULES GOVERNING PAYMENT OF TAX AND USAGE OF FEDERALLY REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

#### **DOCKET NO. 29-0102-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 22-1201, et seq., Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

- 1) To clarify IPC tax calculation and reporting method;
- 2) To modernize packaging rules; and
- 3) To make trademarks available for marketing purposes.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(a) and (c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

It is necessary to protect the public health, safety, or welfare and it confers a benefit by clarifying the tax rate and allowing the tax to be collected more uniformly and without ambiguity.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein:

Section 22-1211, Idaho Code was amended by the 2007 Legislature and signed by the Governor to increase the potato tax by \$.05 per hundred weight. Following the review required by statute, the Idaho Potato Commission voted unanimously to authorize an increase of \$.025. As the Idaho Potato Commission operates on a September 1 to August 31 fiscal year, this temporary rule is necessary to coincide with that fiscal year and avoid confusion within the industry.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: No fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Negotiated rulemaking was not conducted. However, this rule was developed with input from the potato industry which is affected.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact: Patrick J. Kole, VP Legal and Government Affairs, at (208) 334-2350.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2007.

# IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION Payment of Tax & Usage of Federally Registered Trademarks

Docket No. 29-0102-0701 Temporary and Proposed Rule

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 29-0102-0701

#### IDAPA 29, TITLE 02, CHAPTER 02

# 29.01.02 - RULES GOVERNING PAYMENT OF TAX AND USAGE OF FEDERALLY REGISTERED CERTIFICATION MARKS AND TRADEMARKS

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- **01. Title.** The title of this chapter is IDAPA 29.01.02, "Rules Governing Payment of Tax and Usage of *Federally Registered* Certification Marks and Trademarks." (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T
- **O2. Scope**. These rules govern payment of taxes to the Idaho Potato Commission (the Commission); records required to be kept by <u>growers</u>, dealers, handlers, <u>shippers</u>, <u>processors</u>, <u>container manufacturers</u>, and <u>out-of-state</u> repackers of Idaho® potatoes; use of Certification Marks and Trademarks owned or administered by the Commission; branding of individual potatoes, state brand grade and packing requirements, reporting, labeling and revocation, and additional labeling requirements.

  (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T
- **03. Citation**. The official citation of these rules is IDAPA 29.01.02.000, et seq. For example, this rules is cited as IDAPA 29.01.02.001.03. In documents submitted to the Commission or issued by the Commission, these rules may be cited as Idaho Potato Commission "Rules Governing Payment of Tax and Usage of *Federally Registered* Certification Marks and Trademarks," IDAPA 29.01.02. (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS -- AGENCY GUIDELINES.

For rulemakings conducted before July 1, 1993, written interpretations to these rules in the form of explanatory comments accompanying the order of proposed rulemaking and review of comments submitted in the order adopting these rules are maintained in the files of the Secretary of the Idaho Potato Commission and are available from the office of the Commission Secretary. For rulemakings conducted after July 1, 1993, written interpretations to these rules in the form of explanatory comments accompanying the notice of proposed rulemaking that originally proposed the rules and review of comments submitted in the rulemaking decision adopting these rules maintained in the files of the Secretary of the Idaho Potato Commission and are available from the office of the Commission Secretary. The Commission Secretary may be contacted in writing at the Idaho Potato Commission, P.O. Box 1068 1670, Boise Eagle, Idaho 83701616, or may be reached by telephone at (208) 334-2350.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 005. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET ADDRESS.

The principal office of the Commission is in *Boise* <u>Eagle</u>, Idaho. This office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Saturday, Sunday and legal holidays. The Commission's telephone number is (208) 334-2350. The Commission's

FAX number is (208) 334-2274. The Commission's mailing address: Idaho Potato Commission, Post Office Box 1068 1670, Boise Eagle, Idaho 83701-1068 83616. The street address of the Commission is: 599 West Bannock Street, Boise, Idaho 83702-5983 661 S. Rivershore Lane, Suite 230, Eagle, Idaho 83616. All documents filed in all proceedings must be filed with the Commission at one of these addresses.

# 006. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

Except as provided by Rules 52, and 233, and law, all materials filed with the Commission pursuant to these rules and all materials issued by the Commission pursuant to these rules are public documents subject to inspection, examination and copying.

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## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 100. GENERAL.

- **01. When Idaho Potato Commission Tax Is Due**. The Idaho Potato Commission Tax shall be due on or before the time when such potatoes are first handled in the primary channels of trade and shall be paid not later than the fifteenth day of the month next succeeding the month in which such potatoes were handled in the primary channels of trade. See Section 22-1211, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)
- **Idaho Potato Commission Tax.** There is hereby levied and imposed a tax of four cents (\$0.04) per hundredweight on potatoes covered by this act which tax shall be due on or before the time when such potatoes are first handled in the primary channels of trade and shall be paid not later than the fifteenth day of the month next succeeding the month in which such potatoes were handled in the primary channels of trade. In addition to the four cents (\$0.04) tax herein above provided for there is hereby levied and imposed an additional tax of six eleven cents (\$0.0611) per hundredweight on potatoes covered by this act; provided, however, said additional tax of six eleven cents (\$0.9611), or any portion thereof, shall only be due and collectible upon a determination by at least two-thirds (2/3) of the commission members that the anticipated expenditures for the next fiscal year following the year in which the determination is made will exceed the anticipated tax revenues to be collected from the said four cents (\$0.04) tax. Upon such a determination, the commission shall collect the additional  $\frac{1}{1}$  eleven cents (\$0.9611) tax or such portion thereof as is required by such determination, which shall be collected with, and as, other taxes imposed by this act. The person first selling or otherwise delivering potatoes into primary channels of trade shall be responsible for and make payment of all taxes imposed by this chapter. If such person is the dealer or shipper handling potatoes grown by another, he may charge against and recover from the grower of such potatoes or the person from whom he acquired <del>(3-15-02)</del>(9-1-07)T them sixty percent (60%) of the tax.
- **03. Definitions as Used in These Rules**. Section 22-1204, Idaho Code, defines terms used in these rules. (7-1-93)
- **O4.** Growers', Dealers', Handlers', Shippers', Processors' Container Manufacturers' and Out-of-State Repackers' Records. Idaho Potato Commission Tax Returns Audits Inspections. (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T
- **a.** Every dealer or handler including out-of-state repackers shall keep a complete and accurate record of all potatoes handled by him in the primary channels of trade. Such record shall be in such form as the Commission's Executive Director, duly authorized agent, representative or employee shall prescribe.

<del>(7-1-93)</del>(9-1-07)T

**b.** In addition to such other information that the Executive Director, <u>duly authorized agent, representative or employee</u> requires, each <u>grower</u>, dealer, handler, <u>shipper</u>, <u>processor</u>, <u>container manufacturer</u>, and out-of-state repacker shall keep records that segregates purchases and sales of Idaho® potatoes by calendar month; records of inventories of Idaho® potatoes by calendar month; <u>and</u> records of inventories of containers bearing the registered Certification Marks of the Commission by calendar month. Such records shall be preserved for a period of two years and shall be open to inspection at any time upon written or oral request or demand by the Commission or its duly authorized agents, representatives, or employees.

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c. The Commission's duly authorized agent, representative or employee may enter upon the premises of any grower, dealer, handler, out-of-state repacker, food container manufacturer, processor or any other license agreement holder of Idaho® potatoes and examine or cause to be examined any books, papers, records, ledgers, purchase journals, sales journals, electronically and/or magnetically recorded data, computers and computer records or memoranda bearing upon the amount of taxes payable or the correct usage of any Idaho Trade or Certification Mark, and to secure any other information directly or indirectly concerned with the enforcement of Chapter 12, Title 22, Idaho Code, all rules adopted pursuant thereto and all licensing agreements entered into with the Commission. The Commission's duly authorized agents, representatives or employees may also inspect and take samples of any potatoes, potato products or containers from the premises used by a grower, dealer, handler, shipper, processor, container manufacturer, or out-of-state repacker. Regular audits shall be routinely performed by the Commission or its duly authorized agents, representatives, or employees to assure adherence with these rules. In addition, compliance audits may take place at any time. For further requirements see Section 22-1212, Idaho Code.

(3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

#### 05. Calculation of Tax Due.

(3-15-02)

a. All first handlers of Idaho® Grown Potatoes shall pay the total tax due on all potatoes handled by them on a net weight basis, except as provided in Rule 100.05.b. Net weight shall be determined by subtracting from the gross scale weight the tare for dirt, rock and other foreign material only. Net weight shall then be multiplied by ninety percent (90%) which provides for a ten percent (10%) allowance for those potatoes that are unusable for human consumption. The amount of tax due is the tax rate currently imposed pursuant to Rule 100.02. multiplied by the hundredweight (cwt) calculated above. The following diagram illustrates the manner in which the formula is to be applied:

		Tare		90%		CWT
Gross Scale Weight	Less	(Dirt, rock and other foreign materials ONLY)	Х	(Allowance for potatoes unfit for consumption is 10%)	=	(Upon which TAX is DUE)

(7-1-93)

- **b.** Any first handler of Idaho® Grown Potatoes who does not have reasonable access to a scale to calculate the tax due on a net weight basis, may make application to the Commission's Executive Director for permission to use the following alternate procedure: (7-1-93)
- i. Fresh Shipped Potatoes. On all Idaho® potatoes shipped fresh, a permitted handler shall pay the full Idaho Potato Commission Tax on all fresh shipments which meet State Grade Standards or Federal Fresh Market Standards whether sold interstate or intrastate. (3-15-02)
- ii. Fresh Potatoes Not Meeting Grades. A ten percent (10%) discount per hundredweight shall be allowed on all intrastate shipments of fresh potatoes not meeting State Grade Standards or Federal Fresh Market Standards, such as culls or processing grade potatoes sold to processors, after tare is taken for dirt and foreign material only, to allow for that portion which is unusable for human consumption. Statements showing Idaho Potato Commission Tax liability shall be mailed to fresh shippers each month, and payment of Idaho Potato Commission Tax due to be made within thirty days of receipt of statement. This rule is not to be construed as authorizing any shipments of potatoes contrary to Section 22-901, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)
- **106.** Tax Reports to Be Made by Growers, Dealers, Handlers, Shippers and Processors. A report on a form approved by the Commission, showing total weight handled for a given period of time and the Idaho Potato Commission tax due are to be sent to the Idaho Potato Commission office with the tax payment. These reports are to be made on forms furnished by the Commission and shall show such other information as the Commission may require.

  (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 102. CERTIFICATION MARKS FOR IDAHO® POTATO CONTAINERS.

- O1. Containers. All potatoes grown in Idaho and packed or repacked in containers in or outside of the state of Idaho shall be in containers printed, labeled or stenciled in a plain and legible manner with one (1) of the Commission's registered Certification Marks, and the "GROWN IN IDAHO®" Certification Mark. An exact reproduction of the Commission's Certification Marks appears in appendix A. Certification Marks may not be stamped on any Idaho® potato container without a temporary written variance. All containers must use Idaho specific approved produce code identification numbers, where the same have been obtained and approved. No container of Idaho® potatoes or potato products may be manufactured or used without prior written approval of the Commission or its employee.

  (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T
- a. Upon written application, the Idaho Potato Commission may grant a variance from these rules for special purpose shipments for charity, certified seed, experimentation and processing. <u>If a variance is granted, the applicant shall comply with all terms and conditions of such variance.</u> If applicable, *T*the application shall be accompanied by a valid Certificate of Privilege issued by the Idaho and Eastern Oregon Potato Committee, and the applicant shall furnish copies of all of the reports required by the Idaho and Eastern Oregon Potato Committee to the Idaho Potato Commission.

  (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T
- **Marks**. No person, firm or corporation packing or repacking potatoes or potato products outside of the state of Idaho shall use any of the Commission's Certification Marks on any containers of potatoes or potato products packed or repacked outside the state of Idaho unless they have first executed an agreement for the use of the Certification Marks with the Idaho Potato Commission, and unless they are actually packing or repacking in such containers Idaho grown potatoes or potato products made from Idaho, grown potatoes. (3-30-01)
- **03. Agreement.** No person, including without limitation manufacturers, container manufacturers, growers, shippers, processors and repackers, shall use or reproduce any of the Commission's Certification Marks on any container without first executing an agreement for the use of the marks with the Idaho Potato Commission.

(7-1-93)

- **Q4.** Recognition. Whenever the "GROWN IN IDAHO®," "IDAHO®," or other Certification Marks are used, recognition must be given that the marks are registered under the appropriate Federal statute. This recognition must be: by printing a legible capital "R" inside a circle (-,+)®, immediately after the word "IDAHO" or where designated by a duly authorized employee of the Commission. (3-30-01)(9-1-07)T
- **05. No Certification Mark**. No Certification Mark shall be incorporated into any private label, brand or seal but shall be portrayed without embellishment as shown in appendix A. (3-30-01)
- **Not Incorporated.** The word "IDAHO®," shall not be incorporated into any private label, brand or seal unless such label, brand or seal was registered with the U.S. Patent Office prior to January 1, 1966.

<del>(3-30-01)</del>(9-1-07)T

- **O7. Size.** When a \( \Delta\) Certification Mark \( \frac{is}{s} \) shall \( \text{be}\) used on the front of a one hundred-pound (100) sack type container, it shall not be less than five (5) inches in diameter or width and shall not be placed closer than two (2) inches from the bottom of said container. \( \frac{When a \( \Delta\)}{M}\) ny Certification Mark \( \frac{is}{s} \) used on the rear of a one hundred-pound (100) sack type container, it shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in diameter or width. The marks may also be used on both the front and back of one hundred pound (100) sack type containers, if placed as indicated and in the sizes indicated. \( \frac{Unless a variance has been approved by the Commission. \( \frac{(3-15-02)(9-1-07)T}{(9-1-07)T} \)
- **08. Limitation of Use**. On fifty (50) pound sack type containers, a Certification Mark shall be used as on the one hundred (100) pound containers, but in proportionate sizes. (7-1-93)
- **Other Type Containers**. On all sack type containers of less than fifty (50) pounds, a Certification Mark shall appear plainly visible on the front of the containers; and it shall be in relative proportion to brands, labels or other printed matter thereon, but not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) inches in diameter or width. When registered and upon written approval by the Commission, a Spuddy Buddy Certification Mark may be used on a container:

  (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

#### **10.** Box Type Containers.

(3-30-01)

- **a.** On all box type containers in which U.S. No. 1 grade Idaho® Potatoes will be packed, a Certification Mark may be located on the sides, ends or top of the container as desired, but shall be so placed and of such size as to be plainly visible. (3-15-02)
- **b.** On all box type containers in which number two (2) grade Idaho, Potatoes will be packed, packing is permitted only when the following requirements are met: (3-30-01)
- i. The container must be manufactured in a kraft, or non-colored cardboard material and be of a single piece construction; (3-30-01)
- ii. The rectangular "Grown in Idaho®" certification mark shall be placed on each side and end panel of the container, with a width measurement of three and one-half (3 1/2) inches and length measurement of five and one-half (5 1/2) inches. The mark shall be located as shown in Appendix B;  $\frac{(3-30-01)(9-1-07)T}{(3-30-01)(9-1-07)T}$
- iii. The certification mark "Idaho® Potatoes" shall be printed on all four (4) sides of the container in one (1) inch lettering in the locations shown in Appendix B;  $\frac{(3-30-01)(9-1-07)T}{(3-30-01)(9-1-07)T}$
- iv. The words "U.S. NO. 2" shall be printed on all four (4) sides of the container in one (1) inch lettering in the locations shown in Appendix B and on one (1) of the top flaps of the container; (3-30-01)
- v. The top one and three quarters (1 3/4) inches of the carton shall contain no preprinting on all four (4) sides of the container; (3-30-01)
- vi. One (1) of the elongated top flaps shall contain the "Grown in Idaho®" certification mark with a width of three and one-half (3 1/2) inches and length of five and one-half (5 1/2) inches, together with the certification mark "Idaho® Potatoes" in one (1) inch height and the words "U.S. NO. 2" in one (1) inch height; (3-30-01)(9-1-07)T
- vii. Product code identification numbers on containers bearing the certification marks shall use Idaho specific codes where the same have been obtained and approved; and (3-15-02)
- viii. All other requirements regarding container packaging set forth in these rules and the license agreements of the Idaho Potato Commission apply to the use of this type of container. (3-30-01)
- 11. Tote Bin Type. On all tote bin type containers, Certification Marks must be used on the front of said container but may be used elsewhere and shall not be less than twelve (12) inches in diameter or width. (7-1-93)
- 12. Identity of Commodity. All containers bearing the marks shall specify the identity of the commodity contained therein and the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, licensee, or distributor of the commodity. Containers which do not comply with the rules of the Idaho Potato Commission shall not be used by any manufacturer, packer or distributor grower, dealer, handler, shipper, processor or out-of-state repacker for any potatoes or potato products subject to these rules.

  (7-1-93)(9-1-07)T
- **13. Words Printed**. All potatoes grown in Idaho and packed or repacked in Idaho shall have the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" printed on the container. (7-1-93)
- **14. Sack Type Containers -- Fifty Pounds or Over.** On all sack type containers for fifty (50) pounds or over the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" shall be located on the front lower half of the container but not closer than six (6) inches to the bottom thereof. (7-1-93)
- **15. Sack Type Containers -- Less Than Fifty Pounds**. On all sack type containers containing less than fifty (50) pounds of potatoes the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" may be placed anywhere on the container but shall be so placed as to be plainly visible. (7-1-93)
  - **16.** Location of Words. On all box type containers the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" may be located

on the ends, sides or top of the container but shall be so placed as to be plainly visible.

(7-1-93)

- 17. Colors. All marks when used and the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" shall be in color or colors in contrast with the color of the container. (7-1-93)
- 18. Use. Only in connection with potatoes and potato products grown within the state of Idaho may growers, <a href="https://handlers.shippers.processors">handlers.processors</a> and packers use the name "IDAHO®" in any mark, label or stencil applied to containers for such produce and products. The growers, <a href="dealers.handlers.processors">dealers.handlers.processors</a>, and packers of potatoes within the state of Idaho are not precluded from processing, packing and shipping potatoes grown outside the state of Idaho so long as such potatoes are not misrepresented or misbranded as Idaho® Potatoes.

(3-30-01)(9-1-07)T

19. Compulsory Printing. Printing of the mark "GROWN IN IDAHO" and the words "PACKED IN IDAHO" is compulsory on all potato containers printed or contracted for after December 1, 1964.

<del>(3-30-01)</del>(9-1-07)T

- **20. Idahos**. The word "IDAHOS" shall not be used on any container for potatoes, potato products nor on any other printing or advertising material or correspondence used to identify or promote Idaho potatoes. (3-30-01)
- **21. Exemption**. Only shipments of certified seed potatoes to destinations outside of the state of Idaho are exempt from this rule. (7-1-93)
- **22. Other Rules**. Other rules on containers, grade and size are covered under Title 22, Chapter 9, Idaho Code, and applicable marketing orders. (7-1-93)

#### 103. BRANDING, AND GRADE AND PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS OF STATE BRAND.

01. Branding or Marking of Individual IDAHO,® Potatoes.

(7-1-93)(9-1-07)T

- **a.** Idaho® potatoes are considered to be branded when they are individually marked or identified as such. The methods of branding shall include: marking of individual potatoes by ink, heat, light, labeling, stickering, or puncturing and such other methods as may from time to time be authorized by the Idaho Potato Commission.

  (3-15-02)
- **b.** The certification mark "Idaho®" shall be one (1) inch in length and one-quarter (1/4) inch in height unless prior Idaho Potato Commission written approval is secured and granted for any variation variance.  $\frac{(7-1-93)}{(9-1-07)}$ 
  - **c.** The purchase or the leasing or use of branding machines shall be entirely voluntary. (7-1-93)
- **d.** There shall be no limitations on the size and type of containers in which branded potatoes may be packed as long as they meet the licensing requirements of Rule 102. (7-1-93)
- **e.** Grade for branding shall be U.S. No. 1 or better (as defined in the U.S. Standards effective March 27, 1991) and not less than two (2) inches in diameter or four (4) ounces in weight. (7-1-93)
- **f.** Only Certification Marks owned or administered by the Idaho Potato Commission may be branded on potatoes grown in Idaho unless prior Idaho Potato Commission approval in writing is secured and granted for the use of additional words or designs. (3-15-02)
- g. The operation of branding the word "Idaho®" upon potatoes shall be carried on only by licensees of the Idaho Potato Commission, and only upon such terms and conditions that will insure that only Idaho grown potatoes are branded as such. (3-15-02)
  - h. All varieties of potatoes grown in Idaho may be so branded. (3-15-02)
  - i. No person, firm or corporation may brand the word "Idaho®" on potatoes or sell machinery for the

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purpose of branding potatoes with any of the Idaho certification marks unless granted the right to do so by written agreement with the Idaho Potato Commission. (3-15-02)

- **j.** Branded potatoes must use Idaho specific, approved produce code identification numbers, where the same have been obtained and approved. (3-15-02)
- **k.** On all branded potatoes using a standard size sticker, the Certification Mark "Idaho® Potatoes" shall be printed in eight (8) point type and the Certification Mark "Grown in Idaho®" shall be printed with a minimum height of eight point one hundred twenty-nine (8.129) mm and minimum width of five point thirty-seven (5.37) mm.
- **O2. State Brand Grade and Packaging Requirements**. Idaho® potatoes shall meet all requirements of U.S. Extra No. 1 as defined in the U.S. Standards for Grades of Potatoes, March 27, 1991, with the following additions or exceptions: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** Mature. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Fairly well shaped. Defined as excluding the lower limits of such classification. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Appearance as related to russeting. Defined: at least seventy five percent (75%) of the surface of the individual potato shall be moderately netted which means the netting will be solid net-like in appearance.

(7-1-93)

- **d.** Size shall be two and one eighth (2-1/8) inches in diameter and four (4) ounces minimum, eleven (11) ounces maximum. Each lot shall meet the specifications of Size A as defined in 51.1545, Table I(2) of the Standards.
  - e. Tolerances for grade defects are defined in 51.1546(a)(2), for U.S. No. 1. (7-1-93)
  - **f.** All other tolerances and definitions of the Standards apply. (7-1-93)
  - **03.** Packaging. (7-1-93)
  - a. Container Requirement: Maximum size not to exceed twenty (20) pounds. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Miscellaneous Requirements: Use of the state brand packaging shall be entirely voluntary. Potatoes grown only in Idaho may be packed in state branded containers. State branded containers shall be packed only in Idaho. All varieties of potatoes grown in Idaho may be packed in state branded containers. The Commission shall require a written agreement between the Idaho Potato Commission and Idaho packers for the use of the state brand. All state branded containers shall be Federal-State inspected. (3-15-02)
- **c.** The grade used in state brand containers shall be as defined in Rule 103.03 and "Idaho State Code 22-908" and "Federal-State Inspected" shall be printed in three-eights (3/8) inch or larger letters, on front of each container. (7-1-93)
- **d.** If individually branded Idaho® potatoes are packaged in state brand packaging they must meet grade requirements as defined in Rule 103.03. (7-1-93)

#### 104. REPORTING, LABELING AND REVOCATION.

#### 01. Reporting of Fresh Shipments of Potatoes.

(7-1-93)

a. Effective July 1, 1976, growers, dealers, handlers, and shippers of Idaho® potatoes who have a valid licensing agreement with the Idaho Potato Commission for the use of the "Grown in Idaho®" registered trademark on potato containers are required to report shipments of all fresh Idaho grown potatoes to designated geographical locations giving information as to weight, packaging and type of receiver. Reporting forms will be furnished for this information by the Idaho Potato Commission and information will be sent to and tallied by an

independent accounting firm. All information received by this firm will be kept in strictest confidence as to individual shipments.

(7-1-93)(9-1-07)T

**b.** The purpose of this information is to provide the Idaho Potato Commission with information concerning fresh potato sales in geographical marketing areas receiving Idaho® grown potatoes to enable it to design and evaluate advertising and marketing programs. (7-1-93)

## 02. Labeling Containers of Fresh Idaho Potatoes to Indicate the Variety Packed Therein. (7-1-93)(9-1-07)T

- a. All potatoes grown in Idaho that are packed or repacked in containers in Idaho, or packed or repacked in containers outside of Idaho under an out-of-state packer license agreement, shall be packed or repacked in containers that are printed, marked, labeled or stenciled in a plain and legible manner that identifies the variety packed therein.

  (7-1-97)
- **b.** No container may contain more than one (1) variety of potato, except as provided by written variance for non-russet variety potatoes. (7-1-97)(9-1-07)T
- **c.** Any mark, label or stencil required by this rule shall be conspicuously placed on the container and printed in a color contrasting with the background and shall be of a size determined as follows: (7-1-93)
- i. For bags and other containers holding one hundred (100) pounds of potatoes or more, the letters of the label shall be at least one (1) inch high; (7-1-93)
- ii. For bags and other containers holding fifty (50) pounds or more of potatoes, but less than one hundred (100) pounds, the letters of the label shall be at least three-fourths (3/4) of an inch high; (7-1-93)
- iii. For bags or other containers holding less than fifty (50) pounds of potatoes, the letters on the label shall be five-eights (5/8") of an inch high. (7-1-93)
- <u>iv.</u> For containers holding less than five (5) potatoes, the letter on the label shall be in a size that is plainly visible and approved in writing by a duly authorized Commission employee. (9-1-07)T
- d. Any person seeking authorization to comply with this rule in a manner other than that specified herein shall submit a written request to the Commission for approval of an alternate method of compliance, which alternative method shall be in substantial compliance with these standards and which request shall describe in detail the proposed alternate method of compliance. The Executive Director of the Commission or a duly authorized employee shall have the authority and responsibility to review such requests and rule whether they should be allowed, said determination to be based upon a finding that such alternate method has nor has not been shown to comply with the purpose and meet the standards of this rule; provided, any interested person may request in writing that the Commission grant a de novo review of said request at a subsequent regular meeting deemed convenient and appropriate by the Commission, which request the Commission may in its discretion, either grant or deny.

<del>(7-1-93)</del>(9-1-07)T

**e.** No potatoes grown in Idaho and packed or repacked in containers in Idaho, or packed or repacked outside of Idaho under an out-of-state packer license agreement, shall carry or be printed, labeled or identified with the GROWN IN IDAHO® or IDAHO® marks unless this rule is fully complied with as respects said potatoes.

(7-1-93)

- All persons growing potatoes in Idaho or packing or repacking in containers in Idaho, or packing or repacking outside of Idaho under an out-of-state license agreement, shall have the affirmative duty to avoid and refrain from ambiguous or misleading practices, acts or representations and to eliminate the same in marketing or handling Idaho® potatoes if such practice does or is likely to mislead any purchaser or consumer regarding the quality and variety of Idaho® potatoes purchased by such buyer or consumer. (7-1-93)
- g. All persons licensed as of *January 3, 1996* October 31, 2007, shall have until August 31, 1996 2008, to use existing supplies of containers and such use of existing supplies of containers shall not be a violation of

## IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION Payment of Tax & Usage of Federally Registered Trademarks

Docket No. 29-0102-0701 Temporary and Proposed Rule

Rule 104.02.a. or 104.02.b.  $\frac{(7-1-97)(9-1-07)T}{(7-1-97)(9-1-07)T}$ 

#### 03. Revocation of Right to Use Marks.

(7-1-93)

- **a.** The Commission shall have the power to revoke the right of any person, firm or corporation to use any of the Commission's Certification Marks <u>or Trademarks</u> if such person, firm or corporation fails to pay any advertising tax assessed against it, <u>license fees</u>, <u>or royalties</u>, or fails to comply with any of these rules <u>or applicable law</u>.

  (7-1-93)(9-1-07)T
- **b.** Revocation of the right to use the Certification Marks <u>or Trademarks</u> shall not occur without reasonable notice of at least twenty (20) days and an opportunity for a hearing pursuant to Section 67-5242, Idaho Code. However, where the Executive Director determines that expedited action is necessary, he may:

<del>(7-1-93)</del>(9-1-07)T

- i. Issue an order immediately suspending the right to use any of the Commission's Certification Marks or Trademarks pending a hearing, which hearing shall be held within twenty (20) days from the Executive Director's order; or (7-1-93)(9-1-07)T
- ii. Issue an order conditioning the right to use any of the Commission's Certification Marks or <u>Trademarks</u> pending a hearing, which hearing shall be held within twenty (20) days from the Executive Director's order; or (7-1-93)(9-1-07)T
- iii. Issue an order directing that the user of the Commission's Certification Marks or Trademarks show cause why the right to use the marks should not be suspended or conditioned further.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(9-1-07)T}{(7-1-93)(9-1-07)T}$

#### 105. ADDITIONAL LABELING REQUIREMENTS, FRESH POTATOES (RULE 105).

- **O1. Disclosure of Geographic Growing Area of Origin upon Potato Containers.** All persons doing business in the state of Idaho are required to disclose the growing area of origin upon all potato containers *packed, repacked, handled or brokered by said person* in accordance with this rule and Section 22-1207, Idaho Code. For purposes of these rules, doing business in the state of Idaho means the doing of any of the acts which would subject a person to the jurisdiction of the courts of this state or defined in Section 5-514, Idaho Code. (10-26-94)(9-1-07)T
- **02. Compliance for Idaho Grown Potatoes**. For potatoes "Grown in Idaho®," this rule is complied with by meeting the requirements of Rule 102. (10-26-94)
- 03. Compliance for Private Brands or Labels That Reference Idaho Locations. Private brands or labels of containers that reference an Idaho location, geographical feature or otherwise attempt to imply directly or indirectly that a container of potatoes contains potatoes grown in Idaho when in fact such is not the case are prohibited.

  (10-26-94)
- **O4.** Compliance for Private Brands or Labels That Do Not Reference Idaho Locations. Private brands or labels that do not reference an Idaho location, geographical feature or otherwise attempt to imply directly or indirectly that a container of potatoes contains potatoes grown in Idaho when in fact such is not the case, but only have an Idaho address on the container, are permitted when approved by the commission or its designee. This rule is complied with by private brands or labels that:

  (10-26-94)
  - **a.** Meet the requirements of Rule 104.02.c;

(10-26-94)

- **b.** State the geographical state of origin of the potatoes followed by the word "potatoes"; and (10-26-94)
- c. The lettering size of the Idaho address on the container does not exceed one-half (1/2) inch for containers fifty (50) pounds or greater and one-quarter (1/4) inch for containers less than fifty (50) pounds. For example, for potatoes grown in the state of Washington, the phrase "Washington potatoes" would comply with these rules. The use of the words "Grown in" preceding the state of origin is prohibited. (10-26-94)

#### 106. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR USE OF TRADEMARKS (RULE 106).

- **Marks**. No person is permitted to use any trademark owned or administered by the Commission unless authorized to do so pursuant to a license agreement entered into with the Commission. (9-1-07)T
- <u>**Q2.**</u> <u>Agreement.</u> Trademarks owned or administered by the Commission may be licensed for use as permitted under federal and state law and as authorized by the Commission. (9-1-07)T
- <u>Q3.</u> Royalty Fees. In addition to license fees, the Commission may set royalty fees for the use of (9-1-07)T
- <u>Q4.</u> <u>Reproductions</u>. Exact reproductions of the trademarks owned or administered by the Commission are set forth in Appendix C of these rules. (9-1-07)T
- 10<u>67</u>. -- 999. (RESERVED).

#### APPENDIX A



#### **APPENDIX C (NEW GRAPHICS)**







#### **IDAPA 31 - IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

## 31.12.01 - SYSTEMS OF ACCOUNTS FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATED BY THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

#### **DOCKET NO. 31-1201-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Idaho Public Utilities Commission has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. This action is authorized pursuant to Section 61-524, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the Commission's address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Commission's Uniform Systems of Accounts (USOA) Rules currently adopt through incorporation by reference the accounting regulations promulgated by the Federal Communications Commission and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission relating to telephone, natural gas and electric utilities. The federal accounting regulations are contained in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). The Commission is proposing to update its USOA Rules by adoption of the 2007 editions of the CFR. The Commission is also proposing to make several housekeeping corrections to mailing addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail addresses and citations to other authorities.

**FEE SUMMARY:** There are no fees associated with this proposed rulemaking. N/A

FISCAL IMPACT: There is no fiscal impact on the state general fund resulting from this rulemaking. N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this proposed rule adopts updated CFR parts mandated by federal agencies.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Donald L. Howell, II, Deputy Attorney General, at (208) 334-0312.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the Commission Secretary and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007. Persons desiring to comment are encouraged to submit written comments at their earliest convenience rather than wait until the comment deadline.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 31-1201-0701

#### 008. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 8).

Rule 101, 102, 103 and 104 incorporate by reference various federal accounting regulations and accounting standards issued by the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners. Each applicable rule identifies the issuing entity for each regulation or standard and indicates where the incorporated materials may be obtained. Incorporated materials are also available for inspection and copying at the offices of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission and the Idaho State Law Library.

00<u>89</u>. -- 100. (RESERVED).

#### RULES 101 THROUGH 200 -- UNIFORM SYSTEMS OF ACCOUNTS

#### 101. UNIFORM SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTS FOR ELECTRIC UTILITIES (RULE 101).

The Commission adopts by reference the Uniform System of Accounts for Major (previously Class A and B) Electric Utilities contained in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 18, Part 101 (April 1, 2007), available from the Publications Division, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402 Superintendent of Documents, Attn: New Orders, PO Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954. The incorporated material is also available in electronic format at www.gpoaccess.gov/nara. These regulations, which were most recently revised in the Federal Register of October 3, 1985, 50 Fed.Reg. 40358, can be found in the annual volumes of the Code of Federal Regulations from 1986 through 1992. For payment by credit card, call toll-free 866-512-1800. The accounts adopted by reference are adopted for convenience of establishing uniform systems of accounts only for accounting and reporting and do not bind the Commission in any manner to any particular ratemaking treatment of items in those accounts. All Class A and B Major electrical corporations subject to the regulatory authority of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission are required to maintain their regulatory books according to the system of accounts adopted by this rule.

#### 102. UNIFORM SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTS FOR GAS UTILITIES (RULE 102).

The Commission adopts by reference the Uniform System of Accounts for Major (previously Class A and B) Natural Gas Companies contained in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 18, Part 201 (April 1, 2007), available from the *Publications Division*, U.S. Government Printing Office, *Washington*, D.C. 20402 Superintendent of Documents, Attn: New Orders, PO Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954. The incorporated material is also available in electronic format at www.gpoaccess.gov/nara. These regulations, which were adopted in the Federal Register of June 21, 1960, 25 Fed.Reg. 5616, can be found in the annual volumes of the Code of Federal Regulations from 1961 through 1992. For payment by credit card, call toll-free 866-512-1800. The accounts adopted by reference are adopted for convenience of establishing uniform systems of accounts only for accounting and reporting and do not bind the Commission in any manner to any particular ratemaking treatment of items in those accounts. All Class A and B Major gas corporations subject to the regulatory authority of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission are required to maintain their regulatory books according to the system of accounts adopted by this rule. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)

#### 103. UNIFORM SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTS FOR TELEPHONE UTILITIES (RULE 103).

The Commission adopts by reference the Uniform System of Accounts for Class A and B Telephone Utilities contained in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 47, Part 32 (October 1, 2007), available from the *Publications Division*, U.S. Government Printing Office, *Washington*, *D.C.* 20402 Superintendent of Documents, Attn: New Orders, PO Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954. The incorporated material is also available in electronic format at www.gpoaccess.gov/nara. These regulations, the majority of which were revised in the Federal Register of December 2, 1986, 51 Fed.Reg. 43499, and which were last amended in the Federal Register of December 7, 1988, 53 Fed.Reg. 49322, can be found in the annual volumes of the Code of Federal Regulations from 1988 through 1992. For payment by credit card, call toll-free 866-512-1800. The accounts adopted by reference are adopted for convenience of establishing uniform systems of accounts only and do not bind the Commission in any manner to any particular ratemaking treatment of items in those accounts. All Class A and B telephone corporations subject to the regulatory authority of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission are required to maintain their regulatory books according to the system of accounts adopted by this rule.

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#### 104. UNIFORM SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTS FOR WATER UTILITIES (RULE 104).

The Commission adopts by reference the Uniform System of Accounts for Class A and B Water Utilities, 1996 version Edition, published by the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), available from NARUC at 1201 Constitution Avenue N.W., Suite 1102, P.O. Box 684 1101 Vermont Avenue, NW, Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20044-0684 20005. The Uniform System of Accounts may be purchased from NARUC by calling 202-898-2280 or ordered online at www.naruc.org/storeindex.cfm. The accounts adopted by reference are adopted for the convenience of establishing uniform systems of accounts only and do not bind the Commission in any manner to any particular ratemaking treatment of items in these accounts. All Class A and B water corporations subject to the regulatory authority of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission are required to maintain their regulatory books according to the system of accounts adopted by this rule.

#### **IDAPA 31 - IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

## 31.21.01 - CUSTOMER RELATIONS RULES FOR GAS, ELECTRIC AND WATER PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATED BY THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION (THE UTILITY CUSTOMER RELATIONS RULES)

#### **DOCKET NO. 31-2101-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Idaho Public Utilities Commission has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. This action is authorized pursuant to Sections 61-503 and 61-507, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the Commission's address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Commission is proposing several changes to clarify and refine the scope of some of its Utility Customer Relations Rules. The Commission proposes to clarify Rule 105 that customers and applicants may pay service deposits in two equal installments. Second, the Commission proposes to amend its Rules 203 and 204 to clarify that customer refunds will be credited to future bills unless the customer requests a refund. The Commission also proposes to limit the time period a utility may rebill an undercharged customer to six (6) months unless a reasonable person should have known of the inaccurate billing which resulted in the undercharge. Utilities must implement procedures designed to identify customers who have been inaccurately billed. Third, the Commission proposes to change Rules 300 and 600 by defining the term "written notice" to include e-mail when the customer has elected to receive electronic billing. Fourth, the Commission proposes to clarify and restructure its Rule 311 dealing with restrictions when service may be denied or terminated and proposes to generally prohibit service termination on Fridays with some exceptions. The Commission is also proposing to clarify that a utility is not required to provide service to an applicant who is not connected at the time of application. Finally, Rules 302 and 310 would provide that a utility is not required to connect service for a customer or applicant who owes money on an existing account or a previous account if the unpaid bill is for service provided within the last four (4) years.

FEE SUMMARY: There are no fees associated with this proposed rulemaking. N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** There is no fiscal impact on the state general fund resulting from this rulemaking. N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, formal negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because two (2) utility workshops were held in June and July to address the general concepts supporting the possible revisions to these rules.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Beverly Barker, Consumer Assistance Supervisor, at (208) 334-0302 or Donald L. Howell, II, Deputy Attorney General, at (208) 334-0312.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the Commission Secretary and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007. Persons desiring to comment are encouraged to submit written comments at their earliest convenience rather than wait until the comment deadline.

DATED at Boise, Idaho this 24th day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 31-2101-0701

#### 105. AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT (RULE 105).

- **O1. Amount of Deposit.** A deposit allowed pursuant to Rule 101 as a condition of service shall not exceed one-sixth (1/6) the amount of reasonably estimated billing for one (1) year at rates then in effect. *For eustomers who use* Where gas service is used for space heating purposes only, the deposit shall not exceed the total of the two (2) highest months' bills during the previous twelve (12) consecutive months, adjusted for currently effective rates. Deposit amounts shall be based upon the use of service at the premises during the prior year or upon the type and size of *eustomer's* equipment using the utility's service.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 203. BILLING UNDER INAPPROPRIATE TARIFF SCHEDULE (RULE 203).

- **01. Rebilling Required.** If a customer was billed under an inappropriate tariff schedule, the utility shall recalculate the customer's past billings and correctly calculate future billings based on the appropriate tariff schedule. A customer has been billed under an inappropriate tariff schedule if: (7-1-93)
  - **a.** The customer was billed under a tariff schedule for which the customer was not eligible; or (7-1-93)
- **b.** The customer was billed under a tariff schedule based upon information supplied by the customer but the customer's actual demand is insufficient to meet the minimum eligibility requirements for the selected tariff schedule; or (\_\_\_\_\_)
- **bc.** The customer, who is eligible for billing under more than one (1) tariff schedule, was billed under a schedule contrary to the customer's election, or the election was based on erroneous information provided by the utility. (7-1-93)
- **O2. Exceptions**. The utility shall not be required to adjust billings when it has acted in good faith based upon available information or when the customer was given written notice of options under the tariff schedules and did not make a timely election to exercise available options. (7-1-93)
- **03. Rebilling <u>Time Period</u>**. When the customer has been overcharged, *T*the period for *which* rebilling *under this rule is allowed* shall *be that* not exceed three (3) years as provided by Section 61-642, Idaho Code, *(three this rule is allowed this rule is allowed that the thing that the period for which rebilling the thing the thing the period for which the customer has been overcharged, <i>T*the period for *which* rebilling the period for which the customer has been overcharged, *T*the period for *which* rebilling the period for which the customer has been overcharged, *T*the period for which rebilling the period for which the customer has been overcharged, and the period for which rebilling the

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<b>a.</b> A customer who has been under billed charged shall be given the opportunity to make payment
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204. INACCURATELY BILLED SERVICE UNDER CORRECT TARIFF SCHEDULE FAILURE TO
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vas not accurately determined because for reasons such as a meter malfunctioned or failed, bills were estimated,
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**O4.** Additional Payments. The utility shall promptly prepare a corrected billing for a customer who has been undercharged indicating the amount owed to the utility. An unbilled or undercharged customer shall be given the opportunity to make payment arrangements under Rule 313 on the amount due. At the customer's option,

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the term of the payment arrangement may extend for the length of time that the underbilling accrued or the customer was not billed.

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#### 300. FURTHER DEFINITIONS (RULE 300).

As used in Rules 301 through 313:

(7-1-93)

- **01. Applicant**. "Applicant" is restricted from its general definition to refer only to applicants for residential or small commercial service, unless further restricted by the rule. (7-1-93)
- **02. Customer.** "Customer" is restricted from its general definition to refer only to residential or small commercial customers, unless further restricted by the rule. (7-1-93)
  - **Non-Utility Service**. "Non-utility service" means:

(7-1-93)

- **a.** Service for which the Commission does not regulate rates, charges, or availability of service; (7-1-93)
- **b.** Service for which no rate or charge is contained in the utility's tariffs; or (7-1-93)
- **c.** Merchandise or equipment or charges for merchandise or equipment not required as a condition of receiving utility service. (7-1-93)
- **04.** Written Notice. "Written notice" of the utility's intent to deny or terminate service may be mailed or otherwise delivered to the applicant, resident, occupant, or customer. Written notice may be provided by electronic mail (i.e., e-mail) if the customer is billed electronically and consents to electronic notification.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 302. GROUNDS FOR DENIAL OR TERMINATION OF SERVICE WITH PRIOR NOTICE (RULE 302).

A utility may deny or terminate service to a customer or applicant without the customer's or applicant's permission, but only after adequate notice has been given in accordance with these rules, for one (1) or more of the following reasons:

(7-1-93)

- **01. Failure to Pay**. With respect to undisputed past due bills the customer or applicant: (3-20-04)
- **a.** Failed to pay; (3-20-04)
- **b.** Paid with a dishonored check; or (3-20-04)
- **c.** Made an electronic payment drawn on an account with insufficient funds. (3-20-04)
- **O2. Failure to Make Security Deposit.** The customer or applicant failed to make a security deposit or make an installment payment on a deposit where it is required. (3-30-01)
- **03. Failure to Abide by Terms of Payment Arrangement**. The customer or applicant failed to abide by the terms of a payment arrangement. (3-30-01)
- **04. Identity Misrepresentation**. The customer or applicant misrepresented the customer's or applicant's identity for the purpose of obtaining utility service. (7-1-93)

05. **Denial of Access to Meter.** The customer or applicant denied or willfully prevented the utility's access to the meter. 06. Willful Waste of Service. The utility determines as prescribed by relevant State or other applicable standards that the customer is willfully wasting service through improper equipment or otherwise. Service to Minors. The applicant or customer is a minor not competent to contract as described in Sections 29-101 and 32-101, Idaho Code. **Previous Account Balance Owing.** Nothing in this rule requires the utility to connect service for a customer or applicant who owes money on an existing account or from a previous account if the unpaid bill is for <del>(3-20-04)</del>( service provided within the past four (4) years (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS) 310. INSUFFICIENT GROUNDS FOR TERMINATION OR DENIAL OF SERVICE (RULE 310). **Termination of Service.** No customer shall be given notice of termination of service nor shall the customer's service be terminated if: (7-1-93)( Unpaid Bill Less Than Fifty Dollars. The customer's unpaid bill cited as grounds for termination totals less than fifty dollars (\$50) or two (2) months' charges for service, whichever is less. (7-1-93)( Unpaid Bill Not Customer's. The unpaid bill cited as grounds for termination is for utility service to any other customer (unless that customer has a legal obligation to pay the other customer's bill) or for any other class of service. <del>(7-1-93)</del>(\_ <del>03</del>с. Non-Utility Service or Goods. An The unpaid bill results from the purchase of non-utility goods or services. <del>(7-1-93)</del>( The unpaid bill is for service provided four (4) or more years ago unless the customer has promised in writing to pay or made a payment on the bill within the last four (4) years. Denial of Service. No applicant shall be given notice of denial nor shall the applicant be denied service if any of the criteria listed in Subsection 310.01.b. through 310.01.d. apply. 311. RESTRICTIONS ON TERMINATION OF SERVICE TIMES WHEN SERVICE MAY BE DENIED OR TERMINATED -- OPPORTUNITY TO AVOID TERMINATION OF SERVICE (RULE 311). When Denial or Termination Not Allowed of Service Is Prohibited. Except as authorized by Rule 303 or this rule, Service provided to a customer, applicant, resident or occupant shall not be denied or terminated: <u>σOn</u> any Friday, after 12 noon, or on Saturday, Sunday, legal holidays recognized by the state of Idaho, or on any day immediately preceding any legal holiday; or

before this Commission; or

<u>d.</u>

<del>303.02</del>:

4At any time when the utility is not open for business, except as authorized by Rules 303.01 and

For failure to pay amounts in dispute while a complaint filed pursuant to Rule 402 is pending

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<u>02.</u>	Times When Service May Be Denied or Terminated. Service	may be <u>denied or</u> terminated:
<u>a.</u> do so pursuant t	At any time when there is a dangerous condition pursuant to Ru to Rule 303.02;	le 303.01 or the utility is ordered to
<b>b.</b> Rules 302 and 3	Between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday;	rsday, for any reason authorized by
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403.

RECORD OF COMPLAINTS (RULE 403).

- **Q1. Recordkeeping.** Each utility must keep a written record of complaints and requests for conferences pursuant to Rules 401 and 402. These records must be retained for a minimum of one (1) year at the office of the utility where the complaints were received or conferences held. These written records are to be readily available upon request by the concerned customer, the customer's agent possessing written authorization, or the Commission. The records must show whether the customer or applicant was advised as required by Rule 401.032 that the customer or applicant may request the Commission to review the utility's proposed disposition of the complaint. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_\_)
- **Reporting.** Each utility must, at the Commission's request, submit a report to the Commission that states and classifies the number of complaints made to the utility pursuant to Rules 401 and 402, the general nature of their subject matter, how received (in person, by letter, etc.), and whether a Commission review was conducted.

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#### 600. DEFINITIONS (RULE 600).

As used in Rules 601 through 605.

(7-1-93)

- **01. Advance Payment**. "Advance payment" means a payment made prior to receiving service that will be credited to the customer's account at a later date. (7-1-93)
  - **O2. Applicant**. "Applicant" means an applicant for industrial, large commercial or irrigation service. (7-1-93)
- **O3. Customer.** "Customer" means an industrial, large commercial or irrigation customer, unless further restricted by the rule. The Commission will maintain on file a list of which customer classes of a given utility are industrial, large commercial, and irrigation. (7-1-93)
- **Deposit.** "Deposit" means any payment held as security for future payment or performance that is reimbursable. (7-1-93)
- **05.** Written Notice. "Written notice" of the utility's intent to deny or terminate service may be mailed or otherwise delivered to the applicant, occupant or customer. Written notice may be provided by electronic mail (i.e., e-mail) if the customer is billed electronically and consents to electronic notification.

#### **IDAPA 31 - IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

# 31.71.02 - RAILROAD ACCIDENT REPORTING RULES DOCKET NO. 31-7102-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL) NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Idaho Public Utilities Commission proposes to repeal its Railroad Accident Reporting Rules. This action is authorized pursuant to Section 61-515, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007. The hearing site will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the Commission's address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

IDAPA 31.71.02.101 of the Railroad Accident Reporting Rules adopts 47 C.F.R. Part 225.1 which requires all railroads to file a copy of an accident or incident report with the Commission when such report is required to be filed with the Federal Railroad Administration. The Commission is proposing to move the text of Rule 101 to the Railroad Safety/Sanitation Rules, IDAPA 31.71.03. This transfer is proposed in Docket No. 31-7103-0701. After the transfer of this one rule to the Railroad Safety/Sanitation Rules, the Commission proposes to repeal its Railroad Accident Reporting Rules at 31.71.02. Consolidating these rules will streamline the Commission's railroad rules.

FEE SUMMARY: There are no fees associated with this proposed rulemaking. N/A

FISCAL IMPACT: There is no fiscal impact on the state general fund resulting from this rulemaking. N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because of the nature of the proposed action.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the rescission of these rules, contact Donald L. Howell, II, Deputy Attorney General, at (208) 334-0312.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the Commission Secretary and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007. Persons desiring to comment are encouraged to submit written comments at their earliest convenience rather than wait until the comment deadline.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

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IDAPA 31.71.02 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

#### **IDAPA 31 - IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

#### 31.71.03 - RAILROAD SAFETY/SANITATION RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 31-7103-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Idaho Public Utilities Commission has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. This action is authorized pursuant to Sections 61-515 and 61-515A, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the Commission's address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The Commission's Railroad Safety/Sanitation Rules currently adopt by reference federal hazardous material safety regulations. In particular, Rule 103.02 adopts the federal hazardous material regulations found in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) dated October 1, 2005. The Commission is proposing to update Rule 103.02 by adoption of the October 1, 2007 edition of the CFR. Major revisions included in the 2007 edition of the CFR include: Requiring "NON-ODORIZED" marking on certain packages including tank cars containing un-odorized liquid petroleum gas (Part 172); revising the transport requirements for infectious substances and regulated medical waste consistent with international standards (Parts 172, 173); and adopting new Internet options for registration and assessment of hazardous materials (Part 107).

The Commission is also proposing to add Rule 104 which was previously promulgated at IDAPA 31.71.02.101. Moving the accident reporting rule to this Chapter will allow the Commission to consolidate and streamline its railroad rules. By adding Rule 104, the Commission is also proposing to amend the title and scope of these rules and make other housekeeping changes (references to citations, websites, and public records compliance).

FEE SUMMARY: There are no fees associated with this proposed rulemaking. N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** There is no fiscal impact on the state general fund resulting from this rulemaking, N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this proposed rule adopts updated CFR parts necessary for the safe transportation of hazardous materials by rail and accident reporting required by federal regulations.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Donald L. Howell, II, Deputy Attorney General, at (208) 334-0312.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the Commission Secretary and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

Persons desiring to comment are encouraged to submit written comments at their earliest convenience rather than wait until the comment deadline.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 31-7103-0701

#### 31.71.03 - RAILROAD SAFETY/SANITATION AND ACCIDENT REPORTING RULES

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE (RULE 1).

<u>**01.**</u> Title. The title of these rules is "Railroad Safety/Sanitation and Accident Reporting Rules."

<u>02.</u> <u>Scope.</u> The scope of these rules <u>is that they</u> set safety, <u>and</u> sanitation, <u>and accident reporting</u> standards that railroads must meet while operating in Idaho.

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#### 004. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE (RULE 4).

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#### 006. CITATION (RULE 6).

The official citation of these rules is IDAPA 31.71.03.000 et seq. For example, this rule is cited as IDAPA 31.71.03.006. In documents submitted to the Commission or issued by the Commission, these rules may be cited by their short title of Railroad Safety/Sanitation and Accident Reporting Rules (RRSSR) and the parenthetical rule number. For example, this rule may be cited as RRSSR 6.

#### 007. EFFECTIVE DATE -- HISTORY OF RULES (RULE 7).

The Commission adopted predecessors to these rules dating back at least to 1977. Prior to 1993, Pthey were most recently codified at IDAPA 31.H and IDAPA 31.L. They were readopted and reformatted by rulemaking decision in Docket Number 31-7103-9301, effective July 1, 1993. The history of rulemaking proceedings preceding the initiation of the publishing of the Idaho Administrative Bulletin and the Idaho Administrative Code is available from the Commission Secretary.

#### 008. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE - CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS (RULE 008).

The Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) is referred to in Rules 103 and 104. The annual volumes of the CFR may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Attn: New Orders, PO Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954. The full text of the CFR is also available in electronic format at <a href="http://origin.www.access.gov/nara/">www.access.gov/nara/</a>. The incorporated CFR Parts are also available for inspection and copying at the office of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission and the Idaho State Law Library. Whenever a federal regulation is adopted by reference in these rules, subsequent annual recompilations are also adopted by reference, but subsequent amendments to the CFR are not adopted by reference.

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## RULES 101 THROUGH 200 -- SAFETY, AND SANITATION CONDITIONS, AND ACCIDENT REPORTING FOR RAILROADS

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#### 103. TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIAL BY RAIL (RULE 103).

- **01. Hazardous Material Defined.** "Hazardous material" means a substance or material which has been determined by the United States Secretary of Transportation to be capable of posing an unreasonable risk to health, safety, and property when transported in commerce, and which has been so designated by the Secretary of Transportation. The term includes hazardous substances, hazardous wastes, marine pollutants, elevated temperature materials as defined in 49 C.F.R. Section 171.8, materials designated as hazardous under the provisions of 49 C.F.R. Section 172.101, and materials that meet the defining criteria for hazardous classes and divisions in 49 C.F.R. Part 173.
- **O2.** Adoption of Federal Safety Regulations. The Commission hereby adopts by reference 49 C.F.R. Parts 107, 171, 172, 173, 174, 178, 179, and 180 (October 1, 20057). All customers offering hazardous materials for shipment by rail and all railroads operating in Idaho that transport hazardous materials listed in, defined by, or regulated by the adopted federal safety regulations must comply with 49 C.F.R. Parts 107, 171, 172, 173, 174, 178, 179 and 180.
- **03. Recognition of Federal Exemptions**. Whenever a railroad or shipper has applied to a federal agency and has been granted an exemption from the transportation or packaging requirements of the federal safety regulations adopted in Subsection 103.02, the federal exemption will also be recognized under these rules. The Commission shall not administer a program to duplicate consideration or approval of federal exemptions on a state level. (3-30-01)

#### 104. REPORTING OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS (RULE 104).

The Commission incorporates by reference 49 C.F.R. Part 225 (October 1, 2007). Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. 225.1, all railroads that are required to file a copy of any accident/incident report with the Federal Railroad Administration shall also file a copy of such report with the Commission Secretary for accidents or incidents occurring in Idaho. Copies of accident or incident reports shall be mailed to: Commission Secretary, Idaho Public Utilities Commission, PO Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0074 ((208) 334-0338). Copies of such reports may also be provided by facsimile at (208) 334-3762 or by electronic mail to secretary@puc.idaho.gov.

105. -- 999. (RESERVED).

#### **IDAPA 33 - IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION**

#### 33.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

#### **DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0701 (FEE RULE)**

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - ADOPTION OF PENDING FEE RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This rule has been adopted by the agency and is now pending review by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature for final approval. Pursuant to Section 67-5224(5)(c), Idaho Code, this pending rule will not become final and effective until it has been approved, amended, or modified by concurrent resolution of the legislature. The rule becomes final and effective upon adoption of the concurrent resolution, as authorized by 67-52254(5) (a), Idaho Code.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5224, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a pending rule. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 54-2007 and Section 54-2020, Idaho Code, as amended by S 1109.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a concise explanatory statement of the reasons for adopting the pending rule and a statement of any change between the text of the proposed rule and the text of the pending rule with an explanation of the reasons for the change. The pending rule is being adopted as proposed. The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the July 4, 2007 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 07-7, pages 80 and 81.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The fee amounts formerly established in statute are now, as a result of Senate Bill 1109, required to be established as administrative rules. The fee amounts set in this rulemaking mirror those of the former statute, and no "new" fees are being imposed: \$25 for late license renewal; \$15 for printing a license certificate; \$10 to compile and copy certified license or education history; and \$50 to issue or renew branch office license.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year:

There is no fiscal impact on the state general fund, since all licensing fee revenues are credited to the Special Real Estate Account.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this pending rule, contact Jeane Jackson-Heim, (208) 334-3285 ext 118, or Kimberly Coster (208) 334-3285 ext 115.

Dated this 20th day of August, 2007.

Jeanne Jackson-Heim Executive Director

Agency: Idaho Real Estate Commission

Physical Address: 633 N. Fourth St., Boise, ID 83702

PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0077 (208) 334-3285; (208) 334-2050 (fax)

#### DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0701 - ADOPTION OF PENDING FEE RULE

There are no substantive changes from the proposed rule text.

The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Volume 07-7, July 4, 2007, pages 80 and 81.

This rule has been adopted as a pending rule by the Agency and is now pending review and approval by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature as a final rule.

#### **IDAPA 33 - IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION**

#### 33.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

#### **DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0702**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - ADOPTION OF PENDING RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This rule has been adopted by the agency and is now pending review by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature for final approval. Pursuant to Section 67-5224(5)(c), Idaho Code, unless the rule is approved, rejected, amended or modified by concurrent resolution in accordance with Section 67-5224 and 67-5291, Idaho Code. If the pending rule is approved, amended or modified by concurrent resolution, the rule becomes final and effective upon adoption of the concurrent resolution or upon the date specified in the concurrent resolution.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5224, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a pending rule. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 54-2007 and Section 54-2027(6), Idaho Code, as amended by Senate Bill 1109.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a concise explanatory statement of the reasons for adopting the pending rule and a statement of any change between the text of the proposed rule and the text of the pending rule with an explanation of the reasons for the change.

The pending rule is being adopted as proposed. The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the July 4, 2007 Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Vol. 07-7, pages 82 through 84.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this pending rule, contact Jeane Jackson-Heim, (208) 334-3285 ext 118, or Kimberly Coster (208) 334-3285 ext 115

Dated this 20th day of August, 2007.

Jeanne Jackson-Heim Executive Director

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#### DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0702 - ADOPTION OF PENDING RULE

There are no substantive changes from the proposed rule text.

The complete text of the proposed rule was published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Volume 07-7, July 4, 2007, pages 82 through 84.

This rule has been adopted as a pending rule by the Agency and is now pending review and approval by the 2008 Idaho State Legislature as a final rule.

#### **IDAPA 33 - REAL ESTATE COMMISSION**

#### 33.01.01 - RULES OF THE IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

#### **DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0703**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Sections 54-2007, Section 54-2013, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING:** A public hearing concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

Wednesday, October 24, 2007 -- 10:00 a.m. The Idaho Real Estate Commission 633 North Fourth Street Boise, Idaho 83702

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a non-technical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Amend Rule 121.01 to provide that the Notice, advising a licensee of his non-compliance with the errors and omissions insurance requirement, be sent first class mail and eliminate the requirement that it be sent "certified" mail.

**FEE SUMMARY**: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

No fees or charges are being imposed or increased through this rulemaking.

**FISCAL IMPACT** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year:

No negative fiscal impact to the general fund will result from this rulemaking.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary rule, contact Jeanne Jackson-Heim, (208) 334-3285.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th, 2007

Jeanne Jackson-Heim
Executive Director
Agency: Idaho Real Estate Commission
Physical Address: 633 N. Fourth St. Boi

Physical Address: 633 N. Fourth St., Boise, ID 83702

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 33-0101-0703

#### 121. FAILURE TO MAINTAIN INSURANCE.

Failure of a licensee to obtain and maintain insurance coverage required by Subsection 117.02 shall result in inactivation of any active license issued pursuant to Idaho Real Estate License Law or denial of any application for issuance or renewal of an active license. Failure to maintain insurance as required herein shall be deemed insufficient application for licensure under Section 67-5254, Idaho Code. (4-2-03)

**01. Notice of Noncompliance.** Within five (5) working days of the date the Commission is notified that a licensee does not have required coverage, the Commission shall notify the affected licensee of noncompliance. Notice shall be sent by *certified* <u>first class</u> mail to the licensee's business or residence address, as reflected in the Commission's records, and a copy of the notice shall be sent to the licensee's broker, if any. The notice shall provide that the licensee has ten (10) days in which to comply with the law and these rules regarding errors and omissions insurance. Failure to comply at the end of ten (10) days shall result in the license being automatically inactivated.

(3-15-02)()

- **Reactivation**. Any licensee whose license has been inactivated for failure to comply with these rules shall be entitled to activate said license, relating back to and including the date of inactivation, provided that, within thirty (30) days of the date of inactivation, the licensee or Group Plan Administrator files with the Commission a certificate of coverage showing that such coverage has been and is currently in effect on and from the date of inactivation, with no lapse in coverage. Further, the licensee must submit required documents and fees to activate said license. In the event the certificate of coverage shows an effective date later than the date of inactivation, said license shall be activated as of the effective date of said insurance, as reflected in the certificate of coverage, and upon submission of any required documents and fees.

  (3-15-02)
- **6.93. Failure to Maintain Insurance.** Failure of a licensee to maintain errors and omissions insurance or failure of a licensee to submit or cause to be submitted a certificate of coverage as required by Section 54-2013, Idaho Code, and in accordance with these rules and while engaging in the business of real estate broker or real estate salesperson, as defined in Sections 54-2002 and 54-2004, Idaho Code, shall constitute a violation of these rules, and shall be grounds for disciplinary action as provided in Sections 54-2059 and 54-2060, Idaho Code, including but not limited to the assessment of civil fines. (3-15-02)

#### **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

#### 35.01.01 - INCOME TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0101-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105 and 63-3039, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 006:** Income Tax Rule 006 is being amended to identify the Multistate Tax Commission (MTC) Web site as the location where the MTC regulations incorporated by reference can be accessed. This should be a more reliable source to reference for access to the information since the MTC document, "Model Regulations, Statutes and Guidelines, Uniformity Recommendations to the States" can be difficult to locate and may no longer be available.

- **Rule 031:** Amend Income Tax Rule 031 to include information on what federal forms must be included in the Idaho return filed by a nonresident alien. These include Form 8843 (Statement for Exempt Individuals and Individuals With a Medical Condition) and Form 1042-S (Foreign Person's U.S. Source Income Subject to Withholding).
- **Rule 032:** Section 63-3013, Idaho Code, provides a safe harbor exception to being a resident in Idaho. This provision should not be applied to military individuals due to federal law in the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. Income Tax Rule 032 includes language that the safe harbor applies to a member of the armed forces so the rule is being amended to remove this information. To address questions regarding the commissioned corps of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and commissioned corps of the Public Health Service, the rule is being amended to discuss who qualifies as a servicemember under the federal law and who qualifies for the Idaho deduction in Section 63-3022(h), Idaho Code, because there are differences.
- **Rule 075:** Amend Income Tax Rule 075 to add the table for the income tax brackets and rates for calendar year 2007.
- **Rule 108:** Amend Income Tax Rule 108 consistent with House Bill 239, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature. It amended Section 63-3022, Idaho Code, to require a taxpayer to include in Idaho taxable income the amount transferred from an Idaho college savings account to a qualified tuition program operated by a state other than Idaho.
- **Rule 121:** Amend Income Tax Rule 121 to better clarify the calculations related to the state tax addback that require rounding. The rule needs to be modified so that the text of the rule more clearly matches the calculations required.
- **Rule 125:** Promulgate new Income Tax Rule 125 to address issues related to bonus depreciation. House Bill 13, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature, amended Section 63-3022O, Idaho Code, to change the provisions regarding bonus depreciation. The new rule helps to explain how the legislative changes are to be applied.
- **Rule 255:** Amend Income Tax Rule 255 to better clarify the calculations related to the proration of exemptions and deductions of part-year residents and nonresidents that require rounding. The rule needs to be modified so that the text of the rule more clearly matches the calculations required.
  - Rule 275: Amend Income Tax Rule 275 consistent with House Bill 15, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho

Legislature. It amended Section 63-3026A, Idaho Code, to clarify when nonresident individuals are not required to pay Idaho income tax on investment income from Idaho investment partnerships. Change Subsection 275.02 from qualifying entity to qualified investment partnership and identify the qualifying criteria. Remove Subsection 275.03, which addressed investment in securities and is no longer relevant.

Rule 285, 286: Promulgate new Income Tax Rules 285 and 286 to address S corporations. House Bill 17, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature, amended Sections 63-3025 and 63-3025A, Idaho Code, to clarify the tax due by S corporations on built-in gains and excess net passive income. New Rule 285 addresses such issues as the tax on S corporations, when the minimum tax is due, the application of credit carryovers if an S corporation was previously a C corporation, the interaction between the tax on built-in gains/excess net passive income and the tax due by an S corporation when the election under Section 63-3022L, Idaho Code, is made, and how Idaho treats qualified subchapter S subsidiaries (QSSSs). New Rule 286 addresses multistate issues with regard to S corporations including the application of allocation and apportionment, exceptions to using the apportionment formula, information to provide to shareholders, protection under Public Law 86-272, and QSSSs.

**Rule 582:** Amend Income Tax Rule 582 consistent with House Bill 141, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature. It amended Section 63-3023, Idaho Code, to repeal Subsection (b), which exempted from the Idaho income tax banks and financial institutions that did not maintain an office in Idaho and carried on only limited activity in Idaho. Subsection 582.05 referenced Subsection 63-3023(b) and discussed the calculation of the apportionment factor attributes of such exempted taxpayers. Subsection 582.05 is no longer applicable and is being removed from the rule.

**Rule 641:** Amend Income Tax Rule 641 so that information related to intercompany eliminations for a water's edge combined report is consistent with language in Rule 600 (that they are made to the extent necessary to properly reflect combined income and to properly compute the apportionment factors of the water's edge combined group).

**Rule 700:** Amend Income Tax Rule 700 to better clarify the calculations related to the credit for tax paid to another state that require rounding. The rule needs to be modified so that the text of the rule more clearly matches the calculations required.

**Rule 714:** Amend Income Tax Rule 714 to more clearly explain the options for computing ITC on movable property. Clarify that a taxpayer can only claim ITC on the amount correctly included in his property factor numerator and that the taxpayer can not claim ITC on an overstated value by using the MTC special industry regulations when the taxpayer does not qualify as a special industry.

**Rule 746:** Amend Income Tax Rule 746 to remove references to Paragraph 745.04.a., which was removed from Rule 745 in 2006 rulemaking.

Rules 765, 766, 767, 799: House Bill 177, passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature, enacted the new income tax credit for capital investment in biofuel infrastructure (Section 63-3029M, Idaho Code). Promulgate new Income Tax Rule 765 to address such topics as the tax years when the credit is allowed, when the qualified investment must be placed in service, what qualified investments include, limitations on claiming the credit, the carryover period, taxpayers entitled to the credit, a reference to Rule 785 which discusses how the credit passes through to owners of pass-through entities, and coordination with the ITC. Promulgate new Income Tax Rule 766 to address recapture and new Income Tax Rule 767 to address record-keeping requirements. Rules 766 and 767 are similar to the ITC rules, modified to address specific biofuel statutory requirements. Amend Income Tax Rule 799 to add the biofuel investment tax credit to the priority list of credits.

**Rule 800:** Amend Income Tax Rule 800 to delete the information regarding Idaho Form 40EZ, which is no longer available to be used by individuals in filing their Idaho return. Add a subsection to address verification of Idaho income tax withheld to require a taxpayer to attach appropriate Forms W-2 and 1099 and other information forms that verify the amount of the Idaho income tax withheld.

Rule 880: Amend Income Tax Rule 880 to add capital losses and Idaho credits in the discussion of the timely claim for refund when an adjustment to the taxpayer's federal return affects the calculation or application of an Idaho net operating loss. Add a requirement that before the Tax Commission can credit or refund an overpayment, the taxpayer making the claim must establish the basis for the credit or refund and the amount of the

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overpayment in light of the Idaho Supreme Court decision in Baird Oil Company, Inc. v. The Idaho State Tax Commission.

**Rule 946:** Amend Income Tax Rule 946 to modify information that discusses when recapture is required consistent with House Bill 12, which was passed by the 2007 Idaho Legislature. It amended Section 63-4407, Idaho Code, to change the threshold of employment that triggers recapture for the Idaho small employer new jobs tax credit

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Janice Boyd (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Janice Boyd Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7530

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0101-0701

#### 006. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 006).

These rules incorporate by reference the following documents, which may be obtained from the main office of the Idaho State Tax Commission: (3-15-02)

- **01.** MTC Special Industry Regulations. This These documents is are found in "Model Regulations, Statutes and Guidelines, Uniformity Recommendations to the States," November 2004 Edition, published by on the Multistate Tax Commission (MTC) Web site at www.mtc.gov/Uniformity.aspx?id=496, or can be obtained by contacting the MTC, 444 N. Capitol Street, NW, Suite 425, Washington, DC 20001. See Rules 580 and 581 of these rules.
- **O2.** MTC Recommended Formula for the Apportionment and Allocation of Net Income of Financial Institutions. This document is found in "Model Regulations, Statutes and Guidelines, Uniformity Recommendations to the States," November 2004 Edition, published by on the MTC Web site at www.mtc.gov/Uniformity.aspx?id=496, or can be obtained by contacting the MTC, 444 N. Capitol Street, NW, Suite 425, Washington, DC 20001. See Rule 582 of these rules.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

031.	ALIENS	(RULE 031)	_

Sections 63-3013, 63-3013A, and 63-3014, Idaho Code.

(3-20-97)

- **01. Idaho Residency Status**. For purposes of the Idaho Income Tax Act, an alien may be either a resident, part-year resident, or nonresident, except a nonresident alien as defined in Section 7701, Internal Revenue Code, shall be a nonresident. See Paragraph 031.01.b., of this rule. (3-30-07)
- **a.** An alien shall determine his Idaho residency status using the tests set forth in Sections 63-3013, 63-3013A, and 63-3014, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **b.** A nonresident alien as defined in Section 7701, Internal Revenue Code, is a nonresident for Idaho. If a nonresident alien has elected to be treated as a resident of the United States for federal income tax purposes, he shall determine his Idaho residency status as provided in Paragraph 031.01.a., of this rule. (3-30-07)

#### **02.** Computation of Idaho Taxable Income.

(3-20-97)

- **a.** To compute the Idaho taxable income of an alien, the first step is to determine his taxable income. This will depend on whether the alien is a resident, nonresident, or dual status alien for federal income tax purposes. (3-20-97)
- **b.** Once the alien's taxable income has been computed, the amount of income subject to Idaho income tax depends on the alien's Idaho residency status. In general, if the alien qualifies as an Idaho resident, he is subject to Idaho income tax on all his taxable income regardless of its source. If the alien qualifies as a part-year resident or nonresident of Idaho, the amount of his taxable income subject to Idaho income tax is determined pursuant to Section 63-3026A, Idaho Code, and Rules 250 through 259 of these rules. (3-20-97)
- **c.** In the case of a nonresident alien who does not elect to be treated as a resident for federal income tax purposes, the standard deduction is zero (0). However, a nonresident alien who qualifies as a student or business apprentice eligible for the benefits of Article 21(2) of the United States India Income Tax Treaty is entitled to the standard deduction amount as if he were a resident for federal income tax purposes provided he does not claim itemized deductions. (7-1-99)
- **63. Filing Status.** An alien shall use the same filing status for the Idaho return as used on the federal return. If for federal income tax purposes a married alien files as a nonresident alien and does not elect to be treated as a resident, the married alien shall use the filing status married filing separate on the Idaho return. (3-30-01)

	<u>U4.</u>	<b>Copy of Federal Forms Required.</b> In addition to the requirements set forth in Rule 800 o	<u>it tne</u>	St
rules.	, a nonreside	nt alien shall attach a copy of the following forms to his Idaho individual income tax return:	(	,
	<u>a.</u>	Form 8843 if filed with the IRS:	(	
	b.	All Forms 1042-S received for the taxable year.	(	,

#### 032. MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES UNIFORMED SERVICES (RULE 032).

- **01.** Idaho Residency Status. Section 511 of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. App. Section 571) provides that an individual on active duty with the United States Armed Forces is not a resident of or domiciled in Idaho solely as a result of being stationed in Idaho a servicemember will neither lose nor acquire a residence or domicile with regard to his income tax as a result of being absent or present in a state due to military orders.

  (4-6-05)(
- <u>a.</u> A servicemember is defined to include any member of the uniformed services as that term is defined in 10 U.S.C. Section 101(a)(5). A member of the uniformed services includes:

<u>i.</u> Corps, or Coast (	A member of the armed forces, which includes a member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marin Guard on active duty. It also includes a member of the National Guard who has been called to active	<u>ie</u> /e
service by the Prothirty (30) conse	esident of the United States or the Secretary of Defense of the United States for a period of more that cutive days under 32 U.S.C. Section 502(f), for purposes of responding to a national emergence resident and supported by federal funds.	<u>ın</u>
<u>ii.</u> service; and	The commissioned corps of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in activ	<u>/e</u> )
<u>iii.</u>	The commissioned corps of the Public Health Service in active service.	)
<u>b.</u>	As a result of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:	)
<u>i.</u> stationed in Idaho	A qualifying servicemember is not a resident of or domiciled in Idaho solely as a result of bein o.	<u>ig</u> )
<u>ii.</u> shall not apply to	The safe harbor exception to being a resident of Idaho set forth in Section 63-3013(2), Idaho Code a qualified service member.	<u>e.</u> )
	A qualifying service member is an Idaho resident only if he is domiciled in Idaho for the entire domicile of a qualified service member is presumed to be that member's military home of record service member establishes a new domicile. (3-20-97)	rd
<b>b<u>d</u>.</b> year resident.	A qualified service member who is domiciled in Idaho for less than the entire taxable year is a par (3-20-97)	
<i>e</i> e. nonresident.	A qualified service member who is not domiciled in Idaho anytime during the taxable year is (3-20-97)	
	A member of the armed forces meeting the safe harbor exception set forth in Section 63-3013(2) ot considered a resident of Idaho, even though Idaho is the person's military home of record. And the safe harbor exception to residency status is considered either a nonresident or part year (4-5-06)	<del>ıy</del> ar
	The Servicemembers Civil Relief Act does not affect the Idaho residency status of a spouse of member. The spouse of a qualified service member shall determine his Idaho residency status usin in Sections 63-3013, 63-3013A, and 63-3014, Idaho Code. (4-6-05)	ıg
02.	Active Duty Military Pay. (3-20-97)	7)
Idaho is exempt	Section 511 of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. App. Section 571) provides that the ary pay of a qualified servicemember of the United States Armed Forces who is not domiciled in from Idaho income tax. The active duty military pay is not considered income from services, or from sources within, Idaho. See Section 63-3026A(3)(c), Idaho Code.	in
Forces for milita Idaho taxable in Oceanic and Atm been militarized	The active duty military pay of a service member who is domiciled in Idaho is subject to Idah ever, Section 63-3022(h), Idaho Code, provides that compensation paid by the United States Armery service performed outside Idaho is deducted from taxable income in determining the member come. A member of the armed forces does not include the commissioned corps of the National cospheric Administration or the commissioned corps of the Public Health Service, unless they have by Presidential Executive Order under Title 42, United States Code. See Section 63-3022(h), Idah cific qualifications of this deduction.	ed 's al ve

not apply.

**03. Military Separation Pay**. Military separation pay received for voluntary or involuntary separation from active military service is not considered active duty military pay. Therefore, Subsection 032.02 of this rule does

(4-6-05)

- **a.** Military separation pay is included in Idaho taxable income only if the recipient is domiciled in or residing in Idaho when the separation pay is received. (3-20-97)
- **b.** For purposes of this rule, a former active duty service member whose home of record at the time of separation from the military was a state other than Idaho is not deemed to be residing in Idaho if he moves from Idaho within thirty (30) days from the date of separation from active duty. (3-20-97)
- **04. Nonmilitary Income**. All Idaho source income earned by a military service member is subject to Idaho taxation except as expressly limited by the Idaho Income Tax Act and these rules. (3-20-97)
- **05. Nonmilitary Spouse.** Subsection 032.02 of this rule does not apply to the income earned by a nonmilitary spouse of a military service member. If the nonmilitary spouse is an Idaho resident, he is subject to Idaho taxation on his income from all sources. If the nonmilitary spouse is a nonresident or a part-year resident, he is subject to Idaho taxation on his income from all sources earned while residing in or domiciled in Idaho, plus his income from Idaho sources earned while not residing and not domiciled in Idaho. (4-6-05)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 075. TAX ON INDIVIDUALS, ESTATES, AND TRUSTS (RULE 075).

Section 63-3024, Idaho Code.

(3-20-04)

**01. In General**. The tax rates applied to the Idaho taxable income of an individual, trust or estate, beginning with calendar year 1987, are identified in Subsection 075.03 of this rule. For taxable years beginning after December 31, 1999, the Idaho income tax brackets are adjusted for inflation. For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2003, the maximum tax rate as listed for that taxable year in Subsection 075.03 of this rule shall apply in computing the tax attributable to the S corporation stock held by an electing small business trust. See Rule 078 of these rules. (4-6-05)

#### **02.** Tax Computation.

(5-3-03)

- **a.** The tax rates and income tax brackets listed in Subsection 075.03 of this rule are those for a single individual or married individuals filing separate returns. (4-6-05)
- **b.** The tax imposed on individuals filing a joint return, filing as a surviving spouse, or filing as a head of household shall be twice the tax that would be imposed on one-half (1/2) of the total Idaho taxable income of a single individual. (5-3-03)
- **c.** For example, if a married couple filing a joint return reports Idaho taxable income of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), the tax would be computed as if they had taxable income of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000). The tax amount would then be multiplied by two (2). (5-3-03)

#### 03. Tables Identifying the Idaho Tax Rates and Income Tax Brackets.

(3-20-04)

**a.** For taxable years beginning in 1987 through 1999:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	+	2% of taxable income
\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$20.00	+	4% of the amount over \$1,000.00
\$2,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$60.00	+	4.5% of the amount over \$2,000.00

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS				IDAHO TAX
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$3,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$105.00	+	5.5% of the amount over \$3,000.00
\$4,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$160.00	+	6.5% of the amount over \$4,000.00
\$5,000.00	\$7,500.00	\$225.00	+	7.5% of the amount over \$5,000.00
\$7,500.00	\$20,000.00	\$412.50	+	7.8% of the amount over \$7,500.00
\$20,000.00 or more		\$1,387.50	+	8.2% of the amount over \$20,000.00

(3-20-04)

#### **b.** For taxable years beginning in 2000:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	ls		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,022.00	\$0.00	+	1.9% of taxable income
\$1,022.00	\$2,044.00	\$19.42	+	3.9% of the amount over \$1,022.00
\$2,044.00	\$3,066.00	\$59.28	+	4.4% of the amount over \$2,044.00
\$3,066.00	\$4,088.00	\$104.25	+	5.4% of the amount over \$3,066.00
\$4,088.00	\$5,110.00	\$159.44	+	6.4% of the amount over \$4,088.00
\$5,110.00	\$7,666.00	\$224.85	+	7.4% of the amount over \$5,110.00
\$7,666.00	\$20,442.00	\$413.99	+	7.7% of the amount over \$7,666.00
\$20,442.00 or more		\$1,397.74	+	8.1% of the amount over \$20,442.00

(3-20-04)

#### **c.** For taxable years beginning in 2001:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,056.00	\$0.00	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,056.00	\$2,113.00	\$16.90	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,056.00
\$2,113.00	\$3,169.00	\$54.93	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,113.00
\$3,169.00	\$4,226.00	\$98.25	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,169.00
\$4,226.00	\$5,282.00	\$152.13	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,226.00
\$5,282.00	\$7,923.00	\$216.57	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,282.00
\$7,923.00	\$21,129.00	\$404.09	+	7.4% of the amount over \$7,923.00
\$21,129.00 or more		\$1,381.30	+	7.8% of the amount over \$21,129.00

(3-20-04)

#### **d.** For taxable years beginning in 2002:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,087.00	\$0.00	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,087.00	\$2,173.00	\$17.38	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,087.00
\$2,173.00	\$3,260.00	\$56.50	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,173.00
\$3,260.00	\$4,346.00	\$101.04	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,260.00
\$4,346.00	\$5,433.00	\$156.46	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,346.00
\$5,433.00	\$8,149.00	\$222.73	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,433.00
\$8,149.00	\$21,730.00	\$415.59	+	7.4% of the amount over \$8,149.00
\$21,730.00 or more		\$1,420.60	+	7.8% of the amount over \$21,730.00

(3-20-04)

#### **e.** For taxable years beginning in 2003:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,104.00	\$0	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,104.00	\$2,207.00	\$17.66	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,104.00
\$2,207.00	\$3,311.00	\$57.39	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,207.00
\$3,311.00	\$4,415.00	\$102.64	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,311.00
\$4,415.00	\$5,518.00	\$158.93	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,415.00
\$5,518.00	\$8,278.00	\$226.25	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,518.00
\$8,278.00	\$22,074.00	\$422.16	+	7.4% of the amount over \$8,278.00
\$22,074.00 or more		\$1,443.06	+	7.8% of the amount over \$22,074.00

(3-20-04)

#### **f.** For taxable years beginning in 2004:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,129.00	\$0	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,129.00	\$2,258.00	\$18.06	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,129.00
\$2,258.00	\$3,387.00	\$58.70	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,258.00
\$3,387.00	\$4,515.00	\$104.98	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,387.00

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$4,515.00	\$5,644.00	\$162.55	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,515.00
\$5,644.00	\$8,466.00	\$231.41	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,644.00
\$8,466.00	\$22,577.00	\$431.78	+	7.4% of the amount over \$8,466.00
\$22,577.00 or more		\$1,475.95	+	7.8% of the amount over \$22,577.00

(4-6-05)

#### **g.** For taxable years beginning in 2005:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,159.00	\$0	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,159.00	\$2,318.00	\$18.54	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,159.00
\$2,318.00	\$3,477.00	\$60.26	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,318.00
\$3,477.00	\$4,636.00	\$107.78	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,477.00
\$4,636.00	\$5,794.00	\$166.89	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,636.00
\$5,794.00	\$8,692.00	\$237.53	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,794.00
\$8,692.00	\$23,178.00	\$443.29	+	7.4% of the amount over \$8,692.00
\$23,178.00 or more		\$1,515.25	+	7.8% of the amount over \$23,178.00

(4-11-06)

#### **h.** For taxable years beginning in 2006, as calculated on June 7, 2006:

IF IDAHO TAXABLE INCOME IS		IDAHO TAX		
At least	But less than	Is		Plus
\$0.00	\$1,198.00	\$0	+	1.6% of taxable income
\$1,198.00	\$2,396.00	\$19.17	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,198.00
\$2,396.00	\$3,594.00	\$62.30	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,396.00
\$3,594.00	\$4,793.00	\$111.43	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,594.00
\$4,793.00	\$5,991.00	\$172.53	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,793.00
\$5,991.00	\$8,986.00	\$245.62	+	7.1% of the amount over \$5,991.00
\$8,986.00	\$23,963.00	\$458.30	+	7.4% of the amount over \$8,986.00
\$23,963.00 or more		\$1,566.59	+	7.8% of the amount over \$23,963.00

(3-30-07)

#### i. For taxable years beginning in 2007, as calculated on May 17, 2007:

IF IDAHO TAXA	BLE INCOME IS	IDAHO TAX			
At least	But less than	<u>ls</u>	<u>ls Plus</u>		
<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1,237.00</u>	<u>\$0</u>	+	1.6% of taxable income	
<u>\$1,237.00</u>	<u>\$2,474.00</u>	<u>\$19.79</u>	+	3.6% of the amount over \$1,237.00	
<u>\$2,474.00</u>	<u>\$3,710.00</u>	<u>\$64.31</u>	+	4.1% of the amount over \$2,474.00	
\$3,710.00	\$4,947.00	<u>\$115.02</u>	+	5.1% of the amount over \$3,710.00	
<u>\$4,947.00</u>	<u>\$6,184.00</u>	<u>\$178.10</u>	+	6.1% of the amount over \$4,947.00	
<u>\$6,184.00</u>	\$9,276.00	<u>\$253.55</u>	+	7.1% of the amount over \$6,184.00	
\$9,276.00	\$24,736.00	<u>\$473.08</u>	+	7.4% of the amount over \$9,276.00	
\$24,736.00 or more		<u>\$1,617.13</u>	+	7.8% of the amount over \$24,736.00	

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 108. ADJUSTMENTS TO TAXABLE INCOME -- ADDITIONS REQUIRED ONLY OF INDIVIDUALS (RULE 108). Section 63-3022, Idaho Code. (3-20-97)

- **01. Lump Sum Distributions.** As provided in Section 63-3022(k), Idaho Code, add the taxable amount of a lump sum distribution excluded from taxable income. (3-30-01)
- **02. Withdrawals from an Idaho Medical Savings Account.** As provided in Section 63-3022K, Idaho Code, add the amount of a withdrawal from an Idaho medical savings account if the withdrawal was not made for the purpose of paying eligible medical expenses. See Rule 190 of these rules. (7-1-98)

#### 03. Withdrawals from an Idaho College Savings Program.

- **a.** As provided in Section 63-3022(o), Idaho Code, an account owner shall add the amount of any nonqualified withdrawal from an Idaho college savings program, less the amount included in the account owner's gross income. Nonqualified withdrawal is defined in Section 33-5401, Idaho Code. (3-20-04)
- <u>b.</u> As provided in Section 63-3022(p), Idaho Code, an account owner shall add the amount of a withdrawal from an Idaho college savings program that is transferred on or after July 1, 2007 to a qualified tuition program operated by a state other than Idaho.
- **04. Certain Expenses of Eligible Educators**. As provided in Section 63-3022O, Idaho Code, an eligible educator as defined in Section 62, Internal Revenue Code, shall add the amount of out-of-pocket classroom expenses deducted as allowed by Section 62, Internal Revenue Code, in computing adjusted gross income. (3-20-04)
- **05. State and Local Sales Tax**. As provided in Section 63-3022(j), Idaho Code, add the amount of state and local general sales taxes deducted as an itemized deduction. (4-11-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 121. ADJUSTMENTS TO TAXABLE INCOME -- SUBTRACTIONS AVAILABLE ONLY TO INDIVIDUALS (RULE 121).

Section 63-3022, Idaho Code.

(3-20-97)

- **01. Income Not Taxable by Idaho**. As provided in Section 63-3022(f), Idaho Code, subtract the amount of income that is exempt from Idaho income tax if included in taxable income. Income exempt from taxation by Idaho includes the following: (7-1-99)
  - **a.** Certain income earned by American Indians. See Rule 033 of these rules. (5-3-03)
- b. Retirement payments received pursuant to the old Teachers' Retirement System. Prior to its repeal on July 1, 1967, the old Teachers' Retirement System was codified at Title 33, Chapter 13, Idaho Code. Teachers who were employed by the state of Idaho and who retired on or after January 1, 1966, generally do not qualify for this exemption. Teachers who were not state employees and who retired on or after January 1, 1968, do not qualify. Teachers receiving benefits pursuant to the Public Employees' Retirement System, Title 59, Chapter 13, Idaho Code, do not qualify for the exemption. No exemption is provided for amounts received from other states, school districts outside Idaho, or any other source if the proceeds do not relate to teaching performed in Idaho. (3-20-97)
- **02. Military Compensation for Service Performed Outside Idaho**. As provided in Section 63-3022(h), Idaho Code, certain members of the United States Armed Forces may deduct from taxable income their military service pay received for military service performed outside Idaho. See Rule 032 of these rules. (3-30-01)
- **03. Standard or Itemized Deduction**. As provided in Section 63-3022(j), Idaho Code, deduct either the standard deduction amount as defined in Section 63, Internal Revenue Code, or the itemized deductions allowed by the Internal Revenue Code. If itemized deductions are limited pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code, they are also limited for Idaho income tax purposes. (3-30-01)
- a. If state and local income or general sales taxes are included in itemized deductions for federal purposes pursuant to Section 164, Internal Revenue Code, they shall be added to taxable income. If itemized deductions are limited pursuant to Section 68, Internal Revenue Code, the amount of state and local income or general sales taxes added back shall be computed by dividing the amount of itemized deductions that are allowed to the taxpayer after all federal limitations by total itemized deductions before the Section 68 limitation. For taxable years beginning in or after 2007, this *percent* proration shall be calculated four (4) digits to the right of the decimal point. If the fifth digit is five (5) or greater, the fourth digit is rounded to the next higher number (\$10,000/\$15,000 = .66.666% = .6667 = .66.67%). If the fifth digit is less than five (5), the fourth digit remains unchanged and any digits remaining to its right are dropped (\$10,000/\$30,000 = .33.333% = .3333 = 33.33%). The percentage may not exceed one hundred percent (100%) nor be less than zero (0). This percent The result is then applied to state and local income or general sales taxes to determine the Idaho state and local income and general sales tax addback. See Rule 105 of these rules.
- **b.** If an itemized deduction allowable for federal income tax purposes is reduced for the mortgage interest credit or the foreign tax credit, the amount that would have been allowed if the federal credit had not been claimed is allowed as an itemized deduction. (7-1-99)
- **c.** For taxable year 1999 the standard deduction allowed on a married filing joint return shall be increased by one hundred fifty dollars (\$150). (3-30-01)
- **d.** For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2000, the standard deduction allowed on a married filing joint return shall be equal to two (2) times the basic standard deduction for a single individual. Add to this amount any additional standard deduction for the aged or blind allowed for federal income tax purposes.

(3-30-01)

**04. Social Security and Railroad Retirement Benefits.** As provided in Section 63-3022(1), Idaho Code, subtract from taxable income the amount of social security and certain railroad retirement benefits included in

gross income pursuant to Section 86, Internal Revenue Code.

(3-30-01)

- **a.** The term social security benefits includes United States social security benefits and Canadian social security pensions received by a United States resident that are treated as United States social security benefits for United States income tax purposes. (7-1-99)
- **b.** The term certain railroad retirement benefits means the following amounts paid by the Railroad Retirement Board: (4-6-05)
- i. Annuities, supplemental annuities, and disability annuities, including the Tier I social security equivalent benefits, and the Tier II pension amounts; (4-6-05)
  - ii. Railroad unemployment; and (4-6-05)
  - iii. Sickness benefits. (4-6-05)
- **05. Self-Employed Worker's Compensation Insurance Premiums**. As provided in Section 63-3022(m), Idaho Code, self-employed individuals may subtract from taxable income the premiums paid to secure worker's compensation insurance for coverage in Idaho if the premiums have not been previously deducted in computing taxable income. The term worker's compensation insurance means "workmen's compensation" as defined in Section 41-506(d), Idaho Code. Premiums paid to secure worker's compensation insurance coverage are those payments made in compliance with Section 72-301, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **06. Retirement Benefits**. As provided in Section 63-3022A, Idaho Code, and Rule 130 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for certain retirement benefits. (3-20-97)
- **07. Insulation of an Idaho Residence**. As provided in Section 63-3022B, Idaho Code, and Rule 140 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for qualified expenses related to the insulation of an Idaho residence. (3-20-97)
- **08. Alternative Energy Devices**. As provided in Section 63-3022C, Idaho Code, and Rule 150 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for qualified expenses related to the acquisition of an alternative energy device used in an Idaho residence. (3-20-97)
- **09. Household and Dependent Care Services**. As provided in Section 63-3022D, Idaho Code, and Rule 160 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for certain employment related expenses incurred for the care of qualifying individuals. (3-20-97)
- **10. Household Deduction for Elderly or Developmentally Disabled Dependents.** As provided in Section 63-3022E, Idaho Code, and Rule 165 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for maintaining a household where an elderly or developmentally disabled family member resides. (3-20-97)
- 11. Reparations to Displaced Japanese Americans. As provided in Section 63-3022G, Idaho Code, certain individuals are allowed a deduction for amounts included in taxable income relating to reparation payments from the United States Civil Liberties Public Education Fund. (3-20-97)
- 12. Capital Gains. As provided in Section 63-3022H, Idaho Code, and Rules 170 through 173 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income may be allowed for net capital gains recognized from the sale of qualified property. (3-20-97)
- **13. Adoption Expenses.** As provided in Section 63-3022I, Idaho Code, and Rule 185 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for certain expenses incurred when adopting a child. (3-20-97)
- **14. Idaho Medical Savings Account**. As provided in Section 63-3022K, Idaho Code, and Rule 190 of these rules, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for qualifying contributions to and interest earned on an Idaho medical savings account. (4-5-00)

- **15. Idaho College Savings Program.** As provided in Section 63-3022(n), Idaho Code, a deduction from taxable income is allowed for qualifying contributions to a college savings program. (3-15-02)
- **16. Health Insurance Costs.** A deduction from taxable income is allowed for the amounts paid by the taxpayer during the taxable year for insurance that constitutes medical care, as defined in Section 63-3022P, Idaho Code, for the taxpayer, the spouse or dependents of the taxpayer not otherwise deducted or accounted for by the taxpayer for Idaho income tax purposes. See Rule 193 of these rules. (5-3-03)

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<u>125.</u>	<b>ADJUSTMENTS TO TAXABI</b>	LE INCOME	BONUS D	EPRECIATION	(RULE 125).
	63-3022O, Idaho Code.				-

O1. In General. For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2001, Section 63-3022O, Idaho Code, requires that when computing Idaho taxable income, the amount of the adjusted basis of depreciable property, depreciation, and gains and losses from the sale, exchange, or other disposition of depreciable property shall be computed without regard to bonus depreciation allowed by Section 168(k), Internal Revenue Code. In order to meet this requirement, a taxpayer shall be consistent in making the Idaho adjustments required for all the taxable years in which federal bonus depreciation is claimed.

### <u>O2.</u> <u>Depreciation.</u>

- **a.** If a taxpayer makes the Idaho addition in the first taxable year bonus depreciation was claimed for federal income tax purposes, in the subsequent taxable years the taxpayer shall be entitled to the Idaho subtractions for the additional depreciation computed for Idaho income tax purposes that exceeds the amount of depreciation claimed for federal income tax purposes.
- b. If a taxpayer fails to make the Idaho addition in the first taxable year bonus depreciation was claimed for federal income tax purposes, the taxpayer shall not be entitled to claim the Idaho subtractions for additional depreciation in subsequent taxable years. In such instances, claiming an Idaho subtraction for additional depreciation when the first year Idaho addition was not claimed constitutes computing depreciation with regard to Section 168(k), Internal Revenue Code, which is specifically prohibited in Section 63-3022O(1), Idaho Code. For example, the Idaho addition is required for a taxable year when the bonus depreciation is claimed even though the taxpayer may be limited in claiming a passive loss from a pass-through entity in which the bonus depreciation arose. If the bonus depreciation is not added back in that taxable year, the Idaho subtractions are not allowed in the subsequent taxable years.
- <u>c.</u> The Idaho adjustments shall be required in all taxable years in which the taxpayer has an Idaho filing requirement or is a member of a combined group of corporations in which at least one member has an Idaho filing requirement. If the taxpayer is not required to file an Idaho income tax return for one (1) or more years in which depreciation may be claimed, the taxpayer shall claim the Idaho adjustment in the taxable years in which an Idaho return is filed if all such taxable years are treated consistently.
- d. Example. A corporation transacted business in California and Oregon during taxable year 2003. In 2004, the taxpayer began transacting business in Idaho and was required to file an Idaho corporation income tax return for that year. On the federal return filed for 2003, the taxpayer claimed bonus depreciation for assets placed in service that year. Because the taxpayer was not required to file an Idaho corporation income tax return for 2003, there was no Idaho bonus depreciation addition required of the taxpayer. In 2004, the second year of deprecation for the assets placed in service in 2003, the taxpayer was required for Idaho income tax purposes to compute depreciation on the assets as if bonus depreciation had not been claimed. The difference in the amount of Idaho depreciation and the depreciation claimed for federal income tax purposes for 2004 would be allowed to the taxpayer as an Idaho subtraction since the taxpayer was required to file an Idaho corporation income tax return for that year. Assuming the

taxpayer files an Idaho corporation income tax return for the remaining years when depreciation on the assets is allowed, the taxpayer will be allowed the Idaho subtraction in those years for the difference in the Idaho and federal depreciation amounts. If the corporation transacted business in Idaho during 2003 only, the return filed for that year should reflect the Idaho addition for the difference in the amount of Idaho depreciation and the depreciation claimed for federal income tax purposes, even though the subtractions will not apply in subsequent years.

#### <u>126. -- 127.</u> (RESERVED).

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

- 255. NONRESIDENT AND PART-YEAR RESIDENT INDIVIDUALS -- PRORATION OF EXEMPTIONS AND DEDUCTIONS (RULE 255).

  Section 63-3026A(4), Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **01. In General.** The exemptions and deductions allowable for federal purposes, except for the deduction of state income taxes, are allowed in part in computing Idaho taxable income. To determine the portion of exemptions and deductions allowable for part-year and nonresident individuals, the total exemptions and deductions allowed by Section 151, Internal Revenue Code, and Section 63-3022(j), Idaho Code, shall be multiplied by the calculated proration.
- **Proration** Percentage. To determine the portion of exemptions and deductions allowable for partyear and nonresident individuals, multiply the total exemptions and deductions allowed by Section 151, Internal Revenue Code, and Section 63-3022(j), Idaho Code, by the proration percentage. The proration percentage is ealculated by dividing Idaho adjusted income by total adjusted income. For taxable years beginning in or after 2007, the percentage shall be e the proration is calculated by dividing Idaho adjusted income by total adjusted income. Calculated four (4) digits to the right of the decimal point. If the fifth digit is five (5) or greater, the fourth digit is rounded to the next higher number (\$10,000 / \$15,000 =  $\underline{.}66.666\% = .6667 = \underline{.}66.67\%$ ). If the fifth digit is less than five (5), the fourth digit remains unchanged and any digits remaining to its right are dropped (\$10/000 / \$30,000 =  $\underline{.}33.333\% = .3333 = 33.33\%$ ). The percentage may not exceed one hundred percent (100%), nor be less than zero (0).  $\underline{.}(3-30.07)$ (0)
- **a.** Idaho adjusted income means the Idaho taxable income of the taxpayer as computed pursuant to Title 63, Chapter 30, Idaho Code, except for any adjustments for the standard deduction or itemized deductions and personal exemptions. Total adjusted income means the Idaho taxable income of the taxpayer computed as if he were a resident of Idaho for the entire taxable year, except no adjustments are made for the standard deduction, itemized deductions, personal exemptions, the deduction for active military service pay as provided in Section 63-3022(h), Idaho Code, and any deduction for income earned within a federally recognized Indian reservation. (3-30-01)
- **b.** Generally, both Idaho adjusted income and total adjusted income are positive amounts. If Idaho adjusted income is less than or equal to the total adjusted income, the percentage shall be between zero (0) and one hundred percent (100%). If Idaho adjusted income is greater than the total adjusted income, the percentage shall be one hundred percent (100%). If Idaho adjusted income is a positive amount and total adjusted income is a negative amount, the percentage shall be one hundred percent (100%). If Idaho adjusted income is a negative amount and total adjusted income is a positive amount, the percentage shall be zero (0). (3-20-97)
- **03. Standard Deduction for Married Filing Joint Returns**. The proration percentage shall be applied after making the following calculations: (3-30-01)
- **a.** For taxable year 1999 the standard deduction allowed on a married filing joint return shall be increased by one hundred fifty dollars (\$150). (3-30-01)
- **b.** For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2000, the standard deduction allowed on a married filing joint return shall be equal to two (2) times the basic standard deduction for a single individual. Add to this amount any additional standard deduction for the aged or blind allowed for federal income tax purposes.

(3-30-01)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 275. <u>INVESTMENT</u> INCOME FROM *INTANGIBLE PROPERTY OF* <u>QUALIFIED</u> INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS (RULE 275).

Section 63-3026A(3)(c), Idaho Code.

(4-11-06)

01. In General.

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a. For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 20047, an Idaho nonresident individual will not be taxed on investment income from securities received from a qualifying entity described in Subsection 275.02 of this rule shall be deemed to be derived from or related to a source in the partner's or member's state of domicile. This income shall be deemed to be derived from or related to a source in Idaho if the partner or member is domiciled in Idaho or is residing in Idaho when the income is received a qualified investment partnership. See Rule 250 of these rules for information on when pass-through income from a partnership is deemed to have been received.

<del>(4-11-06)</del>(\_\_\_\_)

- shall not apply to gains or losses derived from the sale of an nonresident individual's interest in a qualified investment partnership. The source of these gains and losses is to be governed by Section 63-3026A(3)(a)(vii), Idaho Code, and as discussed in Rule 266 of these rules. The source of investment income that is not from a qualifying entity qualified investment partnership shall be determined as provided in Rule 263 of these rules.

  (4-11-06)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **Qualifying Entity.** Qualified Investment Partnership. An entity shall be a qualified investment partnership only if it meets both of the following criteria: (4-11-06)(\_\_\_\_)
- b. The business activity of a qualifying entity must be limited to investment in securities and activities incident thereto. If the entity is involved in any other business activity not related to the securities investment activities, the entity is not a qualifying entity for purposes of Section 63-3026(A)(3)(c) and the source of income from such entity shall be determined pursuant to Rule 263 of these rules. Activities incident thereto shall include only those activities that would be usual and customary in the securities investment business and that contribute to the earning of the investment income. The gross income from investments of the entity must be derived at least ninety percent (90%) from investments that when held by a nonresident individual directly, would not produce income subject to the Idaho income tax. See Rules 263 and 266 of these rules.

#### 03. Investment in Securities. For purposes of this rule:

(4-11-06)

- **a.** Investment in securities shall include any stock, bond, commodity, future, derivative, foreign currency, or similar financial product. (4-11-06)
- **b.** Investment in securities and activities incident thereto shall not include the purchase or sale of real or tangible personal property, or any installment note received from the sale of real or tangible personal property.

  (4-11-06)
- e. Activities incident thereto shall include those activities that are usual and customary to the business of investing in securities including: maintaining accounts for individual investors, soliciting applications from new investors, record keeping and storage, maintaining bank accounts for liquid assets and disbursing profits to investors, research and evaluation of investment opportunities and results, and the maintenance of an office in Idaho for such activities.

  (4-11-06)

d. Investment in securities and activities incident thereto shall include only investments that are passive investments. For purposes of this rule, investments are not passive investments where one (1) or more investors in the entity taxed as a partnership exercises direct or indirect control over the operation of a business entity from which the income received by the entity taxed as a partnership is derived.

(4-11-06)

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285. S CORPORATIONS (RULE 285). Sections 63-3025 and 63-3025A, Idaho Code.	()
O1. Tax on S Corporations. An S corporation that is transacting business in Idaho or authorized business in Idaho is subject to the tax imposed by Section 63-3025, Idaho Code, if not payin imposed by Section 63-3025A, Idaho Code. The tax imposed by Section 63-3025 or 63-3025A, Idaho Code computed on the total of the net recognized built-in gains and the excess net passive income of the S coattributable to Idaho for the taxable year.	g the tax , shall be
a. Net recognized built-in gains shall be determined pursuant to Section 1374, Internal Reverincluding any applicable limitations.	ue Code,
<u>b.</u> Excess net passive income shall be determined pursuant to Section 1375, Internal Revenue including any applicable limitations.	ue Code.
corporation shall pay the minimum tax.	x, the S
<b>Q2.</b> Minimum Tax. The minimum tax is required of every S corporation that is required to file A name-holder or inactive S corporation that is authorized to do business in Idaho shall pay the minimum twenty dollars (\$20) even though the S corporation did not conduct Idaho business activity during the taxable nonproductive mining corporation generally is not required to pay the minimum tax. See Subsection 285.0 rule.	ım tax of le year. A
03. Nonproductive Mining Corporations. A nonproductive mining corporation is a corporation not own any producing mines and does not engage in any business other than mining. An S corporation is required to file and pay tax if it receives any other incom	ation that
<u>O4.</u> <u>Application of Credits.</u> If an S corporation was previously a C corporation with an Idah tax credit carryover at the time of the S corporation election, the S corporation may use any available credit against the tax on the excess net passive income or net recognized built-in gains if the carryover period related by income tax credit has not expired before the taxable year in which the tax must be reported.	carryover
05. Tax Resulting From the Election Under Section 63-3022L, Idaho Code. An S corpora be subject to tax at the corporate rate on the income required to be reported for qualifying shareholders who election under Section 63-3022L, Idaho Code. This tax shall be in addition to any tax the S corporation ov Section 63-3025 or 63-3025A, Idaho Code. See Rules 290 and 291 of these rules for information on the election to the section 63-3022L, Idaho Code.	make the
QSSS) shall be treated for Idaho income tax purposes the same as treated for federal income tax purposes. Twill not be treated as a separate corporation, but all the assets, liabilities, and items of income, deduction, a of a QSSS shall be treated as assets, liabilities and such items of the S corporation. Since the QSSS is not tresperate taxpayer, it is not subject to the minimum tax.	The QSSS and credit

<b>286.</b> Section		PORATIONS OPERATING WITHIN AND WITHOUT IDAHO (RULE 286). 7 and 63-3030(4), Idaho Code.	<u>()</u>
extent o	of S corr	In General. An S corporation that operates within and without Idaho shall apply the principportionment of income set forth in Section 63-3027, Idaho Code, and related rules to determ poration income that is derived from or related to Idaho sources. The use of a combined lable only to C corporations.	ine the
does no Tax Coi	<u><b>02.</b></u> t fairly remmission	Exceptions to Apportionment Formula. If the method described in Subsection 286.01 of the present the extent of the business activity in Idaho, the S corporation may file a request to use a may require, an alternative method, including the following:	
	<u>a.</u>	Separate accounting as provided in Rule 585 of these rules;	<u>()</u>
	<u>b.</u>	The exclusion of a factor pursuant to Rule 590 of these rules:	()
	<u>c.</u>	An additional factor or substitute factor pursuant to Rule 595 of these rules; or	()
<u>Idaho.</u>	<u>d.</u>	The employment of any other method that would fairly represent the extent of business activates a contract of the extent of the extent of business activates a contract of the extent of the	ivity in
informa	03. ation nece	<u>Information Provided to Shareholders</u> . An S corporation shall provide to each share essary for the shareholder to compute his Idaho income tax. Such information shall include:	<u>sholder</u>
	<u>a.</u>	The apportioned share of each pass-through item of income and deduction;	()
	<u>b.</u>	The apportioned share of each Idaho addition and subtraction;	<u>()</u>
	<u>c.</u>	Idaho tax credits and tax credit recapture:	()
	<u>d.</u>	Income allocated to Idaho; and	()
	<u>e.</u>	The distributive share of S corporation gross income multiplied by the Idaho apportionment	factor.
the prot	04. tection of ncluding	Protection Under Public Law 86-272. An S corporation whose Idaho business activities fal f Public Law 86-272 is exempt from the taxes imposed by Sections 63-3025 and 63-3025A, the minimum tax.	l under , Idaho ()
		Qualified Subchapter S Subsidiary. A corporation that is a qualified subchapter S subclude its apportionment attributes with its parent's apportionment attributes to compute one	sidiary Idaho
apportion	onment fa	actor for the S corporation.	()
<u> 287.</u>	(RESE	RVED).	
		(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)	

582. SPECIAL RULES -- FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (RULE 582).

Section 63-3027(s), Idaho Code.

(7-1-98)

**01.** Adoption of MTC Recommended Formula for the Apportionment and Allocation of Net Income of Financial Institutions. This rule incorporates by reference the MTC "Recommended Formula for the Apportionment and Allocation of Net Income of Financial Institutions" as adopted in Subsection 006.02 of these

rules. A copy of this regulation may be obtained from the main office of the Idaho State Tax Commission. (5-3-03)

- **O2. Definition of Financial Institution**. For purposes of Section 2(h) of the "Recommended Formula for the Apportionment and Allocation of Net Income of Financial Institutions" the term financial institution means a person that predominantly deals in money or moneyed capital in substantial competition with the business of national banks. For purposes of this rule, the following definitions apply: (7-1-99)
- a. Predominantly means over fifty percent (50%) of a taxpayer's gross income is attributable to dealings in money or moneyed capital in substantial competition with the business of national banks. Generally, the determination of predominance will be made based upon the division of gross income for the year in issue. However, the classification of a taxpayer as a financial institution or as a nonfinancial institution will not be changed based upon an occasional year in which its gross income does or does not exceed the fifty percent (50%) level. For the classification of a taxpayer as a financial or nonfinancial institution to be changed, there must be a shift in the predominant character of the gross income for two (2) consecutive years and the average of the corporation's gross income in the current and the immediately preceding two (2) years must fail or satisfy the predominance test. If substantial amounts of gross income arise from an incidental or occasional sale of an asset of the taxpayer, such gross income shall be excluded for purposes of this subsection. For example, gross income from the sale of a headquarters building shall be excluded. (7-1-98)
- **b.** Deals in means conducting transactions in the course of a trade or business on its own account as opposed to brokering the capital of others. (7-1-98)
- **c.** Money or moneyed capital includes, but is not limited to, coin, cash, currency, mortgages, deeds of trust, conditional sales contracts, loans, commercial paper, installment notes, credit cards, and accounts receivable.

  (7-1-98)
- d. In substantial competition means that a corporation and national banks both engage in seeking and securing in the same locality capital investment of the same class which are substantial in amount, even though the terms and conditions of the business transactions of the same class are not identical. It does not mean there must be competition as to all phases of the business of national banks, or competition as to all types of loans or all possible borrowers. The activities of a corporation need not be identical to those performed by a national bank in order to constitute substantial competition; It is sufficient if there is competition with some, but not all, bases of the business of national banks, or capital is invested in particular operations or investments like those of national banks. (7-1-98)
- **03. Entities Presumed to Be Financial Institutions**. The following entities are presumed to be financial institutions as defined in Subsection 582.02: (7-1-98)
- a. Any corporation or other business entity registered under state law as a bank holding company or registered under the Federal Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended, or registered as a savings and loan holding company under the Federal National Housing Act, as amended; (7-1-98)
- **b.** A national bank organized and existing as a national bank association pursuant to the provisions of the National Bank Act, Title 12, Sections 21 et seq., United States Code; (7-1-98)
- **c.** A savings association or federal savings bank as defined in the Federal Deposit Insurance Act, Title 12, Section 1813(b)(1), United States Code; (7-1-98)
  - **d.** Any bank or thrift institution incorporated or organized under the laws of any state; (7-1-98)
- **e.** Any corporation organized under the provisions of Title 12, Sections 611 to 631, United States Code; (7-1-98)
- **f.** Any agency or branch of a foreign depository as defined in Title 12, Section 3101, United States Code: (7-1-98)
- **g.** Any corporation whose voting stock is more than fifty percent (50%) owned, directly or indirectly, by any person or business entity described in Subsections 582.03.a. through 582.03.f. other than an insurance

company exempted from tax by Section 41-405, Idaho Code; and

(7-1-98)

- h. A corporation or other business entity that, in the current tax year and immediately preceding two (2) tax years, derived more than fifty percent (50%) of its total gross income for financial accounting purposes from finance leases. For purposes of this subsection, a finance lease shall mean any lease transaction which is the functional equivalent of an extension of credit and that transfers substantially all of the benefits and risks incident to the ownership of property. The phrase shall include any direct financing lease or leverage lease that meets the criteria of Financial Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 13, Accounting for Leases or any other lease that is accounted for as a financing lease by a lessor under generally accepted accounting principles. (7-1-98)
- **04. Exclusion from Rule**. The Tax Commission is authorized to exclude any person from the application of Subsection 582.01 upon such person proving, by clear and convincing evidence, that the income-producing activity of such person is not in substantial competition with those persons described in Subsections 582.03.a. through 582.03.f. and 582.03.h. (7-1-98)

#### 05. Financial Institutions Described in Section 63-3023(b), Idaho Code.

(7-1-99)

- a. Transacting business. If an entity described in Section 63-3023(b), Idaho Code, does not maintain an office within Idaho and carries on only the activities listed in Section 63-3023(b)(1) through (4), Idaho Code, it is not deemed to be transacting business within Idaho. The fact that the entity is also a financial institution as defined in this rule will not change the result of Section 63-3023(b), Idaho Code.
- b. Calculation of apportionment factor attributes. A financial institution described in Section 63-3023(b), Idaho Code, that is a member of a unitary group of corporations with at least one member subject to Idaho income tax, shall include its property, payroll, and sales amounts in the denominators of the unitary group's factors. The calculation of the amount included in the denominators shall be computed as provided in the MTC Recommended Formula for Financial Institutions. Because such a financial institution is not deemed to be transacting business within Idaho, the financial institution will have zero (0) for its Idaho numerators of the apportionment factors and will not have an Idaho corporate income tax liability. A financial institution that is transacting business within Idaho shall compute its Idaho numerator and denominator amounts as provided in the MTC Recommended Formula for Financial Institutions.
- **065. Act Defined.** For purposes of applying the rules applicable to Section 63-3027, Idaho Code, references to [Act] in the MTC Recommended Formula for Financial Institutions refers to the Idaho Income Tax Act. (7-1-99)
- **076. The Apportionment Percentage.** References in Section 1(b) of the MTC Recommended Formula for Financial Institutions to the computation of the apportionment percentage being determined by adding the taxpayer's receipts factor, property factor, and payroll factor together and dividing the sum by three (3) shall be replaced with adding two (2) times the taxpayer's sales factor, the taxpayer's property factor, and the taxpayer's payroll factor together and dividing the sum by four (4) as required by Section 63-3027(i), Idaho Code. (7-1-99)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### **641. WATER'S EDGE -- ELEMENTS OF A COMBINED REPORT (RULE 641).** Section 63-3027B, Idaho Code.

(3-20-97)

**01. Income**. Income for the water's edge combined group is computed on the same basis as taxable income subject to modifications contained in Sections 63-3022 and 63-3027, Idaho Code, and related rules. Intercompany transactions between members of the water's edge combined group shall be eliminated to the extent necessary to properly reflect combined income. Transactions between a member of the water's edge combined group and a nonincluded affiliated corporation shall be included in the computation of the income of the water's edge combined group.

**O2. Factors**. The rules for inclusion, value, and attribution of apportionment factors by location for the water's edge combined group shall be determined pursuant to Section 63-3027, Idaho Code, and related rules. When computing the apportionment factors of the water's edge combined group, iIntercompany transactions between members of the group shall be eliminated to the extent necessary to properly compute the apportionment factors of the water's edge combined group. Transactions between a member of the water's edge combined group and a nonincluded affiliated corporation shall be included, if appropriate, when determining apportionment factors. Dividends, to the extent included in apportionable income, shall be included in the sales factor computation.

(3-20-97)( )

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 700. CREDIT FOR INCOME TAXES PAID ANOTHER STATE OR TERRITORY -- IN GENERAL (RULE 700).

Section 63-3029, Idaho Code.

(3-30-07)

**01. Taxpayers Entitled to the Credit.** The credit for taxes paid to another state shall be allowed only to qualifying individuals who are domiciled in Idaho at the time the income was earned in another state <u>as determined under Section 63-3026A</u>, Idaho Code, and related rules. An individual who is not domiciled in Idaho but who qualifies as a resident in accordance with Section 63-3013(b), Idaho Code, does not qualify for this credit.

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- **O2.** Taxes Eligible for the Credit. The credit for taxes paid to another state is allowed for the amount of income tax imposed by another state on a qualifying individual, an S corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or trust of which the individual is a shareholder, partner, member or beneficiary. For taxes paid by a pass-through entity, the credit is allowed to the extent the tax is attributable to the individual as a result of his share of the entity's taxable income in another state. (3-30-07)
- **03. Taxes Not Eligible for the Credit**. Any tax or portion thereof imposed on capital stock, retained earnings, stock values, or a basis other than income is not eligible for the credit. (7-1-98)
- **04. Credit Calculated on a State-by-State Basis.** The credit and credit limitations shall be calculated on a state-by-state basis. The taxpayer may not aggregate the income taxed by other states or the taxes paid to the other states for purposes of calculating the credit and its limitations. (7-1-98)
- **05. Income Tax Payable to Another State**. The income tax payable to another state shall be the tax paid after the application of all credits. The tax paid to the other state must be for the same taxable year that the credit is claimed. Tax paid to cities or counties does not qualify for the credit. (3-30-07)
  - **06. Limitations.** The credit for taxes paid to another state shall be limited as follows: (3-30-07)
- **a.** The credit allowed may not exceed the amount of tax actually paid to the other state. This includes the amount paid by a qualifying individual and the amount paid for such individual by an S corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or trust. (3-30-07)
- b. If an individual receives a refund due to a refundable credit for all or part of the income tax paid by the pass-through entity, the amount of the refund attributable to the refundable credit shall reduce the income tax paid by the pass-through entity. For example, an individual domiciled in Idaho is required to pay tax in another state due to his interest in an S corporation operating in that state. In addition to the individual's tax paid to the other state, the S corporation is required to pay an income tax to that state, of which four hundred dollars (\$400) is attributable to the Idaho resident. The individual's income tax to the other state totals three hundred dollars (\$300), but he is entitled to a three-hundred sixty dollar (\$360) refundable corporate tax credit due to his share of the tax paid by the pass-through entity, resulting in a net refund of sixty dollars (\$60). In computing the tax actually paid to the other state, the tax paid by the pass-through entity must be reduced by the net refund received by the individual (\$400 \$60 = \$340). The credit for tax paid to the other state is limited to three hundred forty dollars (\$340).

(3-20-97)

- c. The credit may not exceed the proportion of the tax otherwise due to Idaho that the amount of the adjusted gross income of the individual derived from sources in the other state as modified by Chapter 30, Title 63, Idaho Code, bears to total adjusted gross income for the individual so modified. For example, if the adjusted gross income derived in another state is twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) after taking into account the Idaho additions and subtractions required by the Idaho Income Tax Act, and the individual's total adjusted gross income similarly modified equals fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the credit cannot exceed twenty-four percent (24%) of the tax paid to Idaho (\$12,000/\$50,000 = 24% X tax paid to Idaho). (3-30-07)
- **Rounding** to the Nearest Whole Percent. For taxable years beginning in or after 2007, the percentage proration calculated under Section 63-3029, Idaho Code, shall be calculated four (4) digits to the right of the decimal point. If the fifth digit is five (5) or greater, the fourth digit is rounded to the next higher number  $(\$10,000/\$15,000 = \underline{.}66-666\% = .6667 = \underline{.}66.67\%)$ . If the fifth digit is less than five (5), the fourth digit remains unchanged and any digits remaining to its right are dropped  $(\$10,000/\$30,000 = \underline{.}33-333\% = .3333 = \underline{.}33.33\%)$ . This The percentage may not exceed one hundred percent (100%) nor be less than zero (0).

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

714. IDAHO INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT -- CREDIT EARNED ON PROPERTY USED BOTH IN AND OUTSIDE IDAHO IN TAXABLE YEARS BEGINNING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 1995 (RULE 714).

Section 63-3029B, Idaho Code.

- **01. In General**. Property must be used at least part of the time in Idaho to qualify for the investment tax credit, provided it otherwise qualifies for the credit. It must also be used in Idaho in each succeeding year to which a carryover may be taken. (3-20-97)
- **O2. Election of Methods**. The taxpayer must elect to compute the investment tax credit on property used both in and outside Idaho using either the percentage-of-use method or the amount of that property correctly included in the Idaho property factor numerator. The credit for all property used both in and outside Idaho must be computed using the method elected.

  (3-20-97)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **a.** If the percentage-of-use method is elected, the basis of each qualified asset is multiplied by the percentage of time, miles, or other measure that accurately reflects the use of that asset in Idaho. The use of aircraft within and without Idaho during the taxable year shall be determined by the ratio of departures from locations in Idaho to total departures. See Subsection 713.04.a. of these rules for an example of the percentage-of-use method.
- b. If the property factor numerator option is elected, the qualified investment is the basis of the asset correctly included in the numerator of the Idaho property factor for the year the credit is earned. For example, if a taxpayer is in the freight transportation business and thirty percent (30%) of his trucks' fleet miles were logged in Idaho during the year, thirty percent (30%) of the cost of a truck acquired that year would be included in the Idaho property factor numerator. If one of the trucks acquired that year traveled in Idaho, and cost one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the amount included in the Idaho property factor numerator would be thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000). The qualified investment in this truck would also be thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) resulting in a credit of nine hundred dollars (\$900).
- i. The amounts of investment tax credit computed under the percentage-of-use method and the property factor numerator option are generally the same. Differences may result when a taxpayer uses certain MTC special industry regulations that allow the taxpayer to vary from using the percentage-of-use method for determining the Idaho numerator for each item of mobile property, and instead allow another method, such as the ratio of mobile property miles in the state compared to total mobile property miles or the ratio of departures of aircraft from locations in the state compared to total departures. These special industry regulations include the regulations for airlines, railroads, and trucking companies. See Rule 580 of these rules for a list of the special industries.

ii. "Correctly included in the numerator of the Idaho property factor" means that the amount included in the Idaho property factor numerator was correctly computed using Section 63-3027, Idaho Code, and related rules including any MTC special industry regulations that apply to the taxpayer. If the amount included in the Idaho property factor numerator exceeds the amount that should have been included using Section 63-3027, Idaho Code and related rules, the investment tax credit shall be allowed only on the amount that reflects the correct calculation for purposes of computing the Idaho property factor numerator. For example, a taxpayer includes one hundred percent (100%) of the basis of an asset in the Idaho property factor numerator, but the amount correctly computed under Section 63-3027, Idaho Code, should have been fifty percent (50%) of the basis of the asset. The investment tax credit shall be allowed only on the fifty percent (50%) of the basis of the asset.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 746. CREDIT FOR QUALIFYING NEW EMPLOYEES -- CALCULATIONS USED TO DETERMINE THE CREDIT AND CREDIT CARRYOVER (RULE 746).

Sections 63-3029E and 63-3029F, Idaho Code, as in effect for taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2004. (4-6-05)

**01. In General**. For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2004, an employer may be able to earn either a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit or a five hundred dollar (\$500) credit for a qualifying new employee. However, the employer cannot earn both credits for the same employee. The applicable credit rate depends on whether the new employee meets certain wage and benefit criteria. If the new employee does not meet the criteria for either credit rate, the employer may not claim the credit for such new employee. (4-6-05)

#### 02. Qualifying for the One Thousand Dollar (\$1,000) Credit.

(4-6-05)

- **a.** The new employee must meet both of the following criteria to qualify for the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit: (4-6-05)
- i. He must have received annual earnings at an average rate of fifteen dollars and fifty cents (\$15.50) or more per hour worked; and (4-6-05)
- ii. He must have been eligible to receive employer provided coverage under an accident or health plan described in Section 105, Internal Revenue Code. (4-6-05)
- **b.** The new employee does not have to be employed in a revenue-producing enterprise to qualify for the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit. (4-6-05)
- **Qualifying for the Five Hundred Dollar (\$500) Credit.** If a new employee does not meet the criteria for the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit, the employer may be eligible to claim the five hundred dollar (\$500) credit. To qualify for the five hundred dollar (\$500) credit, the new employee must have been employed in a revenue-producing enterprise as defined in Section 63-3029E, Idaho Code. (4-6-05)

#### 04. Calculating Number of Employees.

(3-30-01)

- **a.** Number of Employees Clarified. Only employees who meet the qualifications set forth in Section 63-3029E(1)(a), Idaho Code, are included when computing the number of employees for a taxable year. Such requirements include the following: (3-20-04)
  - i. The employee must have been subject to Idaho income tax withholding. (3-20-04)
- ii. The employee must have been employed by the employer on a regular full-time basis or on a parttime basis if customarily performing such duties at least twenty (20) hours per week. Leased employees do not qualify as employees of the lessee. (4-6-05)

(3-30-01)

- iii. The employee must have been performing such duties for the employer for a minimum of nine (9) months during the taxable year. An individual employed in a seasonal or new business that was in operation for less than nine (9) months during the taxable year does not qualify. (4-6-05)
  - iv. The employee must have been covered for Idaho unemployment insurance purposes. (3-20-04)
- **b.** Idaho Department of Commerce and Labor Reports. The employer should begin with his Idaho Department of Commerce and Labor reports to determine the number of employees. However, all employees reported on these reports do not automatically qualify for the calculation of the number of employees. (4-6-05)
- **c.** Calculation. To calculate the number of employees for a taxable year, add the total qualified employees for each month and divide that sum by the number of months of operation. (3-30-01)

#### 05. Calculating the Number of New Employees.

- **a.** The number of new employees is the increase in the number of employees for the current taxable year over the greater of the following: (3-30-01)
  - i. The number of employees for the prior taxable year; or (3-30-01)
  - ii. The average of the number of employees for the three (3) prior taxable years. (3-30-01)
- c. The number of new employees shall be rounded down to the nearest whole number and must equal or exceed one (1) or no credit is earned. (4-6-05)
- **d.** The employer shall determine the number of new employees who qualify for the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit and the number who qualify for the five hundred dollar (\$500) credit. If the new employees do not meet the criteria set forth in Sections 63-3029E and 63-3029F, Idaho Code, and this rule, the employer shall not earn the credit. For example, if a new employee has an average wage rate of ten dollars (\$10) and the employer's business does not qualify as a revenue-producing enterprise, the new employee does not qualify for either the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit or the five hundred dollar (\$500) credit. (4-6-05)
- **06. Computing the Credit Earned**. The credit earned is the lesser of the amounts determined in Paragraphs 746.06.a., and 746.06.b., of this rule. (4-6-05)
- **a.** The number of new employees who qualify for the five hundred dollars (\$500) credit multiplied by five hundred dollars (\$500), plus the number of new employees who qualify for the one thousand dollar (\$1,000) credit multiplied by one thousand dollars (\$1,000); or (4-6-05)
- **b.** The net income of the trade or business, as determined pursuant to Rule 747 of these rules, multiplied by three and one-quarter percent (3.25%). (4-6-05)
  - **07. Limitations.** In the year the credit for qualifying new employees is earned or claimed: (3-20-04)
- **a.** This credit and all other credits may not exceed fifty percent (50%) of the taxpayer's income tax for that year after deducting the credit for taxes paid to other states. The credit for taxes paid to other states is not subject to this limitation. (4-6-05)

	b.	See Section 63-3029P, Idaho Code, and Rule 799 of these rules for the priority order of cred	lits. 4-6-05)
employr previous	nent leve s taxable	Carryover. To claim the carryover, the employer must maintain the employment level on emputed during the three (3) succeeding taxable years to which the unused credit is carried that generated the credit decreases, the employer is not required to recapture the credit clair years. However, the employer shall recompute the credit based on the reduced employment frect amount of carryover.	l. If the imed in
credits.	09.	<b>Pass-Through Entities</b> . See Rule 785 of these rules for pass-through entities and the calcula (3-	ation of -15-02)
	10.	Unitary Taxpayers. (3-	-30-01)
the unita	<b>a.</b> ary group	A corporation may not use the credit for qualifying new employees earned by another mer a. See Rule 365 of these rules. (3-	mber of -30-01)
to Section	<b>b.</b> on 63-302	Each corporation in a unitary group that claims the credit for qualifying new employees is 29P, Idaho Code, and Rule 799 of these rules for the priority order of credits.	subject 4-6-05)
		(BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)	
764. <del>7</del> 6	<del>59.</del>	(RESERVED).	
765. Section		EL INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT IN GENERAL (RULE 765) M, Idaho Code.	<u>.</u> ()
<u>Idaho C</u> 2011. It	01. ode, may applies to	Credit Allowed. The biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit allowed by Section 63-37 be earned during taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2007, and before Decems of qualified investment placed in service after July 1, 2007.	3029M, ber 31,
3029B, biofuel	Idaho Co pumps do	Qualified investment placed in service on or before July 1, 2007, does not qualify for the restment tax credit. The investment may qualify for the investment tax credit allowed by Sect de. For example, if pumps to be used for biofuel are placed in service in Idaho on May 15, 20 on to qualify for the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit since they were not placed in 7. The biofuel pumps will qualify for the investment tax credit allowed by Section 63-3029B	tion 63- 007, the service
the inverse placed in do not of year beg	stment tand service qualify for ginning o	Qualified investment placed in service after July 1, 2007, during a taxable year beginning does not qualify for the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit. The investment may quax credit allowed by Section 63-3029B, Idaho Code. For example, if pumps to be used for biofun Idaho on August 1, 2007, during a taxable year that begins on October 1, 2006, the biofuel or the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit since they were not placed in service in a mor after January 1, 2007, and before December 31, 2011. The biofuel pumps will qualify redit allowed by Section 63-3029B, Idaho Code.	nlify for fuel are pumps taxable
investm	02. ent includ	Qualified Investment. For purposes of the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit, quest the following:	ualified ()
fueling i	a. infrastruc	New fueling infrastructure dedicated to the purpose of selling or offering for sale biofue sture shall mean investment in fueling infrastructure that:	l. New ()
	<u>i.</u>	Is constructed or erected by the taxpayer, or	( )

ii. Original use mea	Is acquired by the taxpayer and whose original use begins with the taxpayer after such acquisition, and the first use to which the property is put, whether or not such use corresponds to the use of such
	axpayer. Property used by the taxpayer prior to its acquisition shall not qualify as new infrastructure.
	Costs to upgrade existing fueling infrastructure that was previously incompatible to enable it to each costs include expenses related to the cleaning of existing fuel storage tanks, trucks, or other e purpose of providing biofuels.
	Fueling infrastructure means necessary tanks, piping, pumps, pump stands, hoses, monitors, tent, meters, rack injection systems, or any other equipment and the costs to install the equipment that a fuel distributor or a retail fuel outlet to offer biofuel for sale.
	<u>Limitations</u> . Regardless of whether the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit available in a ults from a carryover earned in prior years, credit earned in the current year, or both, the biofuel vestment tax credit allowable in any taxable year shall be limited as follows:
<u>a.</u> exceed the lesser	Tax liability. The biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit claimed during a taxable year may not cof:
<u>i.</u>	Fifty percent (50%) of the tax; or ()
<u>ii.</u> claimed before t nonrefundable cr	One hundred percent (100%) of the tax, after allowing all other income tax credits that my be the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit. See Rule 799 of these rules for the priority order for redits.
<u>b.</u> current taxable y limited by the pr	Credit for Qualifying New Employees. If the credit for qualifying new employees is claimed in the year or carried forward to a future taxable year, the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit is ovisions of Section 63-3029F, Idaho Code.
corporation in a	Unitary Taxpayers. Limitations apply to each taxpayer according to its own tax liability. Each unitary group is a separate taxpayer. See Rule 711 of these rules.
<u><b>04.</b></u> <u>years.</u>	<u>Carryovers</u> . The carryover period for the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit is five (5)
	Taxpayers Entitled to the Credit. The biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit is allowed to and retail fuel dealers. Rule 711 of these rules shall apply to the biofuel infrastructure investment tax at limitations referenced in Subsection 711.01 of these rules shall be those limitations as provided in M, Idaho Code.
and passed thro attributing the cr	Pass-Through Entities. The credit may be earned by a partnership, S corporation, estate, or trust ugh to the partner, shareholder, or beneficiary. See Rule 785 of these rules for the method of edit, for pass-through entities paying tax, and the application of limitations on pass-through credits.
<u>07.</u> Investment Tax	Coordination With Investment Tax Credit and Property Tax Exemption in Lieu of the
a. investment may A taxpayer may	A taxpayer who elects to claim the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit on qualified not claim the investment tax credit allowed by Section 63-3029B, Idaho Code, on the same property, however, claim the investment tax credit on property for which he is not claiming the biofuel vestment tax credit.
<u>b.</u> allowed by Secti	A taxpayer who elects to claim the property tax exemption in lieu of the investment tax credit on 63-3029B, Idaho Code, may not claim the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit on the same

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property.		()
	A taxpayer may claim the investment tax credit, the property tredit, and the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit in the same tax eves may be claimed on any one (1) property.	ax exemption in lieu of the xable year. However, only one
<b>766. BIOFU</b> Section 63-3029	I <mark>EL INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT REC</mark> A M, Idaho Code.	APTURE (RULE 766).
recomputation of	In General. If a taxpayer is claiming or has claimed the biofuel infra ceases to qualify pursuant to Section 63-3029M, Idaho Code, prior to I f the credit shall be made. See Rule 715 of these rules. The qualified in owing occur prior to the end of the recapture period:	being held five (5) full years, a
<u>a.</u>	The biofuel infrastructure is sold or otherwise disposed of;	()
<u>b.</u>	The biofuel infrastructure is moved out of Idaho; or	<u>()</u>
<u>c.</u>	The biofuel infrastructure ceases to be used in connection with offeri	ng biofuel for sale. ( )
02. recomputation o	<u>Unitary Taxpayers.</u> The corporation that earned the credit is res f the credit when the property ceases to qualify.	ponsible for the recapture or
767. BIOFU REQUIREMEN Section 63-3029	NTS (RULE 767).	RECORD-KEEPING
	<u>Information Required</u> . Each taxpayer must retain and make availabincluded in the computation of the biofuel infrastructure investment tat to examination. The records must include all of the following:	
<u>a.</u>	A description of the property;	()
<u>b.</u>	The asset number assigned to the item of property, if applicable;	<u>()</u>
<u>c.</u>	The acquisition date and date placed in service;	<u>()</u>
<u>d.</u>	The basis of the property;	<u>()</u>
<u>e.</u> information iden	The location and utilization (the usage both in and outside Idah tifying that the property was used for biofuel; and	no) of the property including ()
f. the biofuel was r	The retirement, disposition, or date transferred out of Idaho, date no longer offered for sale on a continuous basis, if applicable.	o longer used in Idaho, or date
02. to document acq	Accounting Records Subject to Examination. Accounting records uisition, disposition, location, and utilization of assets include the following the following records are also assets include the following records are also assets and also assets are also assets and also assets are also assets and also assets are also assets are also assets and also assets are also asset as a sum of the also assets are also assets are also as a sum of the also assets are also as a sum of the also as a su	that may need to be examined owing:
a. documents inclu this information:	Accounting documents that contain asset and account designation de a chart of accounts, the accounting manual, controller's manual, con	ons and descriptions. These or other documents containing
b. records, or simil	Asset location records including asset directories, asset registers, in ar asset inventory documents;	nsurance records, property tax
<u>c.</u>	Records verifying ownership including purchase contracts and proof	of payment: ()

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<u>d.</u>	Invoices,	shipping	documents.	<u>and similar</u>	documents	reflecting	the:	transfer	of	assets in	ı and	out	of
Idaho and the pur	chase of b	iofuel off	fered for res	ale; and		_						(	)
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- e. A system that verifies that property on which the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit was claimed continues to maintain its status as qualified investment throughout the recapture period.
- **93.** Failure to Maintain Adequate Records. Failure to maintain any of the records required by this rule may result in the disallowance of the credit claimed.
- **Q4.** Unitary Taxpayers. Corporations claiming the biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit must provide a calculation of the credit earned and used by each member of the combined group. The schedule must clearly identify shared credit and the computation of any credit carryovers.

#### <u>768. -- 769.</u> (RESERVED).

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## **799. PRIORITY ORDER OF CREDITS AND ADJUSTMENTS TO CREDITS (RULE 799).** Section 63-3029P, Idaho Code. (5-3-03)

- **O1.** Tax Liability. Tax liability is the tax imposed by Sections 63-3024, 63-3025, and 63-3025A, Idaho Code. (3-20-97)
- **02. Nonrefundable Credits.** A nonrefundable credit is allowed only to reduce the tax liability. A nonrefundable credit not absorbed by the tax liability is lost unless the statute authorizing the credit includes a carryover provision. Nonrefundable credits apply against the tax liability in the following order of priority: (3-20-97)
  - a. Credit for taxes paid to other states as authorized by Section 63-3029, Idaho Code; (3-20-97)
  - **b.** For part-year residents only, the grocery credit as authorized by Section 63-3024A, Idaho Code; (5-3-03)
- **c.** Credit for contributions to Idaho educational institutions as authorized by Section 63-3029A, Idaho Code; (3-20-97)
  - **d.** Investment tax credit as authorized by Section 63-3029B, Idaho Code; (3-20-97)
- **e.** Credit for contributions to Idaho youth facilities, rehabilitation facilities, and nonprofit substance abuse centers as authorized by Section 63-3029C, Idaho Code; (3-30-01)
- **f.** Credit for equipment using postconsumer waste or postindustrial waste as authorized by Section 63-3029D, Idaho Code; (3-30-01)
  - g. Promoter-sponsored event credit as authorized by Section 63-3620C, Idaho Code; (3-15-02)
- **h.** Credit for qualifying new employees as authorized by Sections 63-3029E and 63-3029F, Idaho Code; (3-15-02)
  - i. Credit for Idaho research activities as authorized by Section 63-3029G, Idaho Code; (3-15-02)
  - j. Broadband equipment investment credit as authorized by Section 63-3029I, Idaho Code; and (3-15-02)
  - **k.** Incentive investment tax credit as authorized by Section 63-3029J, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)

- l. Corporate headquarters investment tax credit as authorized by Section 63-2903, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)Corporate headquarters real property improvement tax credit as authorized by Section 63-2904, m. Idaho Code. (4-11-06)n. Corporate headquarters new jobs tax credit as authorized by Section 63-2905, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)Small employer investment tax credit as authorized by Section 63-4403, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)0. Small employer real property improvement tax credit as authorized by Section 63-4404, Idaho p. Code. (4-11-06)Small employer new jobs tax credit as authorized by Section 63-4405, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)q. Credit for live organ donation expenses as authorized by Section 63-3029K, Idaho Code. (3-30-07) r. Biofuel infrastructure investment tax credit as authorized by Section 63-3029M, Idaho Code. S. 03. Adjustments to Credits. (4-11-06)
- **a.** Adjustments to the amount of a credit earned shall be determined pursuant to the law applicable to the taxable year in which the credit was earned. (4-11-06)
- **b.** Adjustments to the amount of a credit earned may be made even though the taxable year in which the credit was earned is closed due to the statute of limitations. Such adjustments to the earned credit shall also apply to any taxable years to which the credit was carried over. (4-11-06)
- **c.** If the taxable year in which the credit was earned or carried over to is closed due to the statute of limitations, any adjustments to the credit earned shall not result in any tax due or refund for the closed taxable years. However, the adjustments may result in tax due or a refund in a carryover year if the carryover year is open to the statute of limitations. (4-11-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 800. VALID INCOME TAX RETURNS (RULE 800).

Section 63-3030, Idaho Code.

(3-20-97)

- **01. Requirements of a Valid Income Tax Return**. In addition to the requirements set forth in IDAPA 35.02.01, "Tax Commission Administration and Enforcement Rules," Rule 150, an income tax return shall meet the requirements set forth in this rule. Those that fail to meet these requirements are invalid. They may be rejected and returned to the taxpayer to be completed according to these requirements and resubmitted to the Tax Commission. A taxpayer who does not file a valid income tax return is considered to have filed no return. (3-15-02)
- **O2. Copy of Federal Return Required.** A taxpayer shall include with the Idaho return a complete copy of the federal income tax return including all forms, schedules and attachments. *If an individual files an Idaho Form 40EZ, a copy of the federal income tax return is not required.* (3-15-02)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- <u>03.</u> <u>Verification of Idaho Income Tax Withheld</u>. A taxpayer who files an Idaho individual income tax return and reports Idaho income tax withheld shall attach appropriate Forms W-2 and 1099 and other information forms that verify the amount of the Idaho income tax withheld.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 880. **CREDITS AND REFUNDS (RULE 880).** Section 63-3072, Idaho Code. (3-20-97)01. **Overpayment**. The term overpayment includes: (3-20-97)A voluntary and unrequested payment greater than an actual tax liability. (3-20-97)a. An excessive amount that an employer withholds pursuant to Sections 63-3035 and 63-3036, Idaho b. Code. (3-20-97)All amounts erroneously or illegally assessed or collected. (3-20-97)c. The term overpayment does not include an amount paid pursuant to a final determination of tax, d. including a compromise and closing agreement, decision of the Tax Commission, decision of the Board of Tax Appeals, or final court judgment. <u>02.</u> Requirements of a Valid Refund Claim. Before the Tax Commission can credit or refund an overpayment, the taxpayer making the claim must establish both of the following: The basis for the credit or refund claim, and <u>a.</u> <u>b.</u> The amount of the overpayment. 023.Timely Claim Required for Refund. (3-20-97)The Tax Commission may not credit or refund an overpayment after the expiration of the period of limitations unless the taxpayer filed a claim before the expiration of the period. When an adjustment to the taxpayer's federal return affects the calculation or application of an b. Idaho net operating loss, capital loss, or Idaho credit in a year otherwise closed by the period of limitations, the taxpayer has one (1) year from the date of the final determination to file a claim for refund. (3-20-97)Amended Returns Required as Refund Claims. The claim for a credit or refund must be made on an amended Idaho income tax return that is properly signed and includes an explanation of each legal or factual basis in sufficient detail to inform the Tax Commission of the reason for the claim. By signing the amended return the taxpayer shall be declaring that the claim for refund is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief and is made under the penalties of perjury. (4-6-05)

- **045. Closed Issues**. The Tax Commission shall deny a credit or refund claim for a taxable year for which the Tax Commission has issued a Notice of Deficiency, unless the taxpayer shows that the changes on the amended return are unrelated to the adjustments in the Notice of Deficiency or that the changes result from a final federal determination. (3-20-97)
- **056. Limitations on Refunds of Withholding and Estimated Payments.** The Tax Commission may not refund taxes withheld from wages unless the taxpayer files a return within three (3) years after the due date. See Section 63-3072(c), Idaho Code. The Tax Commission may not refund any payment received with an extension of time to file or with a tentative return, including quarterly estimated payments, unless the taxpayer makes a claim for a refund within three (3) years of the due date of the return. (3-15-02)
- **067. Reduction or Denial of Refund Claims**. If the Tax Commission determines that a refund claim is in error, the Tax Commission shall deny the claim in whole or part. Unless the denial results from a mathematical error by the claimant, the Tax Commission shall give notice of the denial by a Notice of Deficiency in the manner

required by Section 63-3045, Idaho Code, and related rules. The protest and appeal process that applies to a Notice of Deficiency also applies to the denial or reduction of a refund. See Section 63-3045A, Idaho Code, for information on mathematical errors.

(3-20-97)

- **078. Amended Federal Return.** Filing a claim with the Internal Revenue Service to reduce taxable income does not extend the Idaho period of limitations for claiming a refund or credit of tax. If the statute of limitations is about to expire on a taxpayer's Idaho return for which an issue is pending on his federal return or return filed with another state, the taxpayer should amend his Idaho return. He should clearly identify the amended return as a protective claim for refund. The taxpayer must notify the Tax Commission of the final resolution. (7-1-98)
- **082.** Combined Reports -- Final Federal Determination and Change of Filing Method. If the Idaho period of limitations is open due to a final federal determination, a corporate taxpayer may not adjust its Idaho return to include a previously omitted corporation or to exclude any corporation previously included in a combined report.

  (3-20-97)
- **6910. Duplicate Returns.** If a return is filed pursuant to Section 63-217(1)(b), Idaho Code, where the taxpayer establishes by competent evidence that the return was deposited in the United States mail or with a qualifying private delivery service (See IDAPA 35.02.01, "Tax Commission Administration and Enforcement Rules," Rule 010) on or before the date for filing and the Tax Commission has notified the taxpayer that it has not received the return, the taxpayer shall submit a duplicate return within fifteen (15) days of such notification for the newly filed return to qualify as a duplicate return. The period of limitations for a duplicate return is the later of one (1) year from the filing of the duplicate return or the date provided for in Section 63-3072(b), Idaho Code. (4-6-05)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 946. IDAHO SMALL EMPLOYER INCENTIVE ACT OF 2005 AS MODIFIED BY 2006 LEGISLATION -- RECAPTURE (RULE 946).

Section 63-4407, Idaho Code.

(3-30-07)

- **01. Failure to Meet Tax Incentive Criteria**. If a taxpayer fails to meet the small employer tax incentive criteria, the full amount of the small employer investment tax credit, real property improvement tax credit and new jobs tax credit claimed in any taxable year shall be recaptured. (3-30-07)
- **Year Deficiency Occurs**. Recapture shall be a deficiency in tax in the taxable year when the disqualification first occurs. For investment in new plant, disqualification occurs when the property is disposed of or otherwise ceases to qualify. For new employees, disqualification occurs when the *employment of new employees falls below the level of new employees required by Section 63-4402(2)(j), Idaho Code* average number of qualifying employees for a taxable year in the recapture period falls below the average number of qualifying employees for the year in which the credit was earned in Section 63-4405, Idaho Code.

#### 03. Early Disposition of Investment in New Plant.

(3-30-07)

- **a.** If an investment in new plant is disposed of, or otherwise ceases to qualify, prior to the close of the recapture period, the recapture amount shall be computed by multiplying the credit earned by the applicable recapture percentage. (3-30-07)
- **b.** The recapture percentage shall be determined as follows. If the property is disposed of or ceases to qualify within: (3-30-07)
- i. One (1) full year or less from the date the property was placed in service, one hundred percent (100%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- ii. Two (2) full years or less, but more than one (1) full year from the date the property was placed in service, eighty percent (80%) shall be used; (3-30-07)

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- iii. Three (3) full years or less, but more than two (2) full years from the date the property was placed in service, sixty percent (60%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- iv. Four (4) full years or less, but more than three (3) full years from the date the property was placed in service, forty percent (40%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- v. Five (5) full years or less, but more than four (4) full years from the date the property was placed in service, twenty percent (20%) shall be used. (3-30-07)

#### 04. Failure to Maintain Increased Employment.

(3-30-07)

- a. If the required increased level of employment average number of qualifying employees for the taxable year in which the credit was earned in Section 63-4405, Idaho Code, is not maintained for the entire recapture period, the recapture amount shall be computed by multiplying the credit earned by the applicable recapture percentage.

  (3-30-07)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- b. The recapture percentage shall be determined as follows. If the *increased* level of employment is  $\frac{(3-30-07)(}{}$
- i. One (1) full year or less from the date the project period ends, one hundred percent (100%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- ii. Two (2) full years or less, but more than one (1) full year from the date the project period ends, eighty percent (80%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- iii. Three (3) full years or less, but more than two (2) full years from the date the project period ends, sixty percent (60%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- iv. Four (4) full years or less, but more than three (3) full years from the date the project period ends, forty percent (40%) shall be used; (3-30-07)
- v. Five (5) full years or less, but more than four (4) full years from the date the project period ends, twenty percent (20%) shall be used. (3-30-07)
- **c.** Recapture shall not be required if a new employee is replaced by another employee who performs the same duties as the previous employee at a wage rate that would have resulted in the same amount of credit being earned. (3-30-07)

#### 05. Reorganizations, Mergers and Liquidations.

(3-30-07)

- **a.** If the investment in new plant is disposed of or otherwise ceases to qualify before the close of the recapture period while in the hands of an acquiring taxpayer who succeeded to unused small employer investment tax credit or small employer real property improvement tax credit as provided for in Rule 941.03 of these rules, the acquiring taxpayer shall be responsible for any recapture that would have been applicable to the transferor. (3-30-07)
- **b.** For purposes of computing the recapture when an acquiring taxpayer succeeded to unused small employer investment tax credit and small employer real property improvement tax credit as provided for in Rule 941.03 of these rules, the recapture period shall begin with the date on which the property was placed in service by the transferor taxpayer and shall end with the date of the disposition by, or cessation with respect to, the acquiring taxpayer. (3-30-07)

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#### 35.01.02 - SALES TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0102-0603**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105, 63-3624, 63-3635, and 63-3039.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Rule 068: Amend the dates for the schedules to reflect the 6% tax rate.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Husted (208) 334-7544.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

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In accordance with Section 67-5221(1) this docket is being published as a Proposed Rule.

This docket has been previously published as a Temporary Rule.

The temporary effective date is November 1, 2006.

The text of the Temporary Rule was published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, Volume 06-12, December 6, 2006, pages 117 through 119.

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0102-0603

#### 068. COLLECTION OF TAX (RULE 068).

- **01. In General**. Idaho Sales Tax is an excise tax which is imposed upon each sale at retail. The tax is computed at the time of each sale and the tax on the total sales for the reporting period, usually monthly, will be reported and paid on or before the due date as established by Rule 105 of these rules. (4-11-06)
- **O2.** Sales Tax To Be Collected by Retailer. Sales tax shall be collected by the retailer from the customer. The tax will be computed on and collected for all credit, installment, conditional or similar sales when made or, in the case of rentals, when the rental is charged. (7-1-93)
- **03. Computation of Tax.** The retailer will compute the tax upon the total sale to a purchaser at a given time and not upon each individual item purchased. (7-1-93)
- **04. Bracket System for Five Percent Tax Rate**. The following schedule is to be used in determining the amount of tax to be collected by a retailer at the time of sale *beginning* if the sales tax rate is 5%. The 5% tax rate was in effect from July 1, 2005, through September 30, 2006.
  - **a.** Multiply five cents (\$0.05) for every whole dollar included in the sale, and (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Add for each additional fractional dollar amount of sale the corresponding tax below:

Dollar Amount of Sale		Tax
0.00 - 0.05	-	.00
0.06 - 0.25	-	.01
0.26 - 0.45	-	.02
0.46 - 0.65	-	.03
0.66 - 0.85	-	.04
0.86 - 0.99	-	.05

However, sales to a total amount of eleven cents (\$0.11) or less are exempt from tax.

(7-1-93)

- **October 1.** 2006, the sales tax rate is six percent (6%). The following schedule is to be used in determining the amount of tax to be collected by a retailer at the time of sale. **October 1.** 2006, the sales tax rate is six percent (6%). The following schedule is to be used in determining the amount of tax to be collected by a retailer at the time of sale.

  (4-11-06)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - a. Multiply six cents (\$0.06) for every whole dollar included in the sale, and (3-20-04)
  - **b.** Add for each additional fractional dollar amount of sale the corresponding tax below:

Dollar Amount of Sale		Тах
0.00 - 0.03	-	.00
0.04 - 0.20	-	.01

Dollar Amount of Sale		Tax
0.21 - 0.37	-	.02
0.38 - 0.53	-	.03
0.54 - 0.70	-	.04
0.71 - 0.87	-	.05
0.88 - 0.99	-	.06

However, sales to a total amount of eleven cents (\$0.11) or less are exempt from tax.

(3-20-04)

- **106. Tax to Be Separately Displayed.** The amount of tax collected by the retailer must be displayed separately from the list price, marked price, the price advertised in the premises or other price on the sales slip or other proof of sale. The retailer may retain any amount collected under the bracket system which is in excess of the amount of tax for which he is liable to the state during the period as compensation for the work of collecting that tax.

  (7-1-93)
- **Reimbursement of Tax From the Purchaser to the Seller.** If the seller does not collect the sales tax at the time of the sale and it is later determined that sales tax should have been collected, the seller can then collect the sales tax from the purchaser if the delinquent tax has been paid by the seller. The legal incidence of the tax is intended to fall upon the buyer, Section 63-3619, Idaho Code.

  (7-1-93)
- **a.** Example: The Commission determines that certain nontaxed sales by a seller are subject to sales tax and that the seller did not collect the tax and did not have documentation supporting exemption from the sales tax. The Commission issued a Notice of Deficiency Determination to the seller imposing the tax and interest. The assessment then paid by the seller entitles the seller to reimbursement from the buyer. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The seller is also entitled to collect reimbursement from the buyer of the interest paid on the taxes assessed. (7-1-93)
- **c.** The seller is not entitled to reimbursement from the buyer for penalties imposed as part of the assessment against the seller. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The receivable established by the seller seeking reimbursement from the purchaser is not subject to expiration of the statute of limitations provided in Section 63-3633, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)

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#### 35.01.02 - SALES TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0102-0701**

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The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 010:** Amend to define "tax rate" as the current rate in effect and explain that references to the rate may not reflect the current rate. Also, define "fleet" to be one or more vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan as required by Section 63-3622R, Idaho Code.

**Rule 015:** Amend to state that pumps supplying water to land and buildings will generally be considered fixtures. The Tax Commission has often treated pumps as personal property depending on where they are installed and how they are used. Pumps used in manufacturing and other industrial or commercial process will generally be considered personal property and their use will therefore qualify for the production exemption, Section 63-3622D, Idaho Code.

Rule 041, 058, 073: Delete references to a specific tax rate.

**Rule 063:** Amend examples to change the 5% rate to 6%.

**Rule 067:** Amend to state that, in most cases, store fixtures are to be considered personal property. Also, add a subsection stating that cable that must be removed from buildings when abandoned is personal property.

**Rule 085:** Add statements to clarify that the primary purpose of organizations claiming the exemption must be the provision of free dental care to children; that the primary use of the items purchased must be for the provision of free dental care to children; that children are persons under the age of 18.

Rule 106: Change the word "average" to "clean." The NADA now calls the "average retail price" the "clean retail price."

**Rule 107:** Incorporates by reference the definition of "trailer" in the Motor Vehicle Code, Idaho Code §§ 49-121 and 49-122.

**Rule 109:** Add a statement clarifying that an increase in the permit fee for amusement devices will be effective on the following July 1 if an increase in the tax rate takes place on a date other than July 1.

Rule 117: Add language to clarify refund claims must state the amount of the refund.

**Rule 135:** New proposed rule to specify the exemption of sales of aerial tramways, snow making, and snow grooming equipment applies to component parts of snow making and snow grooming equipment. The statute is unclear as to whether the exemption is intended to apply to sales of component parts of snow making and snow grooming equipment. The legislative history shows that the statute actually was intended to include these component parts.

**Rule 136:** New proposed rule to specify that retailers located in a qualifying shopping center must file a separate

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return for that location only, that sales information from retailers located in such shopping centers may not be released to the public, and that the developer must provide the names and tax identification numbers of the retailers located in a qualifying shopping center.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Husted (208) 334-7544.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0102-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 010).

- **01. Admissions**. The term admissions includes the right or privilege to enter into a place including seats and tables reserved or otherwise and other similar accommodations and charges made therefor. (7-1-93)
- **02. Aircraft.** The term aircraft means any contrivance now known or hereafter invented, used, or designed, for navigation of or flight in the air. (7-1-93)
- **03. Cash Discount**. The term cash discount means a discount offered by a retailer to a purchaser as an inducement for prompt payment. (7-1-93)
- **04. Contractor Improving Real Property.** A contractor is any person acting as a general contractor, subcontractor, contractee, subcontractee, or speculation contractor, spec contractor, who uses material and equipment to perform any written or verbal contract to improve, alter, or repair real property. (7-1-93)
- **05. Fleet**. The term fleet shall mean one (1) or more vehicles <u>registered under the International Registration Plan or a similar proportional registration system. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)</u>
  - **06. Hand Tool**. A hand tool is an instrument used or worked by hand. (7-1-93)
- **07. Logging**. The term logging includes the harvesting of forest trees for resale by cutting, skidding, loading, thinning, or decking, regardless of whether the forest trees are owned by the person doing the harvesting.

The term logging does not include harvesting timber for firewood.

(7-1-93)

- Manufactured Home/Mobile Home. The term manufactured home, previously known as a mobile home, means a structure, constructed according to HUD/FHA mobile home construction and safety standards, transportable in one (1) or more sections, which, in the traveling mode, is eight (8) body feet or more in width or is forty (40) body feet or more in length, or when erected on site, is three hundred twenty (320) or more square feet, and which is built on a permanent chassis and designed to be used as a dwelling with or without a permanent foundation when connected to the required utilities, and includes the plumbing, heating, air conditioning and electrical systems contained therein, except that such term shall include any structure which meets all the requirements of this section except the size requirements and with respect to which the manufacturer voluntarily files a certification required by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development and complies with the standards established under 42 U.S.C. 5401, et seq. (7-1-93)
- **09. Manufacturer's Discount Coupon**. The term manufacturer's discount coupon means a price reduction coupon presented by a consumer to a retailer upon purchase of a manufacturer's product, the face value of which may only be reimbursed by the manufacturer to the retailer. (7-1-93)
- **10. Manufacturer's Rebates**. The term manufacturer's rebate means a cash payment made by a manufacturer to a consumer who has purchased or is purchasing the manufacturer's product from the retailer.

  (7-1-93)
- 11. Mining. The term "mining" means the extraction from the earth of minerals including coal, phosphate, sodium, molybdenum, asbestos, gold, silver, lead, zinc, copper, antimony, building stone, pumice, scoria, clay, diatomaceous earth, sand, gravel, quartz, limestone, and marble, and includes the further processing of such mineral. The term "mining" does not include the extraction from the earth of geothermal resources nor does it include the extraction of soil.

  (6-23-94)
- **12. Modular Building**. The term modular building, previously known as a prefabricated building, means any building or building component, other than a manufactured home as defined, above, which is constructed according to standards contained in the *Uniform* International Building Code, which is of closed construction and is either entirely or substantially prefabricated or assembled at a place other than the building site, and is designed to be affixed to real property. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **13. Office Trailer**. An office trailer is a structure which is built on a permanent chassis, is transportable in one (1) or more sections, and is designed for use as an office. (7-1-93)
- **14. Orthopedic Appliances**. The term orthopedic appliance shall include those braces and other external supports prescribed by a practitioner for the purpose of correction or relief of defects, diseases, or injuries to bones or joints. (7-1-93)
- **15. Prescription or Work Order.** The terms prescription or work order shall mean an order issued to, or on behalf of, a specific individual by a practitioner licensed by the state under Title 54, Idaho Code, to prescribe such items. (7-1-93)
  - **16. Real Property.** The term real property means land and improvements or fixtures to the land. (7-1-93)
- 17. Tax Rate. The terms "tax rate" or "rate" means the current tax rate as defined in Sections 63-3619 and 63-3621, Idaho Code. References to the tax rate in these rules may not reflect the current rate in effect.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 015. WELL DRILLERS/PUMP INSTALLERS (RULE 015).

**01.** In General. This rule is meant to explain how Idaho sales and use tax applies to contractors who

drill wells and install pumps. The general principles in  $\underline{ISTC}$  Rule 012 of these rules, Contractors Improving Real Property, also apply to well drillers and pump installers and should be reviewed along with this rule. (7-1-93)(

- **O2.** Types. The types of wells covered by this rule include, but are not limited to: (7-1-93)
- **a.** Water wells, including those for municipal, domestic, commercial, and industrial purposes, and wells used for agricultural irrigation. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** Monitor wells used to check for contamination or to find the water table. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** Anode wells used to ground power or gas lines. (7-1-93)
  - **d.** Construction wells used for pilings, shoring, and elevator hoists. (7-1-93)
- O3. Contractor Improving Real Property. A well driller *pump installer* is a contractor improving real property. In general, he is subject to sales or use tax on materials and equipment he owns and uses or over which he exercises right or power while performing a contract. He should not charge sales tax on materials, such as casing, pumps, screens, piping, etc., used to complete a well. Section 63-3609(a), Idaho Code, states that these materials are consumed by the well driller *pump installer*. He is subject to tax even if the owner of the material is exempt from the tax, such as a government agency. Well drillers *pump installers* may be responsible for use tax on owner-supplied materials. See ISTC Rule 012. Exemptions are discussed in *ISTC Rule* Subsection 015.05 of this rule. Pumps that are installed with a well, such as a pump that supplies water to land or a building, are presumed to be real property improvements. Pumps that do not supply water to land or buildings and are used in commercial or industrial applications will generally be considered personal property unless they have been so integrated into the real estate that they would be considered a permanent fixture.
- a. Example: A well driller/pump installer contracts to drill a water well and install a pump for a homeowner. He bills the homeowner separately for materials and labor as well as the drill bits he used. He should pay sales or use tax on his purchase of the materials and drill bits. Sales tax He should not be charged sales tax to the customer since this is a contract to improve real property.

  (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **04. Well Drillers/Pump Installers as a Retailer.** In some cases, a well driller ≠ or pump installer also may be a retailer. For instance, he may sell casing, pumps or pump parts with no installation. In this case, he must have a seller's permit number, collect sales tax, and file sales tax returns, just like any other retailer. For more information on contractor ≠ swho are also retailers, see <u>ISTC</u> Rule 014 of these rules. (7-1-93)( )
- **O5. Exemptions.** In some cases, exemptions may apply to materials installed by well drillers and pump installers. Note: These exemptions apply only to project materials and not to construction equipment and supplies, such as drilling rigs and drill bits. If a well driller  $\neq$  or pump installer makes exempt purchases, he must complete an exemption certificate for the vendor's records.
- **a.** Materials installed in a well which will be used primarily for agricultural irrigation are exempt under Section 63-3622W, Idaho Code. The exemption applies even if the materials become part of the real property. Agricultural irrigation includes supplying water to crops, livestock, and fish which are produced for resale. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Pumps and other equipment used directly in manufacturing or processing are exempt under Section 63-3622D, Idaho Code. Generally, such pumps retain the characteristics of personal property. This exemption applies only to tangible personal property. It does not apply to materials which will become part of real property. Examples include: pumps used directly in food processing; booster pumps and chlorine pumps used directly in manufacturing; and dairy waste pumps. (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **Motor Vehicles**. In general, drilling rigs and licensed motor vehicles are subject to sales or use tax when purchased by a well driller or pump installer. However, if a vehicle weighs more than twenty-six thousand

(26,000) pounds, is used more than ten percent (10%) of the time outside of Idaho, and is registered under the International Registration Plan or similar pro rata plan, its purchase is exempt. See *ISTC* Rule 101 of these rules. This exemption does not apply to repair parts for motor vehicles, or to drilling rigs purchased separately from a motor vehicle. (7-1-93)(

Fuel. Motor fuel taxes do not apply, or a refund may be obtained, if the fuel is used to run drilling rigs or other off-road equipment. Fuel purchased for such off-highway use is subject to sales or use tax. See Sections 63-2410 and 63-2423, Idaĥo Code, and related IDAPA 35.01.05, "Idaĥo Motor Fuels Tax Rules." (7-1-93)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 041. FOOD, MEALS, OR DRINKS (RULE 041).

In General. This rule covers the imposition of tax on sales of food, meals, or drinks by commercial establishments, college campuses, conventions, nonprofit organizations, private clubs, and similar organizations.

(7-1-93)

- 02. Commercial Establishments. Sales tax is imposed on the amount paid for food, meals, or drinks furnished by any restaurant, cafeteria, eating house, hotel, drugstore, diner, club, or any other place or organization regardless of whether meals are regularly served to the public.
- Clubs and Organizations. Private clubs, country clubs, athletic clubs, fraternal, and other similar organizations are retailers of tangible personal property sold by them, even if they make sales only to members. Such organizations must obtain an Idaho seller's permit and report and pay retail sales tax on all sales. Taxability of membership dues depends upon the nature of the club. See Rule 030 of these rules. Special rules apply to religious organizations. See Rule 086 of these rules. (3-15-02)
- When an organization holds a function in its own quarters, maintains its own kitchen facilities, and sells tickets which include items such as meals, dancing, drinks, entertainment, speakers, and registration fees (convention), the charges may be separated and tax collected on meals, drinks, and admission fees when the ticket is sold. For example:

Dinner, dancing, etc.	<del>\$ 8.00</del>
<del>Tax</del>	<del>.40</del>
Registration, speakers, etc.	<del>\$ 6.60</del>
Total Ticket	<del>\$15.00</del>

an organization holds a dinner dance in its own building. It charges twenty dollars (\$20) for dinner and dancing and twelve dollars (\$12) for registration and speakers. Since the two (2) amounts are stated separately, tax is only imposed on twenty dollars (\$20). The amount of the tax must also be stated separately. Sales of means and the use of recreational facilities are taxable. Registration fees, speaker fees, and similar charges are not taxable. (4-11-06)(

- The organization holding the function or convention must obtain a seller's permit and remit tax to the state. When the charges are not separated, the total price of the ticket is taxable. (7-1-93)
- When an organization holds a function in facilities operated by a restaurant or motel and sells tickets for meals, drinks, and other services, no sales tax applies to these sales if the organization pays the restaurant or hotel sales tax on the meals and drinks furnished and all other services performed. The hotel, restaurant, or caterer will remit the tax to the state. (7-1-93)
- Colleges, Universities, and Schools. A cafeteria operated by a state university, junior college district, public school district, or any other public body is treated the same as a cafeteria operated by a private enterprise. Purchases of food for resale are not taxable; meals sold are taxable. (7-1-93)

- **a.** If a meal is paid for by cash or a meal ticket is sold to the student, tax is computed on the total sales price of the meal. If meals are sold as part of a room and board fee, the amount paid for board must be separated from the amount paid for the room. Tax is calculated and collected on that part of the total fee allocated to the purchase of meals.

  (7-1-93)
- **b.** Sales of meals by public or private schools under the Federal School Lunch Program are exempted by Section 63-3622J, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
- **05. Fraternities, Sororities, and Cooperative Living Group.** Fraternities and sororities generally purchase and prepare food for their own consumption. The food is prepared and served in a cooperative manner by members of the fraternity or by employees hired by the group for this purpose. Purchases made by the fraternity or sorority are for consumptive use and subject to sales tax. There is no sale of meals to fraternity or sorority members and no sales tax imposed on any allocated charge for them whether stated separately or included as part of a lump sum charge for board and room. (7-1-93)
- **a.** If a concessionaire is retained by the fraternity or sorority to furnish meals, the concessionaire is a retailer engaged in the business of selling meals; food purchases are for resale and meals supplied by the concessionaire to members of the fraternity or sorority are subject to sales tax. (7-1-93)
- **b.** If the fraternity or sorority regularly furnishes meals for a consideration to nonmembers, these meals become subject to tax and the fraternity or sorority must obtain an Idaho seller's permit. (7-1-93)
- c. Cooperative living groups are normally managed in much the same manner as fraternities and sororities. Food is purchased and meals are prepared and served by members of the group or their employees. The same conditions outlined above for fraternities and sororities apply to cooperative living groups. (4-11-06)
- **806. Boarding Houses.** Sales of meals furnished by boarding houses are subject to tax, when they are charged separately. This applies whether or not the meals are served exclusively to regular boarders. Where no separate charge or specific amount is paid for meals furnished, but is included in the regular board and room charges, the boarding house or other place is not considered to be selling meals, but is the consumer of the items used in preparing such meals.

  (7-1-93)
- **07. Honor System Snack Sales**. Honor system snack sales are those items of individually sized prepackaged snack foods, such as candy, gum, chips, cookies or crackers, which customers may purchase by depositing the purchase price into a collection receptacle. Displays containing these snacks are generally placed in work or office areas and are unattended. Customers are on their honor to pay the posted price for the article removed from the display. Purchases from these snack displays are subject to sales tax. (7-1-93)
- **a.** Sales tax applies to the *gross receipts* total sales. The posted price must include a statement that sales tax is included.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(}{}$
- **b.** The formula for computing the taxable amount is:  $\frac{(Gross\ Receipts)}{(105\%)} = \frac{(105\%)}{(100\% + TR)}$  where TS is total sales and TR is the tax rate.
  - **08. Church Organizations.** Special rules apply to religious organizations. See Rule 086 of these rules. (4-11-06)
- **09. Senior Citizens.** Meals sold under programs that provide nutritional meals for the aging under Title III-C of the Older Americans Act, Public Law 93-29, are exempted from the sales tax by Section 63-3622J, Idaho Code. Organizations selling such meals must obtain an Idaho seller's permit and collect sales tax when selling meals to purchasers who are not senior citizens. (7-1-93)
- 10. Nontaxable Purchases by Establishments Selling Meals or Beverages. Persons who serve food, meals, or drinks for a consideration may purchase tangible personal property without paying tax if the property is for resale to their customers, is included in the fee charged to the customer, and is directly consumed by the customer in

such a way that it cannot be reused. A resale certificate must be provided to the vendor when the establishment purchases such items for resale. See Rule 128 of these rules. Examples of items which are purchased for resale and directly consumed by customers include:

(3-15-02)

- **a.** Disposable containers, such as milkshake containers, paper or styrofoam cups and plates, to-go containers and sacks, pizza cartons, and chicken buckets. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Disposable supplies included in the price of the meal or drink, such as drinking straws, stir sticks, paper napkins, paper placemats, and toothpicks. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Candies, popcorn, drinks, or food, when included in the consideration paid for other food, meals, or drinks. (7-1-93)
- 11. Taxable Purchases by Establishments Selling Meals or Beverages. Tangible personal property which is not included in the fee charged to the customer and not directly consumed by the customer is subject to the tax when purchased by the restaurant, bar, food server, or similar establishment. Tangible personal property which is not directly consumed by the customer includes property that is nondisposable in nature or property that is depreciated in the books and records of the restaurant, bar, or similar establishment. Examples of taxable purchases include:

  (7-1-93)
- **a.** Waxed paper, stretch wrap, foils, paper towels, garbage can liners, or other paper products consumed by the retailer, as well as linens, silverware, glassware, tablecloths, towels, and nondisposable napkins, furniture, fixtures, cookware, and menus. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Any tangible personal property available to the general public, such as restroom supplies and matches. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Complimentary candies, popcorn, drinks, or food, when patrons are not required to purchase other food, meals, or drinks in order to receive the complimentary goods. (7-1-93)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 058. SALES THROUGH VENDING MACHINES (RULE 058).

- **01. In General.** The sale of tangible personal property through a vending machine is a taxable transaction. The term vending machine shall mean any mechanical device which, without the assistance of a human cashier, dispenses tangible personal property to a purchaser who deposits cash in the device. Video games and other coin operated amusement devices are not vending machines. Fees paid for the use of coin operated amusement devices are not subject to sales tax pursuant to Section 63-3623B, Idaho Code. See Rule 109 of these rules. (5-3-03)
- **O2. Amount Subject to Tax.** Pursuant to Section 63-3613, Idaho Code, sales of items through a vending machine for amounts from twelve cents (\$0.12) through one dollar (\$1) are taxable at one hundred seventeen percent (117%) of the vendor's acquisition cost of the items. Items sold for more than one dollar (\$1) are taxable on the retail sales price. Sales of items for a price of eleven cents (\$0.11) or less are exempt from tax pursuant to Section 63-3622L, Idaho Code. (5-3-03)
- **03. Requirement to Obtain a Seller's Permit.** Vendors who sell tangible personal property through a vending machine must obtain a seller's permit. Only one seller's permit is required; however, each vending machine operated by the vendor must conspicuously display the vendor's name, address, and seller's permit number. When a number of vending machines are placed in a single location, the owner's name, address, and seller's permit number need be displayed only once. (5-3-03)
- **04.** Calculation of Tax. The following examples show how vending machine operators shall calculate the amount of sales tax due: (5-3-03)

**a.** Example 1: Corporation A's business activity consists only of sales through vending machines in various locations in the state of Idaho. All of the items sold in the vending machines are sold for a unit price of twelve cents (\$0.12) or more but none are sold for a price greater than one dollar (\$1). During the month of July, Corporation A's *gross receipts* total sales from the vending machine sales were ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). Corporation A purchased the items sold during that one (1) month period for eight thousand dollars (\$8,000). The company made no nontaxable or exempt sales. Corporation A should file a sales and use tax return for the month of July, computing and reporting its taxable sales as follows. Numbers correspond to line numbers on the return.

Line 1.	Total sales			\$ 9,360
Line 2.	Less nontaxable sales \$ 0		\$ 0	
Line 3.	Net taxable sales			\$ 9,360
	Line 1 computed as follows:			
		8,000 x 117%	=	\$ 9,360

(3-20-04)( )

**b.** Example 2: During the month of July, Corporation B had total Idaho sales in the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). In addition to sales through vending machines, the corporation made over-the-counter sales, all of which were taxable, in the amount of two thousand dollars (\$2,000). The remaining eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) constituted sales through vending machines, of which one thousand dollars (\$1,000) was for items with a unit retail price of over one dollar (\$1). The other seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) were sales of items through vending machines with a unit retail price of fifty cents (\$0.50) each. The items sold during the month for fifty cents (\$0.50) each were purchased by Corporation B for five thousand dollars (\$5,000). Corporation B should file a sales and use tax return for the month, computing and reporting its taxable sales as follows:

Line 1. Total sales	<del>\$ 8,793.40</del>
Line 2. Less nontaxable sales	<del>\$ 0</del>
Line 3. Net taxable sales	<del>\$ 8,793.40</del>
Line 1 computed as follows: 2,000 + (1,000 : 1.05) + (5,000 x 117%) =	<del>\$ 8,793.40</del>

The amount to report as taxable sales is:

Taxable Sales = \$2,000 (over the counter items) + \$5,850 (\$5,000 of purchases of items selling for  $$.50 \times 117\%$ ) + ( $$1,000 \div (1 + \text{tax rate expressed as a decimal})$  (items sold through vending machines for more that one dollar (\$1)). Assuming a 6% tax rate this amount would be \$1,000 divided by 1.06 or \$943.40.

Note that if a vendor sells some items for more than one dollar (\$1) the sales tax is included in the total *receipts* sales. This amount must be divided by one (1) plus the current tax rate expressed as a decimal, to determine the *receipts* sales before sales tax. *If the tax rate is five percent (5%) the divisor is one and five one-hundredths (1.05).* 

<del>(4-11-06)</del>(\_\_\_\_)

05.	Cross-References.	(7-1-93)
a.	Amusement devices, see Rule 109 of these rules.	(5-3-03)
b.	Money operated dispensing equipment, see Rule 095 of these rules.	(5-3-03)

**c.** Sales of newspapers through vending machines, see Rule 033 of these rules. (3-20-04)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 063. BAD DEBTS AND REPOSSESSIONS (RULE 063).

- **01. In General.** Sales tax must be collected on an accrual basis. The tax is owed to the state at the time of sale, regardless of when the payment is made by the customer. (7-1-93)
  - **O2.** Rules for Unsecured Credit Sales. The following rules apply to unsecured credit sales: (7-1-93)
- **a.** When a seller cannot collect accounts receivable arising from an unsecured credit sale of tangible personal property subject to sales tax, he may make an adjustment on his sales tax return or apply for a refund of taxes according to this rule. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The adjustment or refund may be claimed on the sales tax return for the month in which the bad debt adjustment is made on the books and records of the taxpayer. The tax for which the credit or refund is sought must be included in the amount which is financed and which is charged off as a bad debt for income tax purposes.

  (6-23-94)
- c. A written claim for the refund may also be filed with the State Tax Commission within three (3) years from the time the tax was paid to the State Tax Commission. The State Tax Commission will review all such refund claims. See Rule 117 of these rules, Refund Claims. (3-20-04)
  - **03. Rules for Secured Credit Sales.** The following rules apply to secured credit sales: (7-1-93)
- **a.** If the collateral is not repossessed, the seller may treat a bad debt the same as an unsecured credit sale. (7-1-93)
- **b.** If the collateral is repossessed and not seasonably resold at a public or private sale, its retention is considered to satisfy the debt and no bad debt adjustment is allowed. (7-1-93)
- **c.** If the collateral is repossessed and seasonably resold at public or private sale, then the seller is entitled to a bad debt adjustment. However, before calculating the amount of tax that may be credited or refunded, the taxpayer must reduce the amount claimed as worthless by the amount realized from the sale of the collateral.
  - (3-30-01)
- **d.** If merchandise is repossessed and is subsequently resold at retail, sales tax is computed on the sales price and collected and remitted the same as on other retail sales. (7-1-93)
- **04. Application to Taxpayers**. The following rules apply to taxpayers who remit sales tax on an accrual basis but report income tax on a cash basis or are not required to file income tax returns. (7-1-93)
- **a.** Retailers are required to remit sales tax on an accrual basis, even though their accounting records and income tax returns may be prepared on the cash basis of accounting. (7-1-93)
- **b.** For taxpayers who keep their records and file income tax returns on a cash basis, a worthless account cannot be written off as a bad debt because it has not been recognized as income in the taxpayer's books. These retailers may still claim a bad debt for sales tax purposes. The claim should be made at the same time and in the same way discussed in Subsections 063.02 and 063.03 of this rule, even though the bad debt does not appear on the retailer's income tax return. (7-1-93)
- **c.** For taxpayers who are not required to file income tax returns, the claim should be made the same way discussed in Subsections 063.02 and 063.03 of this rule. (6-23-94)
- **d.** As these claims cannot be verified against the income tax returns of these taxpayers, sufficient evidence must be attached to the sales tax return to prove that the account has become worthless, that the tax was remitted by the retailer, and that the retailer did not receive payment of the tax from the buyer. (7-1-93)

- **05. Amount of Credit Allowed.** The amount of credit that can be claimed is the amount of sales tax that is uncollectible. If both nontaxable and taxable items are financed, credit may be taken only for that portion of the bad debt which represents unpaid sales tax. (7-1-93)
- a. Example: Assume the tax rate is six percent (6%). A retailer sells a thirty thousand dollar (\$30,000) forklift for thirty-one thousand <u>five eight</u> hundred dollars (\$31,5800) including sales tax. The purchaser pays a five thousand dollar (\$5,000) down payment and finances the balance. The purchaser later defaults and the retailer repossesses the forklift and sells it at a public auction for six thousand dollars (\$6,000). At the time of repossession the purchaser owes seventeen thousand  $\frac{1}{1}$  hundred forty-five dollars (\$17,2545) including the financed sales tax. After the sale the amount that the retailer writes off is eleven thousand  $\frac{1}{1}$  hundred forty-five dollars (\$12,4545). The sales tax bad debt write off is  $\frac{1}{1}$  hundred  $\frac{1}{1}$  hu

Total taxable sale	\$30,000
5% sales tax	\$1, <u>58</u> 00
Total sale	\$31, <u>58</u> 00
Down payment	(\$5,000)
Total financed	\$26, <u>58</u> 00
Payment to principal after sale	(\$9,255)
Amount realized at public sale	(\$6,000)
Total bad debt	\$11, <del>2</del> <u>5</u> 45
Sales tax portion of bad debt \$11,2 <u>5</u> 45 - (11,2 <u>5</u> 45 / 1.0 <u>56</u> ) =	\$ <del>535</del> <u>653</u>

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**b.** Example: A car dealer makes a taxable sale of an automobile for fourteen thousand nine hundred dollars (\$14,900) along with an extended warranty for five hundred dollars (\$500), a documentation fee of one hundred dollars (\$100), a title fee of eight dollars (\$8) and credit insurance for one hundred dollars (\$100). The customer pays one thousand dollars (\$1,000) cash and trades in a car worth ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) which is pledged as security for an earlier outstanding loan of six thousand dollars (\$6,000). The customer, therefore, has to borrow enough to pay off the old loan on the trade-in. The customer defaults on the new ten thousand eight nine hundred fifty eight dollar (\$10,850908) loan after paying five hundred dollars (\$500) towards the principal. The customer damages the automobile in an accident leaving the collateral worthless. The car dealer may take an adjustment for only that portion of the bad debt representing the taxable percentage of the total sales price of the car. Only five thousand dollars (\$5,000) of the total fifteen thousand eight nine hundred fifty eight dollar (\$15,850908) cost was taxable.

Sales price of	vehicle \$14,900
Documentat	tion fee \$100
Extended wa	arranty \$500
Credit ins	surance \$100
Т	Fitle fee \$8
Tı	rade-in (\$10,000)
Sa	ales tax \$ <del>250</del> <u>300</u>
S	Subtotal \$ <del>5,858</del> <u>5,908</u>

Down payment	(\$1,000)
Invoice total	\$ <del>4,858</del> <u>4,908</u>
Amount financed	\$10, <del>8<i>50</i></del> 908
Payment to principal after sale	(\$500)
Amount of bad debt	\$10, <del>350</del> 408
Amount of down payment used to pay sales tax: (\$\frac{250}{200} \) \( \\$5, \frac{858908}{9427} \).	
Amount of sales tax financed: \$250  300 - \$0427  50.80	= \$ <del>207.30</del> <u>249.20</u>
Percentage of loan representing sales tax: \$207.30 249.20 / \$10,850908	= <del>1.91</del> <u>2.28</u> %
Sales tax paid by payments to principal: \$500 x \(\theta \text{191}.0228\)	= \$ <del>9.55</del> <u>11.40</u>
Amount of bad debt write-off: \$207.30 249.20 - \$9.55 11.40	= \$ <del>197.75</del> <u>237.80</u>

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- **06. Bad Debt Collected at a Later Date**. If a bad debt account is collected later, the retailer must pay tax on the amount collected. (7-1-93)
- **O7. To Claim Credit for a Bad Debt.** Credit for bad debts for sales tax purposes may be claimed by the retailer that made the original sale and paid the sales tax to the state. Financial institutions or other third parties who are the assignees of the retailer may claim a bad debt for sales tax on property for which they provided financing, if the amount financed includes the sales tax remitted on the sale of the property. The person claiming the credit must be the person who ultimately bears the loss if the purchaser of the property defaults on the obligation to repay.

(3-30-01)

**08. Cross-Reference**. Rescinded Sale. See Rule 045 of these rules.

(3-20-04)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 073. TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY BROUGHT OR SHIPPED TO IDAHO (RULE 073).

- **O1. Equipment Brought into Idaho**. Equipment or other tangible personal property brought or shipped to Idaho by residents or nonresidents is presumed to be for storage, use, or other consumption in this state. Generally, tangible personal property is subject to use tax on its fair market value when it is first used in Idaho. Special rules apply to transient equipment present in Idaho for ninety (90) days or less in any consecutive twelve (12) month period. See Section 63-3621A, Idaho Code, and Subsection 073.03 of this rule. For property a contractor fabricates to install into Idaho real property, see Rule 012 of these rules. (4-11-06)
- **O2. Substantive Use**. Any substantive use of the property in Idaho is sufficient to subject the property to use tax. Use is defined in Section 63-3615, Idaho Code, and Rule 072 of these rules. The use tax does not apply to the use of items purchased before July 1, 1965, or the use of items excluded from tax by Idaho Code. (3-20-04)
- **03. Transient Equipment.** Transient equipment means equipment that is: owned by the user, which is a business based in another state; a depreciable asset for income tax purposes and treated as such on the owner's income tax returns; brought to Idaho and kept here for ninety (90) days or less in any consecutive twelve (12) months;

and either was not taxed in another state or, if tax was paid to another state, the amount paid was less than the amount of Idaho use tax due. (7-1-93)

- a. A nonresident business that brings transient equipment to Idaho may elect to pay use tax on either the fair market value of the equipment at the time it enters Idaho, or the fair market rental value of transient equipment for the time it is kept in Idaho. Fair market rental value is the amount it would cost to rent or lease similar equipment from an unrelated equipment rental company. (3-20-04)
- **b.** Businesses that elect to pay use tax on the rental value of transient equipment may do so without the approval of the Tax Commission as long as the use tax due on the first month's rental is paid in a timely manner. If the owner fails to pay the tax timely, he must get written approval from the Tax Commission to use this option.
- c. Equipment which remains in Idaho for more than ninety (90) days in any consecutive twelve (12) months is no longer transient. This equipment becomes subject to Idaho use tax on its fair market value at that time. No credit may be taken for use tax paid on fair market rentals against the use tax due at the time equipment ceases to qualify as transient. (7-1-93)
- **d.** Example: A Wyoming contractor brings transient equipment, with a fair market value of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to Idaho for use on a ninety (90) day project. The fair market rental value of the equipment for the ninety (90) days totals fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000). Idaho use tax on the fair market rental value, at the assuming a rate of five six percent (56%), totals seven nine hundred fifty dollars (\$75900). The contractor paid three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) of sales tax to the state of Wyoming when he bought the equipment new. The contractor is not required to pay tax to Idaho since the tax paid to Wyoming exceeds the amount of Idaho use tax due.
- Example: The same contractor  $takes\ a\ second\ job$  in the previous example returns to Idaho within the same twelve (12) months  $and\ brings\ with$  the same equipment, now with a fair market value of ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000), to Idaho for the job. As the equipment has now exceeded the ninety (90) day rule for transient equipment, it is subject to Idaho's  $five\ six\ percent\ (56\%)$  use tax on its  $fair\ market\ present\ value$  of ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000) x  $five\ six\ percent\ (56\%) = four\ five\ thousand\ seven\ hundred\ fifty\ dollars\ ($45,7500)$ . Credit of two thousand  $five\ hundred\ fifty\ six\ hundred\ dollars\ ($2,75600)$  is allowed for sales tax paid to Wyoming, three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) less the  $five\ hundred\ fifty\ hundred\ fifty\ dollar\ ($75900\ hundred\ hundred\ hundred\ hundred\ hundred\ fifty\ hundred\ hund$

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**10. Licensed Motor Vehicles.** A motor vehicle licensed in a nonresident's home state and brought to Idaho to use for ninety (90) days or less in any consecutive twelve (12) months is not subject to Idaho use tax. Once the vehicle is used here more than ninety (90) days during any consecutive twelve (12) months, use tax applies to the fair market value of the vehicle at that time unless tax was paid to another state in an amount equal to, or greater than, the tax owed to Idaho. Special rules apply to new residents of Idaho. See Rule 107 of these rules. (3-20-04)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 085. SALES TO AND PURCHASES BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS (RULE 085).

- **01. In General**. The Sales Tax Act does not provide any general exemption for, charitable or nonprofit organizations, corporations, associations or other entities. Specific statutory provisions provide exemptions for some charitable organizations. Unless an exemption is clearly granted to a specific organization or to specific sales or purchases by a specific organization or a class of organization, no exemption applies. Special rules apply to religious organizations. See Rule 086 of these rules. (3-6-00)
- **02. Educational Institutions**. Sales to and purchases made by non-profit educational institutions, as defined in Section 63-3622O, Idaho Code, are exempt from Idaho sales or use taxes. (3-6-00)

- **O3. Health Related Entities.** Sales to and purchases made by the specific health related entities listed in Section 63-3622O, Idaho Code, are exempt from Idaho sales or use taxes. Health related organizations not named are not entitled to any exemption from sales and use taxes as a health related entity. (3-6-00)
- **04. Hospitals**. In addition to the health related entities listed in Section 63-3622O, Idaho Code, hospitals which are nonprofit institutions licensed for the care of ill persons are exempt. To qualify for the exemption the hospital must be a facility defined in Section 39-1301(a), Idaho Code, and licensed as provided in Chapter 13, Title 39, Idaho Code, or an equivalent law in another state. Hospitals operated for profit do not qualify for this exemption, nor do nursing homes, clinics, doctors' offices, or similar facilities unless the organization qualifies for an exemption under Section 63-3622O, Idaho Code. (3-6-00)
- **05. Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc**. The Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation which gathers food and food products at one (1) central location for distribution to food banks throughout Idaho. All sales to, donations to, and purchases by the Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc., are exempt from sales and use taxes. (3-6-00)
- **a.** Example 1: The XYC Corporation purchases food from a grocer to donate to the Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc. The XYC Corporation must pay sales tax on the purchase since they are not purchasing the food for resale and no other exemption applies. (3-6-00)
- **b.** Example 2: The Idaho Food Bank Warehouse, Inc. purchases office supplies. No tax is due on the purchase. (3-6-00)
- **6. Food Banks and Soup Kitchens.** Food banks or soup kitchens are nonprofit organizations, other than the Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc., which, as one of their regular activities, furnish food to others without charge. Sales to, donations to, and purchases of food or tangible personal property used by food banks and soup kitchens other than the Idaho Foodbank Warehouse, Inc. to grow, store, prepare, or serve food are exempt from sales and use taxes. However, there is no exemption from the sales tax if goods are purchased with the intent and purpose of donation to a qualified organization. This exemption does not extend to the sale, purchase, or use of licensed motor vehicles by food banks or soup kitchens. (3-6-00)
- **a.** Example 1: A grocer removes food from his inventory of goods held for resale to donate to a food bank or soup kitchen. The grocer is exempt from the use tax on his cost of the inventory donated. (3-6-00)
- **b.** Example 2: The XYZ Corporation purchases food from a grocer to donate to a food bank. The XYZ Corporation is not purchasing the food items for resale, and no other exemption from sales tax applies. Sales tax must be paid on the purchase. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Example 3: A food bank purchases a licensed motor vehicle. The purchase is subject to sales tax because the motor vehicle is not used to grow, prepare, or serve food. (3-6-00)
  - **Red Cross**. Sales to the American Red Cross are exempted from state sales tax by federal law. (7-1-93)
- **08. Nonsale Clothiers**. Nonprofit organizations, one of whose primary functions is to provide clothing to the needy without charge, may purchase the clothing without paying tax. Only clothing qualifies for the exemption. Other purchases by the organization are taxable. Clothing may also be removed from a resale inventory and donated to these organizations exempt from use tax. However, there is no exemption from the sales tax if goods are purchased with the intent and purpose of donation to a qualified organization. (3-6-00)
- **a.** Example 1: A department store removes clothing from resale merchandise to donate to a nonprofit, nonsale clothier. The store is exempt from the use tax on the cost of the inventory donated. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Example 2: A nonprofit, nonsale clothier purchases clothing and bed sheets from a department store to give to the needy. No tax is due on the clothing, but the store must charge the organization sales tax on the bed sheets.

  (7-1-93)

- **09. Exemption Certificate.** The organizations listed in this rule may make purchases without paying sales tax to the vendor by completing an exemption certificate. See Rule 128 of these rules. (3-6-00)
- **10. Literature**. The sale, purchase, use, or other consumption of literature, pamphlets, periodicals, tracts, books, tapes, audio CDs, and other literature which is produced in a machine readable format that are both published and sold by an entity qualified under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code are exempt from the tax if no part of the net earnings benefits any individual or shareholder. (3-6-00)
- 11. Sales by Nonprofit Organizations. An exemption from sales tax on sales to one of the foregoing entities does not constitute an exemption from the requirements to collect and remit tax when the entity makes taxable sales to purchasers not exempt from tax. When an exempt organization qualifies as a retailer the organization must register with the State Tax Commission, obtain a seller's permit, and collect and remit sales taxes on sales as defined in Section 63-3612, Idaho Code, in the same manner and in accordance with the same statutes and rules which govern all other retailers in the state. There are two (2) exceptions to this rule. (3-6-00)
  - **a.** Sales of places to sleep by the Idaho Ronald McDonald house are exempt from sales taxes. (3-6-00)
- **b.** Sales of admissions by an entity qualified under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by an organization conducting an exempt function defined in Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code when:

  (3-6-00)
  - i. The event is not predominately recreational or commercial; and (3-6-00)
- ii. Any entertainment value included in the admission charge is minimal when compared to the charge for admission; and (3-6-00)
- iii. Such entity has paid a sales or use tax on taxable purchases or tangible personal property or services consumed during the event. (3-6-00)
- 12. Senior Citizen Centers. Beginning July 1, 2002, sSales to certain senior citizen centers are exempt from sales tax. The definition of "senior citizen center" in Section 63-3622O, Idaho Code, is the same as the definition of a "multipurpose senior center" as defined in the Older Americans Act, Title 42, Section 3002, United States Code. To qualify for the exemption the center must have been granted exempt status pursuant to Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Long-term care facilities do not qualify for this exemption.
- 13. Free Dental Clinics. Sales to and purchases by organizations providing free dental care to children are exempt from sales and use tax. For the purposes of this exemption "children" shall mean persons under the age of eighteen (18). To qualify for the exemption property or services must be:
  - <u>a.</u> Purchased by an organization whose primary purpose is providing free dental care to children; and
  - **b.** Primarily used by an organization whose primary purpose is providing free dental care to children.

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 106. MOTOR VEHICLES SALES, RENTALS, AND LEASES (RULE 106).

- **01. In General**. The sale, lease, rental, or purchase of a motor vehicle is subject to sales and use tax. Retailers, lessors, and dealers are required to collect the tax. (7-1-93)
- **02. Forms**. The forms required for sales and use tax collection and reporting include the following, with modifications that may be required from time to time: (7-1-93)

- **a.** The title application form required by the Idaho Transportation Department. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Form ST-133, Sales Tax Exemption Certificate-Transfer Affidavit, used for gifts of motor vehicles, sales between family members, and sales to enrolled members of an Indian tribe within the boundaries of an Indian reservation. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Form ST-104-MV, Sales Tax Exemption Certificate-Vehicle, used by persons claiming exemption under Section 63-3622, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
  - **d.** Other forms that may be required by the Tax Commission or the Idaho Transportation Department. (7-1-93)
- 03. Vehicles Purchased from Idaho Dealers. When a dealer of new or used motor vehicles sells any motor vehicle for delivery in Idaho, he must collect sales or use tax at the rate in effect on the date the motor vehicle is delivered to the buyer, unless an exemption applies. He must also prepare a title application form and include the dealer's Idaho seller's permit number, gross sales price, trade-in allowance, net sales price, and total tax collected. A title application form which is completed by the dealer and displays Idaho sales tax collected is evidence that the buyer paid sales tax to the dealer. (7-1-93)

# 05. Vehicles Purchased from Nondealers.

(7-1-93)

- a. Title applications for vehicles purchased from nondealers, who are not required to have an Idaho seller's permit, must be made according to Idaho Transportation Department instructions. The buyer must present a bill of sale or receipt as proof of the gross sales price. Canceled checks will not be accepted in lieu of a bill of sale. In the absence of a bill of sale, sales tax is collected on the value established as the *average* "clean retail price" in the most recent National Automobile Dealers Association (NADA). Official Used Car Guide, published by the National Automobile Dealers Used Car Guide Company. Where there is a sale by a nondealer, a trade-in allowance is not allowed. See *ISTC* Rule 044 of these rules. The county assessor or Idaho Transportation Department must collect sales tax on the gross sales price and remit the tax to the Tax Commission. Barters of motor vehicles are taxable on the full value of each vehicle or other property which is the object of barter. Sales tax shall be collected on the value established as the *average* "clean retail price" stated for similar makes and models with comparable options in the most recent NADA Official Used Car Guide.

  (7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- b. A retailer required to have an Idaho seller's permit must collect the sales tax when selling a motor vehicle, even though he is not licensed as a motor vehicle dealer. The retailer must give the buyer the title to the motor vehicle, properly completing title transfer information on the title, including the retailer's seller's permit number as proof that Idaho sales tax was collected. The retailer must also give the buyer a bill of sale stating: the date of sale; the name and address of the seller; the complete vehicle description including the VIN, vehicle identification number, which must agree with the VIN on the title; the person to whom the vehicle was sold; the amount for which the vehicle was sold; and the amount of sales tax charged.

  (7-1-93)
- c. A retailer is not relieved of the responsibility for collecting the tax unless he can provide satisfactory evidence to the Tax Commission that the buyer paid tax to the county assessor or Idaho Transportation Department. If a retailer fails to collect the tax from the buyer, the county assessor or Idaho Transportation Department must collect the tax. (7-1-93)

## 06. Vehicles Rented or Leased.

(7-1-93)

**a.** A lease-purchase and lease with option to purchase have separate definitions and tax applications. See *ISTC* Rule 024 of these rules. A lease-purchase is subject to sales or use tax on the full purchase price at the time

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the vehicle is delivered to the lessee. A true lease and a lease with an option to purchase are subject to sales tax on each lease payment and on the buy-out or residual value when a lessee exercises his option to buy. The information in this Section 106 deals with rentals, true leases, and leases with an option to buy.

(7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **b.** The lessor of a motor vehicle is a retailer and must collect sales tax from the lessee on any rental or lease payment on the date it is required to be made, at the tax rate in effect on that date. The lessor must also collect tax on any lessee's exercise of an option to buy based on the full purchase price or residual, at the tax rate in effect on the date title is transferred to the lessee. (7-1-93)
- **c.** The lessor may not rely on the county assessor or the Idaho Transportation Department to collect sales or use tax if the purchase option is exercised. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The lessor must collect sales tax on each lease payment received from the renter or lessee and remit the tax to the state. The sales tax is applicable whether the vehicle is leased or rented on an hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, mileage, or any other basis. (7-1-93)
- **e.** If the lessor is responsible for maintaining the vehicle and this is stated in the lease or rental agreement, tax does not apply to his purchase of necessary repair parts. (7-1-93)
- **f.** Out-of-state lessors must obtain a seller's permit and comply with this rule. If the county assessor or Idaho Transportation Department cannot verify that the lessor is properly registered to collect the tax, title and registration will be denied. (7-1-93)
- g. When a vehicle is traded in as part payment for the rental or lease of another vehicle, a deduction is allowed before computing the sales tax. The methods of applying the trade-in value to the lease are found in *ISTE* Rule 044 of these rules.
  - **07.** Cross-References. (7-1-93)
  - **a.** ISTC See Rule 024 of these rules. Rentals or leases of tangible personal property. (7-1-93)(
  - **b.** *ISTC* See Rule 044 of these rules. Trade-ins, trade-downs, and barter. (7-1-93)(

  - **d.** *ISTC* See Rule 091 of these rules. Sales to indians. (7-1-93)(
  - e. <u>ISTC See</u> Rule 101 of these rules. Motor vehicles and trailers used in interstate commerce.
  - f. <u>ISTC See</u> Rule 107 of these rules. Motor vehicles gifts, military personnel, and exemptions.
- 107. VEHICLES AND VESSELS -- GIFTS, MILITARY PERSONNEL, NONRESIDENT, NEW RESIDENT, TAX PAID TO ANOTHER STATE, SALES TO FAMILY MEMBERS, SALES TO AMERICAN INDIANS, AND OTHER EXEMPTIONS (RULE 107).
- **01. In General**. This rule discusses specific topics relating to motor vehicles including gifts, military personnel, and exemptions. Refer to Rule 106 of these rules for general information on purchases, sales, rentals, and leases of motor vehicles. (3-6-00)
- **02. Gifts of Motor Vehicles.** When the following facts clearly establish that a motor vehicle is being transferred as a gift from the titleholder to another, the vehicle can be transferred tax exempt if: (7-1-93)

- **a.** No money, services, or other consideration is exchanged between the donor and recipient at any time. (7-1-93)
  - **b.** The recipient assumes no indebtedness. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** The relationship of the donor and recipient indicates a basis for a gift. (7-1-93)
- **d.** The donor and recipient complete and sign a Sales Tax Exemption Certificate-Transfer Affidavit, Form ST-133, and submit it to the county assessor or the Idaho Transportation Department along with the title to the vehicle being transferred. If the donor is unable to sign the affidavit: (2-18-02)
- i. A letter stating the vehicle is a gift, and signed by the donor, may be accepted by the county assessor or his representative and attached to the affidavit; or (2-18-02)
  - ii. The back of the title may be marked as a gift and signed by the donor. (2-18-02)
  - **03.** Nonresidents. (3-30-07)
- a. A nonresident does not owe use tax on the use of a motor vehicle which is <u>purchased outside of Idaho and titled or</u> registered *or licensed* under the laws of another state or nation, is not used in Idaho more than ninety (90) days in any consecutive twelve (12) months pursuant to Section 63-3621(k), Idaho Code, and is not required to be registered or licensed under Idaho law. For purposes of this Subsection (107.03.a.), a motor vehicle is considered to have been used in Idaho for a day when it is present in this state for more than sixteen (16) hours during any twenty-four (24) hour period. This exemption applies only to nonresidents. A limited liability company (LLC) or other legal entity formed by an Idaho resident under the laws of another state primarily for the purpose of purchasing and owning one (1) or more motor vehicles is not a nonresident. The use of a vehicle owned by such an entity will be subject to use tax upon its first use in Idaho.
- **b.** For the purposes of this rule, a corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or other organization will be considered a nonresident if it is not formed under the laws of the state of Idaho, is not registered to do business with the Idaho Secretary of State, does not have significant contacts with this state and does not have consistent operations in this state. (3-30-07)
- **New Residents**. A new resident of Idaho does not owe tax on the use of household goods, personal effects and privately owned motor vehicles, if he acquired them while he resided in another state and used them primarily outside Idaho. If a vehicle owner obtained a registration or title from another state or nation of residence more than three (3) months before moving to Idaho, this is proof that the vehicle was primarily for use outside Idaho. New residents entering Idaho with a vehicle titled in a state that does not impose a general sales and use tax will be required to complete and sign a Three Month Exemption Claim Form ST-102 and submit it to the Idaho Transportation Department or county assessor when applying for a title transfer. (2-18-02)
- **a.** If the vehicle was acquired less than three (3) months before the buyer moved to Idaho, it is presumed that it was acquired for use in this state. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Exclusion from the tax applies only to motor vehicles owned by an individual. A privately owned motor vehicle is one which is owned by, and titled to, a private individual or individuals. (3-6-00)
- **05. Military Personnel**. Military personnel receive no special exemption from the Idaho sales and use tax regarding motor vehicles or other tangible personal property. The exemptions discussed in this rule apply equally to military and nonmilitary personnel. A military person with a home of record other than Idaho is considered to be a nonresident. A military person whose home of record is Idaho is considered to be a resident of this state. Example: A military officer with a home of record in Oregon brings a vehicle purchased in Germany to Idaho upon being stationed at Mountain Home Air Force Base. During his first year at Mountain Home, the vehicle is present in Idaho for more than ninety (90) days. The exemption provided to nonresidents, as discussed in Subsection 107.03 of this rule, does not apply. Use tax applies to the fair market value of the vehicle.
  - **106. Tax Paid to Another State.** When a general retail sales tax has been properly imposed by another

state or political subdivision of a state of the United States in an amount equal to or greater than the amount due Idaho, no Idaho tax is due. The credit for state and local taxes paid in another state will be applied first to the state sales tax due and the remainder, if any, will be applied to any local taxes due. (3-30-07)

- **a.** If the amount paid to the other state is less, Idaho tax is due to the extent of the difference, unless some other exemption applies. The owner must provide evidence that the tax was paid to the other state. A registration certificate or title issued by another taxing state is sufficient evidence that tax was imposed at the other state's tax rate.

  (7-1-93)
- **b.** Example: A *Wyoming* resident of another state buys a vehicle *there* in that state for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) two (2) months before moving to Idaho. He presents his *Wyoming* title from the other state to an Idaho county assessor. Since he acquired the vehicle only two (2) months before entering Idaho, no exemption applies. The tax paid to *Wyoming* the other state was three hundred dollars (\$300) when the vehicle was purchased. Credit for this amount is allowed against the five hundred dollars (\$500) tax due Idaho. The assessor will collect two hundred dollars (\$200) tax.
- c. Example: A <u>vehicle was resident of another state</u> purchased <u>by</u> a <u>Colorado resident vehicle</u> two (2) months before moving to Idaho. The applicant paid <u>three four</u> percent (34%) <u>Colorado</u> state sales tax, one and six tenths <u>of one</u> percent (1.6%) city sales tax, and one and six tenths percent (1.6%) county sales tax. The total <u>Colorado</u> general sales tax paid was <u>six seven</u> and two tenths percent (67.2%). Since the Idaho tax rate is <u>five percent</u> (5%) <u>lower</u>, no tax is due Idaho because the amount of tax paid to <u>Colorado</u> the other state exceeds the amount owed Idaho.
- **d.** Example: A resident of Alaska purchases a vehicle immediately prior to moving to Idaho. The purchaser paid a three percent (3%) city sales tax in Alaska. When the purchaser moves to Idaho, credit will be given for the local tax paid against the Idaho state use tax due. (3-30-07)
- **e.** A registration certificate or title issued by another taxing state is proof that tax was paid to the other taxing state. This does not apply to states that do not have a tax, such as Montana and Oregon, or when a state has exempted the motor vehicle from tax. (7-1-93)
- **f.** Example: A church buys and titles a vehicle in Utah. The Utah sales tax law exempts the purchase of the vehicle from sales tax. The church later titles the vehicle in Idaho. Sales tax must be paid on the fair market value of the vehicle when it is titled in Idaho. (7-1-93)
  - **g.** Taxes paid to another nation cannot be offset against the taxes owed to Idaho. (7-1-93)
- **O7. Sales to Family Members.** The tax does not apply to sales of motor vehicles between members of a family related within the second degree of consanguinity. The second degree of consanguinity means only the following blood or formally adopted relatives of the person making the sale: parents, children, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers, and sisters. Relatives of the second degree of consanguinity do not include persons who are related only by marriage. However, when the motor vehicle sold is community property, and it is sold to a person who is related within the second degree of consanguinity to either spouse, the sale is exempt from tax. (7-1-93)
- a. The Sales Tax Exemption Certificate-Transfer Affidavit, Form ST-133, is used to document this exemption. The seller and buyer must complete and sign Form ST-133 and submit it to the Idaho Transportation Department or county assessor along with the title to the vehicle being transferred. If the seller is unable to sign the affidavit a letter from the seller stating the sale was made to a qualified family member may be accepted by the county assessor or his representative and attached to the affidavit. (2-18-02)
  - **b.** This exemption does not apply if the seller did not pay tax when he acquired the vehicle. (7-1-93)
- **c.** Example: An Oregon resident buys a vehicle and titles it in Oregon without paying sales or use tax. Later, he sells the vehicle for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) to his son who is an Idaho resident. No exemption applies, since the father did not pay a sales or use tax when he acquired the vehicle. The son is required to pay Idaho use tax on the ten thousand dollar (\$10,000) purchase price of the vehicle. (4-11-06)

- **O8.** Sales to American Indians. An enrolled American Indian tribal member may buy a motor vehicle exempt from tax if the sale and delivery of the vehicle is made within the boundaries of the Indian Reservation. The Sales Tax Exemption Certificate-Transfer Affidavit, Form ST-133, is used to document this exemption. The seller and the buyer must complete and sign Sales Tax Exemption Certificate Transfer Affidavit Form ST-133 including the name of the tribe, Tribal Identification Number and the name of the Reservation upon which the sale and delivery occurred. The affidavit is then given to the Idaho Transportation Department or county assessor along with the title to the vehicle being transferred. (2-18-02)
- **809. Bulk Sale Transfers.** A transfer or sale of a motor vehicle as part of a bulk sale of assets or property, as defined by Rule 099 of these rules, is exempt from tax. The buyer must complete and sign Sales Tax Exemption Certificate -- Capital Asset Transfer Affidavit Form ST-133CATS to present to the Idaho Transportation Department or county assessor when applying for transfer of title. The buyer must attach a copy of the sales agreement showing the sale qualifies for the exemption on the Form ST-133CATS. (2-18-02)
  - 10. Vehicles and Vessels Purchased in Idaho by Nonresidents for Use Outside Idaho. (5-3-03)
- **a.** Sales to nonresidents of motor vehicles, trailers, vessels, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), off-highway motorcycles, and snowmobiles for use out of this state, even though delivery is made within this state are exempt from tax when:

  (5-3-03)
- i. The motor vehicles, vessels, ATVs, trailers, off-highway motorcycles, and snowmobiles will be taken from the point of delivery in this state directly to a point outside this state; and (5-3-03)
- ii. The motor vehicles, vessels, ATVs, trailers, off-highway motorcycles, and snowmobiles will be registered immediately under the laws of another state or country and will be titled in that state or country, if required to do so by that state or country and will not be used in Idaho more than sixty (60) days in any twelve-month period.

  (5-3-03)
- **b.** To claim the exemption, the buyer must provide the seller a completed and signed Sales Tax Exemption Certificate Vehicle/Vessel Form ST104-MV. (5-3-03)
- **c.** This exemption does not apply to sales of truck campers or to the sales of canoes, kayaks, or inflatable boats regardless of length when sold without a motor. (5-3-03)
- **d.** For purposes of Subsection 107.10 of this rule, an ATV means any recreational vehicle with three (3) or more tires, weighing under eight hundred fifty (850) pounds, forty-eight (48) inches or less in width, having a wheel base of sixty-one (61) inches or less, and traveling on low pressure tires of less than ten (10) psi. (3-20-04)
- **e.** For purposes of Subsection 107.10 of this rule, a vessel means any boat intended to carry one (1) or more persons upon the water which is either: (3-20-04)
  - i. Sold together with a motor; or (5-3-03)
- ii. Eleven (11) feet in length or more, not including canoes, kayaks, or inflatable boats unless such canoe, kayak, or inflatable boat is sold together with attached motor. (5-3-03)
- f. For the purposes of Subsection 107.10 of this rule a trailer must meet the definition of either "trailer" or "utility trailer" found in Sections 49-121 and 49-122 Idaho Code, which is a vehicle without motive power designed for carrying persons or property and for being drawn by a motor vehicle. The term "trailer" includes the specific types of trailers defined in Sections 49-121(6)(a) through 49-121(6)(h), Idaho Code.
- fg. To qualify for this exemption the purchaser must be a nonresident of Idaho. An Idaho resident may form an LLC or other legal entity under the laws of another state. If such an LLC or other entity is formed primarily for the purpose of owning one (1) or more motor vehicles it is not a nonresident. The purchase or use of a motor vehicle in Idaho by such an entity is taxable.

  (3-30-07)
  - 11. Motor Vehicles and Trailers Used in Interstate Commerce. The sale of motor vehicles with a

maximum gross registered weight of over twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds and trailers are exempt from sales or use tax when they are purchased to become part of a fleet of vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan, or similar proportional or pro rata registration system, and they will be used in interstate commerce with at least ten percent (10%) of the fleet miles operated outside this state. The owner must complete and sign the Sales Tax Exemption Certificate - Vehicle/Vessel Form ST-104MV, and provide it to the seller, the Idaho Transportation Department or the county assessor when applying for title transfer. See Rule 101 of these rules. (5-3-03)

12. Related Party Transfers and Sales. Certain transfers and sales of motor vehicles between businesses defined as related parties are exempt from tax. Refer to Rule 099 of these rules. The new owner must complete and sign Sales Tax Exemption Certificate - Capital Asset Transfer Affidavit Form ST-133CATS to submit to the Idaho Transportation Department or county assessor when applying for title transfer. (2-18-02)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 109. AMUSEMENT DEVICES (RULE 109).

- **O1.** Currency Operated Amusement Devices. "Amusement device" means all currency or token operated machines and devices used for amusement or entertainment. This definition includes, but is not limited to, game machines; pool tables; jukeboxes; electronic games; video or cinematic viewing devices; crane, rotary, and pusher machines; and similar devices. It does not include vending machines that are used to sell tangible personal property or noncurrency operated machines or games described in Subsection 109.03 of this rule. (6-30-95)
- **O2. Requirement to Obtain Permit**. The owner or operator of amusement devices is required to obtain a seller's permit if he is making retail sales other than the use of currency or token operated amusement devices. If the owner or operator is not making such other retail sales, he need not obtain a seller's permit, but must obtain an amusement device permit for each device in service. (6-30-95)
- a. From July 1, 1995 to June 30, 2004, owners or operators of amusement devices were required to pay a fee of thirty five dollars (\$35) per machine in service or use. The fee for permits purchased for the year beginning July 1, 2004, is forty-two dollars (\$42). Beginning July 1, 2005, the fee for permits will be thirty-five dollars (\$35). The fee will change by an amount proportional to any change in the sales tax rate. Owners and operators of coin or currency operated amusement devices are required to pay a permit fee for every such device in operation. At a tax rate of 5% this fee is thirty-five dollars (\$35). Section 63-3623B(c), Idaho Code, states that the fee may be increased proportionately to any increase in the tax rate. The formula to apply to calculate the permit fee is seven hundred dollars (\$700) x tax rate. For example, at a tax rate of five percent (5%) tax rate the amount of the permit fee is therefore seven hundred dollars (\$700) x five percent (5%) = thirty-five dollars (\$35). If the tax rate is six percent (6%), the permit fee will be forty-two dollars (\$42). If any change in the tax rate becomes effective on July 1 of a given year, the charge for the permit fee will change proportionately on that date also. If a change in the tax rate occurs on a day other than July 1, the permit fee will be changed on the next July 1 following the change in the tax rate.
- b. Upon receiving the appropriate payment, the Tax Commission will issue to the owner or operator of one or more amusement devices, a permit for each such device in service. A separate permit on each device in service is required. The permit shall be affixed near the currency slot of the machine in such a manner that it is easily visible. Permits are transferable from one person to another after written notice of the transfer is received and acknowledged by the Tax Commission. Permits may be transferred from a machine that is no longer in service to another machine owned or operated by the same person. An amusement device permit is not valid unless the name and business address of the owner or operator is typed or printed in black ink on the face of the permit. (3-16-04)
- **c.** Video amusement devices may have more than one (1) monitor and be designed to be operated independently by more than one (1) person. In such cases a separate permit is required for each monitor. (6-30-95)
- **d.** Amusement device permits must be renewed annually. Annual permits are valid from July 1 through June 30. Permits must be renewed on or before July 1 by the owner or operator of the amusement devices. Amusement devices acquired after July 1 or placed in service before the next July 1 will require the appropriate fee

for a full-year permit. (3-16-04)

- **03. Noncoin Operated Amusement Machines or Games.** Charges for the use of amusement machines or games which are not currency or token operated are subject to tax at the prevailing rate times one hundred percent (100%) of the gross proceeds received for the use of the device. This applies regardless of the method the owner or operator uses to determine the charge, such as by the hour or by the game. The owner or operator of noncurrency or nontoken operated amusement machines or games is required to obtain a seller's permit if he is charging for the use of such machines. (6-30-95)
- **O4.** Cross-Reference. See Rule 095 of these rules regarding purchases of Money-Operated Dispensing Equipment. (3-16-04)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 117. REFUND CLAIMS (RULE 117).

- **01. In General**. Application for refund of sales or use taxes paid in excess of those properly imposed by the Sales Tax Act, shall be in accordance with the provisions of this rule. (7-1-93)
- **O2.** Payment of Sales Tax by a Purchaser to a Vendor. When a purchaser has paid sales tax to a vendor, and later determines that the sales tax was paid in error, the purchaser shall request the refund from the vendor to whom the excess tax was paid. If the purchaser can provide evidence that the vendor has refused to refund the tax, he may then file a claim for refund directly with the Tax Commission. (7-1-93)
- **03.** Payment of Sales or Use Tax Directly to the State. When a person holding a seller's permit or use tax account number has paid tax to the state, and later determines that the sales or use tax was paid in error, he may file a claim for refund directly with the Tax Commission. (7-1-93)
- **04. Bad Debts**. Claims for refunds arising from bad debts must be filed with the Tax Commission in the manner prescribed by Rule 063 of these rules. (5-3-03)
- **05. Mathematical Errors**. When the filer of sales or use tax returns determines that a mathematical error has been made on a previously filed return resulting in overpayment of the proper amount of sales or use taxes, he may file a claim for refund directly with the Tax Commission. (7-1-93)
- **06. Claim Form.** Form TCR, Sales Tax Refund Claim, may be used to file for a refund from the Commission. Although this form is available for this purpose, it is not required. A refund claim, however, must be in writing. The claim must include the full name and address of the claimant and his seller's permit number or use tax account number if the claimant has such a number. The claim must <u>state the amount of the refund</u> include a detailed statement of the reason the claimant believes a refund is due, including a description of the tangible personal property, if any, to which the tax relates and the date on which the claimed excess taxes were paid. If the claimant is the retailer, the claim for refund must include a statement, under oath, that the amount of tax plus interest refunded to the retailer have been or will be refunded by the retailer to the purchaser.

  (4-6-05)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **07. Outstanding Liabilities.** No claim for refund will be approved or issued if the claimant has outstanding liabilities for other taxes administered by the Tax Commission. (5-3-03)
- **08. Payment Under Protest.** It is not necessary for a taxpayer to pay taxes under protest in order to subsequently be able to claim a refund of such taxes. (7-1-93)
- **99. Statute of Limitations.** A claim for refund will not be allowed if it is filed more than three (3) years from the time the payment of the tax was made. The time the payment was made is the date upon which the sales or use tax return relating to the payment was filed with the State Tax Commission. (5-3-03)
  - 10. Taxes Paid in Response to a Notice of Deficiency Determination. A claim for refund may not be

filed relating to any sales or use taxes which have been asserted by a notice of deficiency determination. A taxpayer contending that taxes have been erroneously or illegally collected by the State Tax Commission in conformance with a notice of deficiency determination must seek a refund by using the appeal procedures outlined in Rule 121 of these rules.

(5-3-03)

- 11. Denial of a Refund Claim. All claims for refund or credit will be reviewed by the State Tax Commission's staff. If the staff concludes that all or part of the claim should not be allowed, notice of denial of the claim shall be given to the claimant by return receipt requested delivery. The notice shall include a statement of the reasons for the denial. The notice of denial shall be the equivalent of a notice of deficiency determination. If the taxpayer wishes to seek a redetermination of the denial notice, he must file a petition for redetermination in the manner prescribed in Rule 121 of these rules. A petition for redetermination must be filed no later than sixty-three (63) days from the date upon which the notice of denial is mailed to or served on the claimant. (5-3-03)
  - **12. Interest on Refunds**. See Rule 122 of these rules.

(5-3-03)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 135. SNOWGROOMING AND SNOWMAKING EQUIPMENT (RULE 135).

- O1. Exemption for Snow Equipment. Section 63-3622Y, Idaho Code, exempts the sale, storage, use or other consumption of tangible personal property that will become a component of an aerial passenger tramway and snowgrooming and snowmaking equipment purchased and used by the owner or operator of a downhill ski area. This exemption also extends to sales and purchases of component parts used to build or repair snowgrooming and snowmaking equipment.
- **O2.** Consumable Supplies Not Exempt. This exemption only applies to sales and purchases of equipment that will become a component part of snowmaking or snowgrooming equipment. It does not apply to sales and purchases of fuel, fluids, or other consumable supplies.

## 136. REBATES PAID TO CERTAIN REAL ESTATE DEVELOPERS (RULE 136).

- **Q1.** Rebate of Sales Tax. Section 63-3641, Idaho Code, provides for a rebate of sales taxes to be paid to real estate developers who build a qualifying retail complex at a cost of four million dollars (\$4,000,000) or more and who expend more than eight million dollars (\$8,000,000) for the installation of a highway interchange or for freeway interchange improvements on an interstate highway. For the purposes of this rule, the term "qualifying shopping center" shall mean a qualifying retail complex as specified by Section 63-3641, Idaho Code.
- Oualifying Shopping Center Location. Retailers that are located in a qualifying shopping center must apply for a separate sellers' permit and file a separate sales tax return for that location. A retailer who ceases operation in a qualifying shopping center must notify the Tax Commission and cancel the sellers' permit for that location.
- <u>O3.</u> <u>Confidential Information</u>. Information about an individual store's sales or aggregate sales for stores located in a qualifying shopping center is confidential and may not be released to the public.
- <u>04.</u> <u>Developer Responsibilities.</u> The developer of a qualifying shopping center must provide the names and taxpayer identification numbers of the stores located in the shopping center to the Tax Commission. The developer must also notify the Tax Commission whenever a new retailer begins operation or when a retailer ceases operations in a qualifying shopping center.
- O5. Certifying Expenditures Prior to Rebate Payment. No rebate will be paid unless the Idaho Department of Transportation or an appropriate political subdivision of the state of Idaho has certified as to the amounts actually expended and that the expenditures were made for the purpose of constructing a highway interchange or for freeway interchange improvements.

# 13<del>5</del>7. -- 999. (RESERVED).

# **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

# 35.01.03 - PROPERTY TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0103-0701**

# **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is January 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 63-105A, Idaho Code, and the repeal of Section 63-602FF, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 14, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 802:** Change is needed to be consistent with legislative changes. The changes implement HB79 providing a definition and removing new construction within revenue allocation areas from the budget growth formula until the revenue allocation area is dissolved.

**Rule 803:** Change is needed to be consistent with legislative changes. The changes implement HB1 (8/2006) and HB197 providing directions for calculation of the maximum property tax funds for tort funds for school districts.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: In compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increase is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is appropriate for the following reasons:

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Not applicable, this rule does not result in any measurable fiscal impact beyond that resulting from the legislation.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Alan Dornfest at (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Alan Dornfest Tax Policy Supervisor State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36 Boise, ID, 83722-0410 (208) 334-7530

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0103-0701

# 802. BUDGET CERTIFICATION RELATING TO NEW CONSTRUCTION AND ANNEXATION (RULE 802).

Sections 63-802, and 63-301A, Idaho Code.

(3-30-07)

## 01. Definitions.

(4-5-00)

- **a.** "Change of Land Use Classification." "Change of land use classification" shall mean any change in land use resulting in a category change and in an increase in taxable land value to be reflected on the current property roll.

  (3-30-07)
- i. This increase in value due to change of land use classification shall be reported on the new construction roll in the year in which the new category appears on the current property roll unless the increase in value was previously included on the new construction roll. (3-30-07)
- ii. The increase in taxable land value due to change of land use classification shall be computed by subtracting the taxable land value, had the land remained in its previous use category, from the taxable land value in the current use category. (3-30-07)
- iii. When the land value, had the land remained in its previous use category, is less than the land value for a previous year in which value for the same property was included in the value reported on the new construction roll, the value calculated in Subparagraph 802.01.a.ii. of this Rule shall be reduced by the value included on any previous new construction roll. (3-30-07)
- <u>b.</u> "Incremental Value as of December 31, 2006." "Incremental value as of December 31, 2006" means the total of the increment values on the property roll, subsequent property roll, missed property roll, and operating property roll in 2006. (1-1-07)T
- **bc.** "Nonresidential Structure." "Nonresidential structure" shall mean any structure listed by the assessor in any <u>secondary</u> category not described as residential, manufactured homes, or improvements to manufactured homes <u>pursuant to in Rule 130 511</u> of these rules.

  (5-3-03)(1-1-07)T
- New Construction Roll Listing. "Listing" shall mean a summary report of the net taxable value of property listed on the new construction roll. This listing shall include the taxable value of qualifying new construction throughout each taxing district or unit, including but shall not include otherwise qualifying new construction, within the value of which will be included in the increment value of any revenue allocation area within any urban renewal district encompassed by the taxing district or unit. This report is to summarize the value reported on the new construction roll by taxing district or unit. Taxing districts and units shall be listed in the same order that is used for the certification of value required pursuant to Section 63-510(1), Idaho Code. When a taxing district proves new construction described by Section 63-301A(3), Idaho Code, has never been included on a new construction roll, the county assessor must list that property on the immediate next new construction roll at the value proven by the taxing district. Any such additional new construction must also be separately listed for each taxing district or unit, and the separate listing must show the year or years of the new construction roll that would have been appropriate for this additional new construction. The taxing district has the burden of proving the new construction was omitted from any new construction roll and the value that would have been listed for that property had it been listed on the appropriate new construction roll. No taxing district shall ever be granted any increase in budget authority greater than the amount that would have resulted had the property been listed on the appropriate new construction roll. Regardless of the year that the new construction should have been listed on the appropriate new construction roll, additional budget authority resulting from new construction previously omitted from a new construction roll and listed on the current year's new construction roll shall be permitted only if the taxing district is in compliance with the budget hearing notification requirements of Section 63-802A, Idaho Code, for the current year.  $\frac{(7-1-99)}{(1-1-07)T}$ 
  - **Manufactured Housing.** "Installation" of new or used manufactured housing shall mean capturing

the net taxable market value of the improvement(s) that did not previously exist within the county.

(7-1-97)

**Partial New Construction Values.** Except as provided in Subsection 802.05 of this rule, *F*the net taxable market value attributable directly to new construction shall be reported on the new construction roll in the tax year it is placed on the current assessment roll. Except as provided in Subsection 802.05 of this rule, *Aany* increase in a nonresidential parcel's taxable value, due to new construction, shall be computed by subtracting the previous year's or years' partial taxable value(s) from the current taxable value. If any of this difference is attributable to inflation, such value, except as provided in Subsection 802.05 of this rule, shall not be included on the new construction roll.

Example: Assume a partially completed, nonresidential improvement was assessed at ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) as of January 1, 2004. The improvement was occupied February 2, 2004. Assume the ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) value was on the 2004 new construction roll. Assume that in 2005 the improvement is assessed at ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000). Assume there has been no inflation. The value that can be reported on the 2005 new construction roll is calculated as follows:

2005 Value	\$90,000
2004 Value Already Reported on New Construction Roll	<\$10,000>
2005 New Construction Roll Value (this improvement)	\$80,000

(4-11-06)(1-1-07)T

# 05. Change in *Exemption* Status.

(5-3-03)(1-1-07)T

- **a.** A previously exempt improvement which becomes taxable shall not be included on the new construction roll, unless the loss of the exemption occurs during the year in which the improvement was constructed or unless the improvement has lost the exemption provided in Section 63-602W, Idaho Code. (7-1-99)
- b. For any rural subdivision parcels of land changing use as a result of removal of the exemption under Section 63-602FF, Idaho Code, the increase in value resulting from the removal of this exemption shall not be listed on the new construction roll when the increase in value was already listed on any previous year's new construction roll. Upon receipt by the State Tax Commission of a resolution recommending adoption of an ordinance for termination of a revenue allocation area under Section 50-2903(5), Idaho Code, any positive difference of the most current increment value minus the "incremental value as of December 31, 2006," shall be added to the appropriate year's new construction roll. When this information is received after the fourth Monday in July, this positive net increment value shall be added to the following year's new construction roll.

  (5-3-03)(1-1-07)T
- **Value of Annexation to Exclude New Construction.** When determining the maximum property tax funded budget that may be certified under Section 63-802, Idaho Code, the annexation value shall include all taxable value within the annexed area except the value of new construction, outside revenue allocation areas. Except for new construction within a revenue allocation area,  $F_{th}$  evalue of new construction within the annexed area shall be excluded from the value of the annexed area but included on the new construction roll for the taxing district annexing the area where the property is located, thereby preventing double counting of new construction value within the annexed area.

  (4-11-06)(1-1-07)T
- **07. Notification of New Construction Roll and Annexation Values**. On or before the fourth Monday in July, each county auditor must report the net taxable values on the new construction roll and within annexed areas for each appropriate taxing district or unit to that taxing district or unit. (3-20-04)
- **803.** BUDGET CERTIFICATION -- DOLLAR CERTIFICATION FORM (L-2 FORM) (RULE 803). Sections 63-602G(5), 63-802, 63-803, 63-3029B(4), and 63-3638(10), Idaho Code. (4-6-05)(1-1-07)T

**01. Definitions**. (4-5-00)

**a.** "Dollar Certification Form" (L-2 Form). The Dollar Certification Form (L-2 Form) is the form used to submit to the State Tax Commission the budget request from each Board of County Commissioners for each taxing district. This form shall be presumed a true and correct representation of the budget previously prepared and

approved by a taxing district. The budget will be presumed adopted in accordance with pertinent statutory provisions unless clear and convincing documentary evidence establishes that a budget results in an unauthorized levy and action as provided in Section 63-809, Idaho Code. (4-6-05)

- **b.** "Prior Year's Market Value for Assessment Purposes." Prior year's market value for assessment purposes shall mean the value used to calculate levies during the immediate prior year. This value shall be used for calculating the permanent budget increase permitted for cities, pursuant to Section 63-802(1)(f), Idaho Code, *and for fire districts, pursuant to Section 31-1420(3), Idaho Code*.

  (4-5-00)(1-1-07)T
- **c.** "Annual Budget." For the purpose of calculating dollar amount increases permitted pursuant to Section 63-802(1), Idaho Code, the annual budget shall include any amount approved as a result of an election held pursuant to Sections 63-802(1)(f), or 63-802(1)(g), or 31-1420(3), Idaho Code, provided that said amount is certified on the L-2 Form as part of the budget request. If the amount certified does not include the entire amount approved as a result of the election held pursuant to Sections 63-802(1)(f), or 63-802(1)(g), and 31-1420(3) Idaho Code, then the amount not used shall be added to the foregone increase amount determined for the taxing district. See the following example.

CERTIFIED PROPERTY TAX BUDGET LIBRARY DISTRICT*				
	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002
Annual Budget	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,700	\$11,621
3% Increase	\$0	\$300	\$321	\$349
Subtotal	\$10,000	\$10,300	\$11,021	\$11,970
1999 Election Amount	\$0	\$400 of \$1,000	\$600 of \$1,000	\$0
Certified Budget	\$10,000	\$10,700	\$11,621	\$11,970

\*The Library District with zero dollars (\$0) in value for new construction and/or annexation approves an additional budget amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in 1999, but only certifies four hundred dollars (\$400) for the year 2000. Note the example does not account for any foregone amount resulting from the district's decision to not increase its budget by three percent (3%) in 1997, 1998 or 1999. (4-6-05)

- **d.** "Property Tax Funded Budget." Property tax funded budget means that portion of any taxing district's budget certified to the Board of County Commissioners, approved by the State Tax Commission, and subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code. (3-20-04)
- e. "Recovered/Recaptured Property Tax List." Recovered/recaptured property tax list means the report sent by the county auditor to the appropriate taxing district(s)/unit(s) by the first Monday in August and to the State Tax Commission with the L-2 Forms, listing the amount of revenue distributed to each appropriate taxing district/unit as recovery of property tax under Section 63-602G(5), Idaho Code, and/or as recapture of property tax under Section 63-3029B(4), Idaho Code, during the twelve (12) month period ending June 30 each year. (4-6-05)
- f. "Taxing District/Unit." Taxing district/unit means any governmental entity with authority to levy property taxes as defined in Section 63-201, Idaho Code, and those noncountywide governmental entities without authority to levy property taxes but on whose behalf such taxes are levied or allocated by an authorized entity such as the county or city for such entities as county road and bridge funds or urban renewal agencies, respectively.

(4-6-05)

- g. "New Taxing District." For property tax budget and levy purposes, new taxing district means any taxing district for which no property tax revenue has previously been levied. See the Idaho Supreme Court case of Idaho County Property Owners Association, Inc. v. Syringa General Hospital District, 119 Idaho 309, 805 P.2d 1233 (1991).
- **02. Budget Certification**. The required budget certification shall be made to each Board of County Commissioners representing each county in which the district is located by submitting the completed L-2 Form

prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

(4-6-05)

- **O3. Budget** <u>Certification</u> Requested Documents. <u>Using the completed L-2 Form, Ee</u>ach <u>Bb</u>oard of <u>Cc</u>ounty <u>Cc</u>ommissioners shall submit to the State Tax Commission a budget request for each taxing district in the county that certifies a budget request to finance the property tax funded portion of its annual budget. The <u>Bb</u>oard of <u>Cc</u>ounty <u>Cc</u>ommissioners shall <u>not submit other documents unless requested to do so only submit documentation specifically requested</u> by the State Tax Commission. <u>Documents not to be submitted to the State Tax Commission unless requested include newspaper advertisements, school district budget books, entire budget documents, other than the budget request, and similar documents.

  (4-6-05)(1-1-07)T</u>
- **04. L-2 Form Contents**. Each taxing district or unit completing an L-2 Form shall include the following information on or with this form. (3-20-04)
- **a.** "Department or Fund." Identify the department or fund for which the taxing district is requesting a budget for the current tax year. (4-5-00)
- **b.** "Total Approved Budget." List the dollar amount of the total budget for each department or fund identified. The amounts must include all money that a taxing district has a potential to spend at the time the budget is set, regardless of whether funds are to be raised from property tax. (4-5-00)
- c. "Cash Forward Balance." List any money brought forward from a prior year to help fund the approved budget. Cash forward balance (Column 3) is the difference between the total approved budget (Column 2) and the sum of amounts reported as other revenue not shown in Column 5 (Column 4), agricultural equipment property tax replacement (Column 5), and balance to be levied (Column 6). (3-15-02)
- **d.** "Other Revenue not Shown in Column 5." List the revenue included in the total approved budget to be derived from sources other than property tax or money brought forward from a prior year. For example, sales tax revenue is included.

  (3-15-02)
  - e. "Property Tax Replacement." Report the sum of only the following: (4-6-05)
- i. The amount of money received annually under Section 63-3638(10), Idaho Code, as replacement revenue for the agricultural equipment exemption under Section 63-602EE, Idaho Code—(For school districts, the amount of money to be included is only the appropriate amount of such money to be subtracted, as provided in Subsection 803.06 of this rule, not all such money.);

  (4-6-05)(1-1-07)T
- ii. The amount of money received as recovery of property tax exemption under Section 63-602G(5), Idaho Code, and listed on the "Recovered/recaptured property tax list"; (4-6-05)
- iii. The amount of money received as recapture of the property tax benefit under Section 63-3029B(4), Idaho Code, and listed on the "Recovered/recaptured property tax list"; and (4-6-05)
- iv. The appropriate amount of money listed on the statement and distributed to the county and each appropriate city under Section 63-2603, Idaho Code, as county property tax relief and detention facility debt retirement. (4-6-05)
- **f.** "Balance to be Levied." Report the amount of money included in the total approved budget to be derived from property tax. (3-15-02)
  - **g.** Other Information. Provide the following additional information. (4-5-00)
  - i. The name of the taxing district or unit; (3-20-04)
- ii. The date of voter approval (if required by statute) and effective period for any new or increased fund which is exempt from the budget limitations in Section 63-802, Idaho Code; (4-5-00)
  - iii. The signature, date signed, printed name, address, and phone number of an authorized

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representative of the taxing district; and

(5-3-03)

- iv. For a hospital district which has held a public hearing, a signature certifying such action. (4-5-00)
- **h.** Attached Information. Other information submitted to the county auditor with the L-2 Form. (4-6-05)
- i. For all taxing districts, L-2 worksheet. (3-20-04)
- ii. For newly formed recreation or auditorium districts, a copy of the petition forming the district showing any levy restrictions imposed by that petition. (3-20-04)
- iii. For any new ballot measures (bonds, overrides, permanent overrides, supplemental maintenance and operations funds, and plant facility funds), notice of election and election results. (3-20-04)
  - iv. Voter approved fund tracker.

(3-20-04)

- v. For fire districts, a copy of any new agreements with utility companies providing for payment of property taxes by that utility company to that fire district. (3-20-04)
- vi. For any city with city funded library operations and services at the time of consolidation with any library district, each such city must submit a certification to the Board of County Commissioners and the Board of the Library District reporting the dedicated portion of that city's property tax funded library fund budget and separately reporting any portion of its property tax funded general fund budget used to fund library operations or services at the time of the election for consolidation with the library district. (3-20-04)
- vii. For any library district consolidating with any city that had any portion of its property tax funded budget(s) dedicated to library operations or services at the time of the election for consolidation, each such library district must submit to the Board of County Commissioners a copy of the certification from that city reporting the information provided for in Subparagraph 803.04.h.vi., of this rule. (4-6-05)
- **05. Special Provisions for Fire Districts Levying Against Operating Property.** To prevent double counting of public utility property values, for any year following the first year in which any fire district increases its budget using the provision of Section 63-802(2), Idaho Code, such fire district shall not be permitted further increases under this provision unless the following conditions are met: (3-30-01)
- **a.** The fire district and public utility have entered into a new agreement of consent to provide fire protection to the public utility; and (3-30-01)
  - **b.** Said new agreement succeeds the original agreement; and (3-30-01)
- c. In the first year in which levies are certified following the new agreement, the difference between the current year's taxable value of the consenting public utility and public utility value used in previous budget calculations made pursuant to this section is used in place of the current year's taxable value of the consenting public utility. (3-30-01)
- **O6.** Special Provisions for Property Tax Replacement Pursuant to Section 63-3638, Idaho Code. Property tax replacement monies received pursuant to Section 63-3638, Idaho Code, must be reported on the L-2 Form. For all taxing districts except school districts, these monies must be subtracted from the "balance to be levied". For school districts, only "appropriate property tax replacement monies" are to be subtracted. The reduced balance shall be used to compute levies, but the maximum amount permitted pursuant to Sections 63-802 and 33-802, Idaho Code, shall be based on the sum of these property tax replacement monies and the amount actually levied.

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**a.** "Appropriate property tax replacement monies" is determined only for school districts and means all property tax replacement monies received pursuant to Section 63-3638, Idaho Code, except an amount equal to

four thousands (0.004) multiplied by the year 2000 value of property exempted in Section 63-602EE, Idaho Code. If the amount so determined is greater than the total amount of property tax replacement monies, no property tax replacement monies received pursuant to Section 63-3638, Idaho Code, shall be subtracted from the school district maintenance and operation's (M&O) budget.

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- **ba.** After receipt from the counties of the year 2000 tax charges on property exempted in Section 63-602EE, Idaho Code, but no later than July 23, 2001, the State Tax Commission shall notify each county clerk of the amount of property tax replacement money to be paid to each taxing district in that county. Beginning in 2002 and thereafter, tThe State Tax Commission shall, by the fourth Monday of July, notify each county clerk if the amount of property tax replacement money to be paid to a taxing district or the "appropriate amount of property tax replacement money" to be paid to any school district changes from the amount paid in the preceding year. In 2002, By the first Monday of May, The State Tax Commission shall also notify each county clerk of the amount of the "appropriate property tax replacement monies" to be subtracted before computing the M&O levy for each school district further notify each school district and each county clerk of any changes in the amount of property tax replacement money to be received by that school district pursuant to Section 63-3638(10), Idaho Code, as amended by the First Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature.

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- **eb.** By no later than the first Monday of August of each year, each county clerk shall notify each appropriate taxing district or unit of the total amount of property tax replacement monies that will be received-and shall further notify each school district of the appropriate amount to be subtracted before the M&O levy is computed.

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- The subtraction required in Subsection 803.06 of this Rule may be from any fund(s) subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code, and from school district maintenance and operation funds made pursuant to Section 33-802, Idaho Code. For school districts this subtraction must be first from funds subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code, then from other property tax funded budgets.

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  - **ed.** Levy limits shall be tested against the amount actually levied.

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- **O7. Special Provisions for Library Districts Consolidating with Any City's Existing Library Operations or Services.** For any library district consolidating with any city's existing library operations or services, the amount of the dedicated property tax funded general fund and library fund budgets certified by the city under Subparagraph 803.04.h.vi., of this rule shall be added to that library district's property tax funded budget in effect at the time of the election for consolidation. This total shall be used as this district's property tax funded budget for the most recent year of the three (3) years preceding the current tax year for the purpose of deciding the property tax funded budget that may be increased as provided by Section 63-802, Idaho Code. (4-6-05)
- **O8.** Special Provisions for Cities with Existing Library Operations or Services Consolidating with Any Library District. For any city with existing library operations or services at the time of consolidation with any library district, the amount of the dedicated property tax funded library fund budget included in the certification by the city under Subparagraph 803.04.h.vi., of this rule shall be subtracted from that city's total property tax funded budget in effect at the time of the election for the consolidation. This difference shall be used as this city's property tax funded budget for the most recent year of the three (3) years preceding the current tax year for the purpose of deciding the property tax funded budget that may be increased as provided by Section 63-802, Idaho Code. (4-6-05)
- **O9.** Special Provisions for Calculating Total Levy Rate for Taxing Districts or Units with Multiple Funds. Whenever the "Calculated Levy Rate" column of the L-2 Form indicates that a levy rate has been calculated for more than one (1) fund for any taxing district or unit, the "Column Total" entry must be the sum of the levy rates calculated for each fund. Prior to this summation, the levy rates to be summed must be rounded or truncated at the ninth decimal place. No additional rounding is permitted for the column total. (4-6-05)
- 10. Special Provisions for School Districts' Tort Funds Hypothetical New Construction Levy. To calculate the new construction portion of the allowed annual increase in a school district's tort fund under Section 63-802(1), Idaho Code, calculate a Hypothetical New Construction Levy. To calculate this levy, sum the school district's tort fund for the prior year and the agricultural equipment replacement revenue subtracted from that tort fund, then divide this sum by the school district's taxable value used to determine the tort fund's levy for the prior year. For the current year, the allowed tort fund increase for new construction is this Hypothetical New Construction Levy times

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the current year's new construction roll value for the school district.

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- 11. Special Provisions for Interim Abatement Districts. When an interim abatement district transitions into a formally defined abatement district under Section 39-2812, Idaho Code, the formally defined abatement district shall not be considered a new taxing district as defined in Paragraph 803.01.g. of this rule for the purposes of Section 63-802, Idaho Code. For the formally defined abatement district, the annual budget subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code, shall be the amount of property tax revenue approved for the interim abatement district.

  (1-1-07)
- 12. Cross Reference for School Districts with Tuition Funds. For any school district certifying a tuition fund levy in 2006 or any year thereafter, see Section 33-1408, Idaho Code, as amended by the First Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature, for clarification that the amount of property tax revenue for a tuition fund is not subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code. (1-1-07)T

# **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

# 35.01.03 - IDAHO PROPERTY TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0103-0702**

## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105 and 63-105A.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

- **Rule 006** is being amended to update references to appropriate and current editions of guides used to determine the values of recreational and certain other vehicles. Amendments also update the reference to the appropriate edition of the register used in the valuation of railcars.
- **Rule 131** is being amended to provide follow-up procedures when categories in compliance in March final ratio study are discovered to be out of compliance following completion of county board of equalization action.
- **Rules 205 and 210** are being repealed and replaced with a new Rule 205 to adopt criteria that can be applied more consistently to differentiate real and personal property and to provide that net profits of mines are no longer considered personal property.
- **Rule 217** is being amended to provide a cross reference and an example of an acceptable procedure for the calculation of the contributory value of income tax credits for Section 42 housing, being consistent with the directions of the Idaho Supreme Court in the case of Brandon Bay Limited Partnership v. Payette County.
- **Rule 314** is being amended to provide cross references, provide for timely availability of income/expense data on income producing property for completion of appraisals for the property roll, and to identify data to include for valuation of Section 42 projects.
- **Rule 315** is needed to be consistent with legislative changes resulting from HB 1 (8/2006). Proposed amendments restrict the Commission's responsibility to provide school district adjusted values to apply to the Boise School District only.
- **Rule 404** is being amended to provide cross references, clarify what property at thermal energy electricity generation facilities is new construction, move apportionment directions to Rule 405, and correct pipeline mileage reporting directions.
- **Rule 405** is being amended to provide cross references and directions relating to apportionment of property at thermal energy electricity generation facilities.
- **Rule 415** is being amended to change the date for county treasurers to submit property tax rate information that is used to calculate the tax rates applicable to railcar fleets under \$500,000 (change is from November 1 to November 15).
- **Rule 509** is being amended to provide a cross reference to rules and statutes that provide procedures for correction of taxable values resulting from errors after county commissioners have taken action under Section 63-809, I.C. and to limit school district abstracts to the Boise School District to be consistent with HB1 (8/2006).
- **Rule 510** is being amended to provide directions for assigning categories for homesites and when property has multiple uses.

Rule 511 is being amended to provide directions for assigning categories for improvement categories with multiple uses.

**Rule 603** is being proposed to implement the requirements of HB 69 to provide directions for calculating the value of the portion of property not permitted the religious property exemption. This occurs whenever that portion equals more than 3% of the value of the entire property. Methods are to be comparable with those used to value the taxable portion of property otherwise exempt under 63-602C, Idaho Code.

**Rule 609** is being amended to correct references and add examples for clarification of homeowner's exemption for partial ownership.

Rule 610 is being amended to correct references to Rule 609.

Rule 645 is being amended to provide directions for assigning categories for homesites.

**Rule 700** is being amended to add cross reference and example for clarification of calculating benefits for partial ownership. (Reference relates to public benefit in SB1157.)

**Rule 701** is a new rule being promulgated to provide procedures for county officials and claimants to provide documentation necessary to verify or to facilitate subsequent electronic verification that claimants are lawfully present in the United States. Requirements are to comply with the provisions of SB 1157.

**Rule 717** is being amendment to comply with the requirements of SB 1157 and require the claimant to present information enabling the state tax commission to prove that the claimant is lawfully present in the United States.

Rule 804 is being amended to correct cross references and implement HB1 (8/2006), removing allocation of part of taxes levied on urban renewal district increments to school districts.

**Rule 805** is being amended to implement HB1 (8/2006), restricting the budget increase penalty for school districts so that it applies only to their tort funds.

**Rule 809** is being proposed to provide a timeline for state tax commission review and approval, and procedures for correction of taxable values resulting from errors when county commissioners take action under Section 63-809, I C

**Rule 811** is a new rule proposed to clarify the responsibilities of county auditors to compute the total tax charge by taxing district and the responsibilities of county treasurers to compute individual property tax due on each parcel of property.

Rule 966 is being amended to correct a cross reference and wording to be consistent with other rules.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking:

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Alan Dornfest (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

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DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Alan Dornfest Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Blvd., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7544

# THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0103-0702

#### 006. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE (RULE 006).

Unless provided otherwise, any reference in these rules to any document identified in Rule 006 of these rules shall constitute the full incorporation into these rules of that document for the purposes of the reference, including any notes and appendices therein. The term "documents" includes codes, standards, or rules adopted by an agency of the state or of the United States or by any nationally recognized organization or association. (5-3-03)

- **O1. Availability of Reference Material**. Copies of the documents incorporated by reference into these rules are available at main office of the State Tax Commission as listed in Rule 005 of these rules. (5-3-03)
- **O2. Documents Incorporated by Reference**. The following documents are incorporated by reference into these rules: (5-3-03)
- **a.** "Standard on Ratio Studies" published in 1999 by the International Association of Assessing Officers. (5-3-03)
- **b.** "Recreation Vehicle Guide of the National Automobile Dealers Association" published in 20067 for the September through December period by the National Appraisal Guides Incorporated.

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- **c.** "Van/Truck Conversion and Limousine Appraisal Guide of the National Automobile Dealers Association" published in 20067 for the September through December period by the National Appraisal Guides Incorporated.

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- **d.** "Official Railway Equipment Register" published for the last three (3) quarters in 20067 and the first quarter in 20078 by R. E. R. Publishing Corporation, Agent as a publication of Commonwealth Business Media, Inc.
- **e.** "Forest Habitat Types of Northern Idaho: A Second Approximation" published by the Government Printing Office for the U. S. Forest Service in 1991, General Technical Report INT-236, written by Cooper, Stephen V., Neiman, Kenneth E., Rev, David W., and Roberts, Kenneth E. (4-6-05)
- **f.** "Forest Habitat Types of Central Idaho" published by the Government Printing Office for the Intermountain Forest and Range Experimentation Station of the U. S. Forest Service in 1981, General Technical Report INT-114, written by Kittams, Jay A., Pfister, Robert D., Ryker, Russell A., and Steele, Robert. (5-3-03)
- **g.** "Yield of Even-Aged Stands of Ponderosa Pine" published by the Government Printing Office for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in 1938, Technical Bulletin No. 630. (5-3-03)
- h. "Second-Growth Yield, Stand, and Volume Table for the Western White Pine Type" published by the Government Printing Office for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in 1932, Technical Bulletin No. 323.

(5-3-03)

i. "Manual of Instructions for the Survey of the Public Lands of the United States" published by the Government Printing Office for the Bureau of Land Management in 1973, Technical Bulletin No. 6. (5-3-03)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

131.	USE OF RATIO STUDY TO TEST FOR EQUALIZATION IN COUNTIES (RULE 131).	
Section	63-109, Idaho Code.	(3-30-07)

- assist in the equalization of assessments of property within and among the primary categories established in Rule 130 of these rules. The ratio study shall be conducted in accordance with the "Standard on Ratio Studies" referenced in Rule 006 of these rules. The annual ratio study shall test assessments as of January 1 of each year. Except when sales or appraisals must be added or deleted to improve representativeness, sales used will be those occurring within each county between October 1 of the year preceding the year for which assessments are to be tested and September 30 of the year for which assessment purposes for the year for which assessments are to be tested, to compute ratios to be analyzed. The State Tax Commission may use sales from extended time periods and may add appraisals when data is lacking. The State Tax Commission may delete sales when necessary to improve representativeness. The study shall be completed in February following the end of the period studied. The appropriate ratio study statistical measure of level shall be the median for equalization ratio studies conducted beginning October 1, 2006.

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- **02. Tested For Equalization**. Beginning with the 2007 ratio study to be complete prior to the first Monday in April, 2008, categories to be tested for equalization purposes are the primary categories, described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules, provided adequate samples can be obtained. (3-30-07)
- **O3.** Follow-Up Ratio Study. When the annual ratio study provided in Subsections 131.01 and 131.02 of this rule, discloses that assessments in any primary category as described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules are out of compliance with the equalization standards of this rule, the State Tax Commission shall conduct a follow-up ratio study. The When indicated, based on criteria in Paragraph 131.03.a. and 131.03.b. of this rule, a follow-up ratio study shall be conducted to test the assessments for January 1 of the year following the year tested by the annual ratio study and shall be based on property sales occurring during the calendar year immediately preceding that date. A follow-up ratio study shall be indicated whenever:
- a. The annual ratio study, provided in Subsections 131.01 and 131.02 of this rule, discloses that assessments in any primary category as described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules are out of compliance with the equalization standards of this rule; or
- b. The State Tax Commission is informed after the county board of equalization adjourns and before the state board of equalization adjourns of the implementation of assessment changes likely to result in a finding that a primary category found in compliance with equalization standards following the annual ratio study would be found out of compliance with these standards for the current year's assessments.
- 04. Notice of Follow-Up Ratio Study. The State Tax Commission shall notify the county assessor of the reason for and results of the follow-up ratio study. If the follow-up ratio study is conducted as provided in Paragraph 131.03.b. of this rule, the notice shall be sent to the county board of equalization and county assessor and shall describe the assessment changes that resulted in the need for the follow-up ratio study. The notice shall indicate whether any adjustments will be considered by the State Tax Commission at its next equalization meeting in August based on either the annual, or any follow-up ratio study, and the reason for the proposed adjustments. (3-30-07)(
- **045. Use of Ratio Study Results.** The results of the annual ratio study or any follow-up ratio study shall be one (1) source of information upon which the State Tax Commission may rely when testing assessments for equalization purposes under Section 63-109, Idaho Code. When the results of any ratio study on any primary category, described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules, show, with reasonable statistical certainty as defined in Subsection 131.079 of this rule, that the appropriate measure of level of any primary category studied is

less than ninety percent (90%) or greater than one hundred ten percent (110%), the assessment of property within that primary category may be considered not equalized. When this occurs, the State Tax Commission may, at its annual meeting commencing on the second Monday in August, order the county auditor to adjust the value of all property in any primary category or subcategory included in the analysis conducted in an amount the State Tax Commission finds necessary to accomplish equalization of assessments of property. Within any primary category except as provided in Subsection 131.056 of this rule, adjustment will not be considered for any secondary category, described in Rule 510, 511, or 512 of these rules, that does not have at least one (1) observation in the ratio study conducted for that primary category.

- **056.** Exception from Requirement for at Least One Observation for Use of Secondary Category in Adjusted Value Determination. Properties identified as secondary categories 10 and 31 rarely sell separately from farms and therefore do not appear in any ratio study. However, the level of assessment typically is similar to that of other rural residential property, including property in secondary categories 12, 15, 34, and 37. For any ratio study where there is an adjustment to be made to the assessed values in the residential designation, such adjustment shall be applied to any assessed value in secondary category 10, provided there is at least one observation (sale) of property identified in either secondary category 12 or 15. Such adjustment shall also be applied to any assessed value in secondary category 31, provided there is at least one (1) observation (sale) of property identified in either secondary category 34 or 37.
- **067. Use of Alternate Ratio Study.** When the follow-up ratio study required by Subsection 131.03 of this rule does not measure the true assessment level, the State Tax Commission may consider adjustment based on the most recent annually conducted ratio study or other information relevant to equalization. If the State Tax Commission has reason to question the representativeness of the sample used in an annual or follow-up ratio study conducted on any primary category, the State Tax Commission may delay implementation of any order to adjust property values until two (2) successive years' ratio studies fail to produce an appropriate measure of level between ninety percent (90%) and one hundred ten percent (110%).
- **078. Submission of Additional Information**. Any party may petition the State Tax Commission to consider any information or studies relevant to equalization. The petition shall include a description of the information to be presented and the petitioner's conclusions drawn from the information. (4-5-95)
- **082. Reasonable Statistical Certainty.** For the purposes of Rule 131 and equalization pursuant to Section 63-109, Idaho Code, "reasonable statistical certainty" that any primary category is not equalized shall mean that the appropriate measure of level determined by the ratio study for the primary category must be provably less than ninety percent (90%) or greater than one hundred ten percent (110%) of market value for assessment purposes. Such a determination shall occur if: (3-30-07)
- **a.** The appropriate measure of level for the primary category(ies) being tested is less than ninety percent (90%) or greater than one hundred ten percent (110%) and a ninety percent (90%) two-tailed confidence interval around the appropriate measure of level fails to include ninety percent (90%) or one hundred ten percent (110%); or (3-30-07)
- **b.** The appropriate measure of level for the primary category(ies) being tested has been less than ninety percent (90%) or greater than one hundred ten percent (110%) as determined by the most recent previous two (2) ratio studies on the primary category(ies) and an eighty percent (80%) two-tailed confidence interval around the appropriate measure of level fails to include ninety percent (90%) or one hundred ten percent (110%). No ratio study *conducted* completed prior to *January* August 31, 2007 will be considered as one of the most recent previous two (2) ratio studies.
- **6910.** Cross References. The primary categories are described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules, and the secondary categories are described in Rules 510, 511, and 512 of these rules. (3-30-07)

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205. PERSONAL PROPERTY -- DEFINED DEFINITIONS AND GUIDELINES (RULE 205).

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		63-302, 63-304, and 63-309, Idaho Code. Personal property can be moved with	
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	01.	Equities in State Land. Land purchased from the state under contract is personal p	
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		atsoever kind on land. The term improvements does not include the items identifie	
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	02.	Reservations and Easements. Reservations include reserved mineral rights and di	vided ownership
of prop	erty right	ts. Easements convey use but not ownership. Personal Property. Personal prope	
goods,	chattels, s	tocks and bonds, equities in state lands, easements, reservations and leasehold real p	properties.
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	03.	Machinery, Tools, and Equipment. Mechanical apparatuses, instruments, or	
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		vements or Fixtures. Improvements or fixtures to real property include that proper	
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	<u>c.</u>	Property which increases the market value or productivity of the land on a relat	
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!	<u>q.</u>	Booths for welding are personal property.	()
]	<u>r.</u>	Bucket elevators whether open or enclosed and including casing are personal property.	()
		Bulkheads and external walls that enclose additional land area within a building perimeter alkheads and walls are real property if they meet the criteria established in the general rule about the criteria established in the crite	
1	<u>t.</u>	Buildings including specially constructed buildings are real property.	()
		Cable whether above or below ground for transmission of information, data, power oal property.	r other
:	<u>v.</u>	Coal handling systems (See Boilers).	()
		Cold storage - built-in cold storage rooms within building are real property, cold pment is personal property.	storage ()
;	<u>X.</u>	Conduit and vaults used in telephonic services when underground are real property.	()
:	<u>y.</u>	Control booths are personal property.	()
tunnels th	nat meet	Conveyor, conveyor housing, structure, steel foundations that support conveyors or control the definition above are real property otherwise they are personal property, conveyor units increase and assets that don't meet the definition of real property above are personal property.	
i	aa.	Coolers portable walk-in coolers are personal property.	()
	<b>bb.</b> are real <sub>l</sub>	Cooling towers the primary use of which is the comfort of occupants within buildings or otloroperty, other coolers are personal property.	<u>ner real</u>
!	cc.	Cranes are personal property.	()
		Crane runways including supporting columns or structure whether inside or outside of building	
meet the	definitio	n of real property above are real property, otherwise they are personal property, crane runwa ing on tresses or can be moved are personal property.	iys that

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ee.	Dock levelers are personal property.	(
ff. heating, coolin	Drying rooms that meet the definition above for real property are g, environmental control systems, equipment and other assets are personal	
gg.	Dust catchers are personal property.	<u>(</u>
<u>hh.</u>	Farm equipment is personal property.	(
<u>ii.</u>	Fencing whether for security or decorative is real property.	(
<u>jj.</u>	Fire alarm systems are personal property.	<u>(</u>
<u>kk.</u>	Fire walls are real property.	(
they are attache	Foundations for machinery and equipment including those made from ed to the building or other real property are personal property	steel and regardless of hov
mm.	Gasoline tanks - see tanks.	(
nn. heating, coolin	Greenhouse assets that meet the definition of real property are real prog, watering and other environmental systems are personal property.	operty, greenhouse benches
<u>00.</u>	Gravel plant machinery and equipment personal property.	(
<u>pp.</u>	Hoist Pits - see pits.	<u>(</u>
<u>qq.</u>	Houses and sheds that are portable or on skids are personal property.	(
<u>rr.</u>	Inventory of merchants is personal property.	(
ss. are real propert	Kilns - structures used for lumber drying, concrete block drying and city, kiln systems including heating, drying and other equipment are personal	
<u>tt.</u>	Laundry steam generating equipment is personal property.	(
uu. personal proper	<u>Lighting - yard lighting is real property, special purpose lighting and rty.</u>	d illumination equipment is
<u>vv.</u>	Mixers and mixing houses are personal property.	<u>(</u>
<u>ww.</u>	Mobile homes are personal property.	(
<u>xx.</u>	Monorail crane runways are personal property.	(

<u>yy.</u>

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<u>bbb.</u>

ccc.

<u>aaa.</u> Net profit of mines which is the amount of money or its equivalent received from the sale or trade of minerals or metals extracted from the Earth after deduction of allowable expenses as defined in Section 63-2802, Idaho Code, or by State Tax Commission rule is personal property.

Moveable structures are personal property.

Ore bridge foundations are real property.

Ovens used for processing are personal property.

Motors except those that are required for building occupant comfort are personal property.

	<u>ddd.</u>	Pits and ponds used for processing are personal property.	()
property	<u>eee.</u> 7.	Process piping including foundations and bridges whether above or below ground are p	ersonal ()
	fff.	Pumps and motors are personal.	()
	ggg.	Pump house including the sub-structure are real property.	()
	<u>hhh.</u>	Racks and shelving, portable or removable are personal property.	()
	<u>iii.</u>	Railroad fences, snowsheds and signs - Personal.	()
	<u> </u>	Railroad stations and office buildings - Real.	()
	<u>kkk.</u>	Railroad roadway buildings and miscellaneous structures - Real.	()
	<u>III.</u>	Railroad shops and engine houses - Real.	()
	mmm.	Railroad storage warehouses - Real.	()
	nnn.	Railroad water stations and fuel stations, buildings - Real.	()
	<u>000.</u>	Railroad water stations and fuel stations, equipment - Personal.	()
	ppp.	Railroad communication systems, signals and interlockers - Personal.	()
	<u>qqq.</u>	Railroad power transmission systems, roadway machines and shop machinery - Personal.	()
rights - j	<u>rrr.</u> personal	Reservations and Easements including reserved mineral rights and divided ownership of p (Easements convey use but not ownership.	roperty ()
	SSS.	Railroad rolling stock, including locomotives, freight cars, and work equipment - Personal.	()
	ttt.	Construction work in progress - Classification based on type of property.	()
	uuu.	Ready-mix concrete plant is personal property.	()
	vvv.	Recreational vehicles are personal property.	()
	www.	Refrigeration and freezer equipment, but see air conditioning, is personal property.	()
	XXX.	Sanitary systems are real property.	()
	<u>vvv.</u>	Scale houses are real.	()
	<u>zzz.</u>	Scales - truck or railroad scales including pit are real property, Dormat scales are personal property.	roperty.
process	aaaa. are perso	Silos - storage silos are real property unless portable or movable, silos used during a manufa onal property.	cturing
property	<u>bbbb.</u> ⁄.	Spray Ponds - masonry reservoir is real property, spray pond piping and equipment is p	ersonal ()
	cccc.	Sprinkler system used for crop or landscape irrigation is real property if buried, above	ground

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irrigations system	ms are personal property.	()
dddd. stack and chimn	Stacks and chimneys used for heating boilers used for building occupey used for other equipment are personal property.	pant comfort are real property.
eeee.	Stone crushing plant - machinery and equipment is personal property.	<u>()</u>
<u>ffff.</u>	Storage bins, small portable are personal property.	()
or wood process	Storage facilities meeting the definition of real property above are restorage towers and facilities are personal property.	al property, concrete, masonry ()
<u>hhhh.</u>	Substation building is real property.	<u>()</u>
<u>iiii.</u>	Substation switchyard and control machinery and equipment is person	nal property. ()
property unless process inventor	Tanks - tanks used primarily for storage of finished product whether a they are portable or movable, tanks used primarily as part of a manufacture y storage are personal property, underground gasoline tanks at service storage.	acturing process including for
<u>kkkk.</u>	<u>Tipple structure is personal property.</u>	<u>()</u>
processing or ma	Tunnels for transportation of moving vehicles are real property, tun anufacturing activities are real property. Equipment in tunnels is person	
mmmn	a.Unit heaters are real property.	<u>()</u>
nnnn.	Unloader runways are real property.	()
0000.	<u>Utility meters and auxiliary equipment are personal property.</u>	<u>()</u>
pppp. machinery and e	Ventilation used primarily for building occupant comfort is real quipment used primarily for manufacturing or processing purposes is p	
water are real pr	Water treatment and softening plant, water pumping buildings and and softening equipment is personal property, water lines used prim operty, water lines for processing whether above or below ground are presonal property.	arily for potable and sanitary
<u>rrrr.</u>	Wells, pumps, motors and equipment are personal property.	()
sss.	Wiring - power wiring integral to machinery, equipment or for process	ssing is personal property.
tttt.	Mobile homes are personal property.	()
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<del>206 209.</del>	(RESERVED).	
	PROPERTY DEFINED (RULE 210). 63-304, and 63-309, Idaho Code.	<del>(4-5-00)</del>
<del>01.</del>	Real Property. Land and whatever is permanently upon or affixed	d to the land, except for the

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provisions defined in Section 63-309, Idaho Code.

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- **02.** Improvements. Improvements are valuable additions to land, except for the provisions defined in Section 63-309, Idaho Code.

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- 03. Manufactured Housing. Manufactured housing subject to the provision of Section 63-304, Idaho Code, is real property. (4-5-00)
- 04. Affixed Property and Other Improvements. Property affixed to the land in such a manner that it may not be removed without materially damaging the land or attached improvements is real property. Real property includes appurtenances that would normally be expected to be sold together with the land.

  (4-5-00)
  - **a.** Equipment attached only by plug in electrical connection is not affixed. (4-5-00)
  - **b.** Equipment permanently situated and adapted to use in one place is affixed. (4-5-00)
- e. Vault doors, drive-in windows, automatic tellers, and night depositories are affixed when owned by the owner of the building.

  (4-5-00)

# 2<del>11</del>06. -- 216. (RESERVED).

# **217. RULES PERTAINING TO MARKET VALUE DUTY OF COUNTY ASSESSORS (RULE 217).** Section 63-208, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)

- **01. Market Value Definition**. Market value is the most probable amount of United States dollars or equivalent for which a property would exchange hands between a knowledgeable and willing seller, under no compulsion to sell, and an informed, capable buyer, under no compulsion to buy, with a reasonable time allowed to consummate the sale, substantiated by a reasonable down or full cash payment. (7-1-97)
- **a.** The assessor shall value the full market value of the entire fee simple interest of property for taxation. Statutory exemptions shall be subtracted. (7-1-97)
  - **b.** Personal property shall be valued at retail level. (7-1-93)
- **02. Appraisal Approaches**. Three (3) approaches to value will be considered on all property. The three (3) approaches to market value are: (3-30-07)
  - **a.** The sales comparison approach; (3-30-01)
  - **b.** The cost approach; and (3-30-01)
  - c. The income approach. (3-30-01)
- **03. Appraisal Procedures.** Market value for assessment purposes shall be determined through procedures, methods, and techniques recommended by nationally recognized appraisal and valuation associations, institutes, and societies and according to guidelines and publications approved by the State Tax Commission.

(3-30-07)

- **A.** <u>Use Of Market Rents In Income approach.</u> The appraisal procedures, methods, and techniques using the income approach to determine the market value for assessment purposes of income producing properties, except those described in Paragraph 217.03.b. of this rule, must use market rent, not contract rent. (3-30-07)(
- **b.** Exception to Use of Market Rents in Income Approach. When considering all three approaches to value, the appraisal procedures, methods, and techniques, using the income approach to determine the market value for assessment purposes of low-income housing properties receiving tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Service Code, must use actual rent plus the monetary benefit of any income tax credits.

Valuation Example Relating to the Income Approach for Certain Low-income Housing. The following example shows a methodology to calculate the value for the monetary benefit of the income tax credits to be added to the income approach value using actual rents for low-income housing properties receiving income tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Example: Value of Income Tax Credits Discounted Cash Flow Ten-Year Model				
*Discount Rate = 5.59% Growth Rate = 0.00% Tot		Total F	Rate = 5.59%	
<u>Year</u>	<u>Period</u>	*Tax Credit Income	*Factor	Present Value
<u>2007</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	<u>1.000000</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>
2008	<u>1</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	<u>0.947059</u>	<u>\$256,650</u>
2009	2	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.896921	<u>\$243,063</u>
2010	<u>3</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.849438	<u>\$230,195</u>
<u>2011</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.804468	<u>\$218,008</u>
2012	<u>5</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.761879	<u>\$206,467</u>
2013	<u>6</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	<u>0.721545</u>	<u>\$195,536</u>
<u>2014</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.683346	<u>\$185,185</u>
<u>2015</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.647169	<u>\$175,381</u>
<u>2016</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>\$270,997</u>	0.612907	<u>\$166,096</u>
		*Total Present Va	alue of Tax Credits	<u>\$2,147,579</u>

#### \*Notes:

rules.

Discount Rate is the rate for ten-year Treasury Bills in December plus 1% for risk rate.

Tax Credit Income is the actual monetary benefit of the income tax credits received by the property owner. Factor is interpolated from the Present Value of 1 Table for 5.5% and 5.75%.

Total Present Value of Tax Credits is the total present value of the monetary benefit of the income tax credits to be added to the income approach value for the property.

Cross Reference. For clarification of the income to include when using the income approach to value low-income housing properties receiving tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Service Code, see Brandon Bay, Ltd. Partnership v. Payette County, 142 Idaho 681, 132 P.3d 438 (2006). For additional information relating to the income and expense data to use when applying the income approach see Paragraph 314.02.b. of these <del>(3-30-07)</del>(

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COUNTY VALUATION PROGRAM TO BE CARRIED ON BY ASSESSOR (RULE 314). Sections 63-314 and 63-316, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)

01. Definitions. (7-1-99)

Continuing Program of Valuation. "Continuing program of valuation" means the program by which each assessor completes the assessment of all taxable properties each year. (7-1-99)

- **b.** Field Inspection. The "field inspection" shall include an observation of the physical attributes of all structures which significantly contribute to the property value, the visible land amenities, and a notation of any other factors which may influence the market value of any improvements. (7-1-99)
- c. Index. "Index" refers to any annual adjustment or trending factor applied to existing assessed values to reflect current market value. Ratio studies or other market analyses can be used to develop indexes based on property type, location, size, age or other characteristics. (7-1-99)
- **d.** Prediction of Market Value. As used in Section 63-314, Idaho Code, "prediction of market value" means an estimate of market value. (7-1-99)
- e. Category to be Assessed at Current Market Value. The level of assessment of each category will be considered to be current market value unless there is reasonable statistical certainty that the category is not equalized pursuant to Section 63-109, Idaho Code, and Rule 131. (3-30-01)
- **02. Plan for Continuing Program of Valuation**. The plan for continuing program of valuation shall include: (7-1-99)
- **a.** General Contents. A parcel count by category, the number of parcels to be appraised each year, maps that show each of the market areas, an analysis of staff requirements, a budget analysis that provides adequate funding for labor costs, capital and supply costs, travel and education costs and the method of program evaluation.

  (3-30-01)
- **b.** Market Data Bank. A market data bank including collection, verification and analysis of sales, income and expense data, building cost information, and application of this information to estimate market value. To mail assessment notices by the first Monday in June as required by Section 63-308, Idaho Code, assessors should include income and expense data submitted by property owners by the first Monday in April. Income and expense data for low-income housing properties receiving tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code includes actual rents, the monetary benefit of income tax credits, and expenses.
- **c.** Maps. Maps prepared in accordance with Section 63-209, Idaho Code, which identify characteristics of each geographic area. (7-1-99)
- **d.** Property Record. A property record for each parcel, complete with the property characteristics necessary for an estimate of the current market value. (7-1-99)
- **O3. Date Plan Is Submitted.** The plan must be submitted to the State Tax Commission on or before the first Monday of February in 1997, and every fifth year thereafter. (7-1-99)
- **04. Request for Extension**. As provided in Section 63-314, Idaho Code, a county may request an extension to the current five (5) year county valuation plan. (3-30-01)
- a. Amended Plan. Any request for an extension must include an amended plan incorporating an inventory of the parcels to be appraised during the period of the approved extension. This inventory shall constitute the schedule of required appraisals for the initial year or years of the subsequent five (5) year valuation program. Parcels appraised during the extension will be considered appraised during both the current and subsequent five (5) year plan valuation program periods, maintaining the same five (5) year cycle for all counties. (3-30-01)
- **b.** Approval of the Extension and Amended Plan. A county shall be notified of the State Tax Commission's decision regarding the granting of an extension as provided in Section 63-314, Idaho Code, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the written request for the extension when accompanied by an amended plan. (3-30-01)
- **c.** Approval of the Amended Plan. The State Tax Commission's approval of any extension shall specify timing and nature of progress reports. (3-30-01)
  - **d.** Voiding of the Extension. The State Tax Commission can void an extension unilaterally. (3-30-01)

- **05. Testing for Current Market Value**. Assessed values shall be tested annually by the State Tax Commission as described in Section 63-109, Idaho Code, and Rule 131 of these rules to determine whether the level of assessment reflects "current market value." (3-30-01)
- Of. Cross Reference. For clarification on tax credits when valuing low-income housing properties receiving tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, see the case of Brandon Bay, Ltd. Partnership v. Payette County, 142 Idaho 681, 132 P.3d 438 (2006). For an example of the methodology to use to include the value of the income tax credits when valuing low income housing properties receiving tax credits under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, see Paragraph 217.03.c. of these rules.
- 315. USE OF RATIO STUDY TO EQUALIZE <u>BOISE</u> SCHOOL DISTRICTS (RULE 315). Section 63-315, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **O1.** Procedures for <u>Boise</u> School District Ratio Studies. The ratio study conducted by the State Tax Commission to comply with the requirements of Section 63-315, Idaho Code, shall be conducted in accordance with the "Standard on Ratio Studies" referenced in Rule 006 of these rules. The following specific procedures will be used.

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- a. Information on property sales, which meet the requirements of arm's length and market value sales, will be obtained and assembled into samples representing various primary categories, described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules, and secondary categories, described in Rules 510, 511, and 512 of these rules, within designations defined in Subsection 315.02 of this rule in each the Boise sSchool dDistrict. Except when sales or appraisals must be added or deleted to improve representativeness, sales used will be those occurring within each the Boise sSchool dDistrict between October 1 of the year preceding the year for which adjusted market value is to be computed and September 30 of the year for which adjusted market value is to be computed. Each sale price is to be adjusted for time and compared to market value for assessment purposes for the year for which adjusted market value is to be computed, to compute ratios to be analyzed. The State Tax Commission may use sales from extended time periods and may add appraisals when data is lacking. The State Tax Commission may delete sales when necessary to improve representativeness.
- **b.** A ratio will be determined for each sale by dividing the market value for assessment purposes of the property by the adjusted sale price or appraised value. (7-1-98)
- c. A statistical analysis is to be conducted for the sales and any appraisals in each property designation described in Subsection 315.02 of this rule in *each* the Boise &School &District and appropriate measures of central tendency, uniformity, reliability, and normality computed.

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- **d.** With the exception of any property designations with extended time frames or added appraisals, if fewer than five (5) sales and appraisals are available, no adjustment to the taxable value of the designation will be made. (7-1-98)
- e. If there are five (5) or more sales and appraisals and it is determined with reasonable statistical certainty that the property designation is not already at market value for assessment purposes, an adjusted market value will be computed for the <u>Boise  $\pm$ School  $\pm$ District by dividing the taxable value for the year for which adjusted market value is to be determined by the appropriate ratio derived from the ratio study. The appropriate ratio to be used shall be the weighted mean ratio calculated from the sample for each designation, unless it can be clearly demonstrated that this statistic has been distorted by nonrepresentative ratios. In this case the median may be substituted:</u>
- f. Within each the Boise sSchool dDistrict, adjusted market value or taxable value for each primary and each applicable secondary category of real, personal and operating property will be summed to produce the total adjusted market value for the Boise sSchool dDistrict. The Boise sSchool dDistrict taxable value will then be divided by this adjusted market value to produce the overall ratio of assessment in each the Boise sSchool dDistrict. Statewide totals are to be calculated by compiling county totals.

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- g. Urban renewal increment values will not be included in the taxable value or the adjusted market value for  $\frac{\partial S}{\partial t}$  value for  $\frac{\partial S}{\partial t}$  the Boise  $\frac{\partial S}{\partial t}$  chool  $\frac{\partial S}{\partial t}$  is trict.

- h. "Reasonable statistical certainty," that the property designation in question is not at market value for assessment purposes, is required. Such certainty is tested using ninety percent (90%) confidence intervals about the weighted mean or median ratios. If the appropriate confidence interval includes ninety-five percent (95%) or one hundred five percent (105%), there is not "reasonable statistical certainty" that the property designation is not at market value for assessment purposes. (3-30-01)
- **i.** Primary and secondary categories subject to adjustment following the procedure outlined in this rule and ratio study designations from which measures of central tendency used for adjustments will be derived are:

Secondary Categories	Primary Categories	Ratio Study Designations
12, 15, 18, or 20	Vacant Residential Land	Residential
10, 12, 15, 18, 20, 26, 31, 34, 37, 40, 41, 46, 47, 48, or 50	Improved Residential Property	Residential
47, 49, or 65	Manufactured Home on Leased Land	Residential
11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 21, or 22	Vacant Commercial or Industrial Land	Commercial
11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 21, 22, 27, 33, 35, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, or 51	Improved Commercial or Industrial Property	Commercial

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- **j.** For all secondary categories, described in Rule 510, 511, or 512 of these rules but not contained in the list in Paragraph 315.01.i. of this rule, adjusted market value will equal taxable value. (3-30-07)
- **k.** "Appraisal" or "appraised value" refers to any State Tax Commission provided independently conducted property appraisal. (7-1-98)
- **O2. Use of Property Designations.** In computing the ratio for *each* the Boise \*School \*District, the State Tax Commission will designate property as residential or commercial and shall assign appropriate primary categories, described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules, and secondary categories, described in Rules 510, 511, and 512 of these rules, to these designations as shown in Paragraph 315.01.i. of this rule. For *each* the Boise \*School \*District, adjusted market value shall be computed by dividing the appropriate ratio ascertained for each of these designations into the sum of the taxable values for each primary and secondary category assigned to a designation. Except as provided in Subsection 315.06 of this rule, for the taxable value in any secondary category to be included in said sum, at least one (1) observation (sale or appraisal) from that secondary category must be present in the ratio study. If the ratio for any given designation in \*a the Boise \*School \*District indicates that the market value for assessment purposes cannot be determined with reasonable statistical certainty to differ from statutorily required market value, the taxable value shown on the Boise \*School \*District abstract(s) required pursuant to Subsection 315.04 of this rule for each of the secondary categories included in that designation shall be the adjusted market value for said designation for said school district.
- **O4.** Abstracts of Value by for the Boise School District. Within each county, eEach applicable county auditor shall provide to the State Tax Commission abstracts of the taxable value of all property within the portion of each the Boise  $\Delta$ Cchool  $\Delta$ District in that county. These abstracts shall be submitted in the same manner and at the same time as provided for county abstracts of value.

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  - **Urban Renewal Increment and Exemption to be Subtracted.** The taxable value of each primary

or secondary category within <u>each</u> the <u>Boise</u> <u>sSchool</u> <u>dD</u>istrict shall not include the value that exceeds the value on the base assessment roll in any urban renewal district pursuant to Chapter 29, Title 50, Idaho Code, and shall not include the value of any exemption pursuant to Sections 63-602G, 63-602K, 63-602P, 63-602X, 63-602AA, 63-602BB, 63-602CC, 63-602DD, 63-602GG, 63-602HH, 63-602II, 63-606A, or 63-3029B, Idaho Code.

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- **O6.** Exception from Requirement for at Least One Observation for Use of Secondary Category in Adjusted Value Determination. Properties identified as secondary categories 10 and 31 rarely sell separately from farms and therefore do not appear in any ratio study. However, the level of assessment typically is similar to that of other rural residential property, including property in secondary categories 12, 15, 34, and 37. For any ratio study where there is an adjustment to be made to the assessed values in the residential designation, such adjustment shall be applied to any assessed value in secondary category 10, provided there is at least one (1) observation (sale) of property identified in either secondary category 31, provided there is at least one (1) observation (sale) of property identified in either secondary category 34 or 37. (3-30-07)
- **07. Certification of Values**. The values required to be certified to the county clerk by the first Monday in April each year under Section 63-315, Idaho Code, shall be published on the State Tax Commission's web site or provided in an alternate format on request by the first Monday in April each year to satisfy this required certification. (3-30-07)
- **08.** Cross References. The primary categories are described in Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these Rules, and the secondary categories are described in Rules 510, 511, and 512 of these rules. (3-30-07)

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# 404. OPERATOR'S STATEMENT -- CONTENTS (RULE 404).

Sections 63-401 and 63-404, Idaho Code.

(5-3-03)

- **O1. Operator's Statement**. In the operator's statement, the number of miles of railroad track, electrical and telephone wire, pipeline, etc., must be reported to the hundredth mile in decimal form (0.00) in each taxing district or taxing authority and must be reported by the uniform tax code area method. (7-1-99)
- **O2. Tax Code Area Maps.** By March 1 of each year, the State Tax Commission shall furnish to all entities having operating property within the state of Idaho, except private railcar fleets, a list of all changes in tax code area boundary lines. In case the State Tax Commission receives corrections to any tax code area boundaries, these changes must be furnished by March 15. Every day that the tax code area map deadline is extended beyond March 1 allows for an automatic operator's statement extension equal to the delay. The reporting entity shall review the list of changes to identify any tax code areas, within which any of the entity's operating property is located. The reporting entity shall report, under Subsection 404.01 of this rule based on these identified tax code areas. The State Tax Commission shall provide the tax code areas maps to the reporting entity as provided for in Rule 225 of these rules.
  - **03. Reporting of Mileage**. The following procedures apply for reporting mileage. (7-1-99)
- a. Railroad Track Mileage. The railroad track mileage shall be reported by the name of the main line and branch lines with the track mileage for the main line and branch lines reported as Main Track Miles. Track miles consisting of passing track, yard switching, spurs, sidings, etc., shall be reported as Secondary Track Miles. (5-3-03)
- b. Electric Power Line Mileage. The electric power companies shall report electric power line mileage by transmission and distribution lines. The transmission lines are the lines at a primary source of supply to change the voltage or frequency of electricity for the purpose of its more efficient or convenient transmission; lines between a generating or receiving point and the entrance to a distribution center or wholesale point; and lines whose primary purpose is to augment, integrate, or tie together the sources of power supply. The distribution lines are the lines between the primary source of supply and of delivery to customers, which are not includible in transmission lines.

Cooperative electrical associations may include lines designed to accommodate thirty-four thousand five hundred (34,500) volts or more as transmission or distribution lines. Transmission or distribution lines shall be reported by single linear wire mile. (5-3-03)

- **c.** Telephone Wire Mileage. All telephone wire mileage shall be reported on a single linear wire mile basis, and include any ground wires. (5-3-03)
- **d.** Natural Gas and Water Distribution Pipeline Mileage. All natural gas and water distribution companies shall report pipeline miles on a three (3) inch comparison basis. For example, a company with five (5) miles of six (6) inch pipe will report ten (10) pipeline miles: five (5) times six (6) divided by three (3) equals ten (10) miles. (5-3-03)
- e. Transmission Pipeline Mileage. <u>All</u> *T*transmission pipeline <u>mileage is reported in actual pipe sizes</u>, <u>without adjustment, because the pipe is normally uniform in size over long distances</u> companies shall report pipeline miles on a one-inch (1") comparison basis. (5-3-03)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **O4. Situs Property.** Situs property includes microwave stations, and radio relay towers, and thermal electric generation. This property also includes facilities, used for and in conjunction with thermal generation of electricity, constructed after January 1, 2004, and located in or within five (5) miles of an incorporated city. This property is not apportioned on the basis of mileage. The investment in this property shall be reported in the tax code area(s), within which it is located.

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- **05. Record of Property Ownership**. The following procedures apply for maintaining records of operating property ownership. (7-1-99)
- a. STC Form R. A record of each property owned, leased, or otherwise operated by each railroad, private railcar fleet or public utility shall be maintained by the State Tax Commission, the appropriate railroad, private railcar fleet or public utility, and the appropriate county assessor's office. Each record shall be maintained on a form identified as STC Form R. The State Tax Commission shall send a copy of each STC Form R to the appropriate company and the appropriate county assessor's office. (7-1-99)
- **b.** Identification of Operating Property and Nonoperating Property. On the STC Form R, the State Tax Commission shall identify which property is operating property and which property is nonoperating property.

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- **c.** Filing of Property Ownership by Railroad Companies. Each railroad company shall file the original railroad right-of-way maps with the State Tax Commission. Each railroad shall file an STC Form R, only, for property that is acquired, leased, or transferred between operating and nonoperating status, or sold during the prior year.

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- **96. Filing Date for Operator's Statement**. By April 30 each year, each railroad, private railcar fleet, and or public utility operating in Idaho shall file information pertinent to the entity's ownership and operation with the State Tax Commission. This information must be reliable for preparing an estimate of market value. For each entity submitting a written request for an extension on or before April 30, the State Tax Commission may grant an extension of the filing date until May 31. An automatic extension beyond April 30 may be granted as set out in Subsection 404.02 of this rule.

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- <u>O7.</u> <u>Cross Reference.</u> For information relating to the exemption of certain intangible personal property, see Section 63-602L, Idaho Code, and Rule 615 of these rules. For valuation, allocation, and apportionment information, see Section 63-405, Idaho Code, and Rule 405 of these rules.

### 405. ASSESSMENT OF OPERATING PROPERTY (RULE 405). Section 63-405, Idaho Code.

**01. The Unit Method.** The unit method of valuation is preferred for valuing a railroad or public utility when the individual assets function collectively, are operated under one ownership and one management, are interdependent, and the property would be expected to trade in the marketplace as a unit. Under the unit method, the

value of the tangible and intangible property is equal to the value of the going concern. The market value of the unit shall be referred to as the system value. For interstate property, allocation factors shall be used to determine what part of the system value is in Idaho.

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- **02. Identify ing the Unit to be Appraised**. The unit includes all property used or useful to the operation of the system, property owned, used or leased by the business and the leased fee and leasehold interests. <u>Assess</u> <u>Aall</u> title and interest in unit property shall be assessed to the owner, lessee or operating company. <u>See Rule 615 of these rules for treatment of intangibles. (7-1-99)(\_\_\_\_\_)</u>
  - **O3. Appraisal Approaches**. The three (3) approaches to value may be considered for all property. (7-1-99)
- **04. Appraisal Procedures**. Market value shall be determined through procedures, methods, and techniques accepted by nationally recognized appraisal and valuation organizations. For operating property, the direct capitalization techniques or derivatives thereof shall not be used in estimating value. (7-1-99)
- **05. The Cost Approach**. For operating property, the appraiser may consider replacement, reproduction, original or historical cost. (7-1-99)
- **a.** Contributions in aid of construction. Contributions in aid of construction are valued at zero in the cost approach. (7-1-99)
- **b.** Construction work in progress. Construction work in progress may be considered in the cost approach. (7-1-99)
- **c.** Obsolescence. The appraiser shall attempt to measure obsolescence, if any exists. If obsolescence is found to exist, it may be considered in the cost approach. (7-1-99)
- **06. The Income Approach**. For operating property, the income approach is based on the premise that value can be represented by the present worth of future benefits derived from the ownership, use or operation of the unit. The appraiser shall consider yield capitalization in processing the income approach. (7-1-99)
- **07. The Market Approach**. In the market approach for operating property, the appraiser shall consider the sales comparison approach or the stock and debt approach. (7-1-99)
- **08. Reconciliation**. Reconciliation, also called correlation, is an opinion regarding the weight that should be placed on each approach. The appropriate weight to be given each indicator is based on the appraiser's opinion of the inherent strengths and weaknesses of each approach and the data utilized. The appraisal report shall disclose the weight given to the indicators. (7-1-99)
- **09.** Allocation. Factors should  $\underline{u}$  we readily available data from existing records to calculate the factors that are multiplied by the correlated system value to allocate that value to Idaho. Factors themselves should not be an allocation. (7-1-99)(
- 10. Situs Property Apportionment. For situs property, as described in Subsection 404.04 of these rules, apportionment is based on physical location meaning the taxable value shall not be apportioned based on mileage but only to the tax code area(s) within which said property is situs or physically located.
- 11. Cross Reference. For reporting information, see Section 63-404, Idaho Code, and Rule 404 of these rules. For information relating to the exemption of certain intangible personal property, see Section 63-602L, Idaho Code, and Rule 615 of these rules.

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### 415. APPORTIONMENT OF RAILCAR FLEET'S ASSESSED VALUES WITHIN THE STATE (RULE 415).

Section 63-411, Idaho Code.	(

- **O1. Private Railcar Fleet Apportionment.** Railroad track miles shall be used for the apportionment of each private railcar fleet's assessed value when the value within Idaho equals five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) or more. The Idaho value of each private railcar fleet shall be multiplied by a ratio of this private railcar fleet's mileage for each railroad to this private railcar fleet's total mileage in Idaho and divided by the in service main track mileage of that particular railroad, to obtain a rate per mile. This rate per mile is multiplied by the in service main track mileage in each county and tax code area to calculate the apportioned value. For the purpose of apportioning value by miles traveled, main track includes branch lines, as well as main lines, but does not include industrial spurs, sidings or passing tracks. (7-1-99)
- **Dollars Assessed Value**. For private railcar fleets having an assessed value of less than five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the average tax rate is computed each year by dividing the current taxes for all private railcar fleets with assessed value of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) or more by the current Idaho value of all such fleets. By November 15 of each year, each county treasurer must provide the State Tax Commission with the amount of taxes due from all private railcar fleets in the county.

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# 509. CITY, COUNTY, AND SCHOOL DISTRICT ABSTRACTS OF VALUE AND IDENTIFICATION OF URBAN RENEWAL INCREMENT AND PARTIAL EXEMPTION VALUES (RULE 509). Sections 63-105A and 63-509, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)

- **01. Definitions**. The following definitions apply for the purposes of testing for equalization under Section 63-109, Idaho Code, notification under Sections 63-301 and 63-308, Idaho Code, and reporting under Section 63-509, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Increment Value. Increment value means, as defined in Section 50-2903, Idaho Code, the total value calculated by summing the differences between the current equalized value of each taxable property in the revenue allocation area and that property's current base value on the base assessment roll, provided such difference is positive. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Primary Category. Primary category means the categories established and described by Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules and used by the State Tax Commission to test for equalization under Section 63-109, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **c.** Secondary Category. Secondary category means the categories established and described by Rules 510, 511, and 512 of these rules and used by county assessors to list property values on the valuation assessment notice under Sections 63-301 and 63-308, Idaho Code, and report values to the State Tax Commission under Section 63-509, Idaho Code, and this Rule. (3-30-07)
- **O2.** Appropriate County and Boise School District Abstracts to Balance. The taxable value of property in each secondary category as shown on the abstracts prepared and submitted under Section 63-509, Idaho Code, shall equal the sum of the taxable value of property in each secondary category as shown on the Boise &School &District abstracts, required under Rule 315 of these rules, for the portion of each the Boise &School &District located within each given Ada eCounty and Boise County.
- **O3. Indicate Increment and Exemption Values**. In addition to the value of exemptions required under Section 63-509, Idaho Code, any increment value and the value of any exemption provided under Sections, 63-602GG, 63-602HH, 63-602II, 63-606A, and 63-3029B, Idaho Code, shall be indicated and subtracted from the taxable value shown for each secondary category of property on each city, county and school district abstract.

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- 04. Submittal of Corrections to Erroneous Abstracts or Related Documents. When completing the procedures set forth in Section 63-810, Idaho Code, boards of county commissioners should submit the corrections to the taxable values submitted on the abstracts or related documents under provisions of Section 63-509, Idaho Code, and this rule, no later than when they submit the corrected levies under Section 63-810, Idaho Code.
- **045. Cross Reference.** See Rule 115 of these rules for requirements to submit city abstracts. For the descriptions of the primary categories used to test for equalization, see Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules. For descriptions of secondary categories used to list and report land values, see Rule 510 of these rules, used to list and report the value of improvements, see Rule 511 of these rules, or used to list and report all property values other than that for land or improvements, see Rule 512 of these rules. For information relating to notification of corrections to erroneous levies, see Sections 63-809 and 63-810, Idaho Code, and Rule 809 of these rules.

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510. SECONDARY CATEGORIES FOR LAND - LISTING AND REPORTING (RULE 510).

Section 63-509, Idaho Code. County assessors will use the secondary categories described in the following subsections, indicated by numbers, to list land values on the valuation assessment notices under Sections 63-301 and 63-308, Idaho Code. County assessors will use these secondary categories described in the following subsections, indicated by numbers, and the secondary categories described in the following paragraphs, indicated by letters, to report land values to the State Tax Commission on the abstracts under Section 63-509, Idaho Code, and Rule 509 of these rules. For all of the above listed functions, assign all appropriate secondary land categories to parcels of property put to multiple uses.

- **O1.** Secondary Category 1 Irrigated Agricultural Land. Irrigated land and only such irrigated land eligible for and granted the partial exemption for the current year's assessment roll as actively devoted to agriculture. (See Sections 63-604 and 63-602K, Idaho Code, and Rule 645 of these rules.) Only place land meeting the definition of "land actively devoted to agriculture" under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or the requirements for "wildlife habitat" or "conservation agreement" under Section 63-605, Idaho Code, for the current assessment year in this secondary category. This irrigated land must be capable of and normally producing harvestable crops and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of a subdivision without restrictions on such use or the boundaries of an incorporated city. (3-30-07)
- **O2. Secondary Category 2 Irrigated Grazing Land.** Irrigated land and only such irrigated land eligible for and granted the partial exemption for the current year's assessment roll as actively devoted to agriculture. (See Sections 63-604 and 63-602K, Idaho Code, and Rule 645 of these rules.) Only place land meeting the definition of "land actively devoted to agriculture" under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or the requirements for "wildlife habitat" or "conservation agreement" under Section 63-605, Idaho Code, for the current assessment year in this secondary category. This irrigated land must be used for grazing and not normally capable of producing harvestable crops and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of a subdivision without restrictions on such use or the boundaries of an incorporated city. (3-30-07)
- **O3.** Secondary Category 3 Non-Irrigated Agricultural Land. Land and only such land eligible for and granted the partial exemption for the current year's assessment roll as actively devoted to agriculture. (See Sections 63-604 and 63-602K, Idaho Code, and Rule 645 of these rules.) Only place land meeting the definition of "land actively devoted to agriculture" under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or the requirements for "wildlife habitat" or "conservation agreement" under Section 63-605, Idaho Code, for the current assessment year in this secondary category. This non-irrigated land must be capable of and normally producing harvestable crops without man-made irrigation and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of a subdivision without restrictions on such use or the boundaries of an incorporated city. (3-30-07)
- **O4. Secondary Category 4 Meadow Land.** Land and only such land eligible for and granted the partial exemption for the current year's assessment roll as actively devoted to agriculture. (See Sections 63-604 and 63-602K, Idaho Code, and Rule 645 of these rules.) Only place land meeting the definition of "land actively devoted to agriculture" under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or the requirements for "wildlife habitat" or "conservation agreement" under Section 63-605, Idaho Code, for the current assessment year in this secondary category. This meadow land must be capable of lush production of grass and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of a subdivision without restrictions on such use or the boundaries of an incorporated city. (3-30-07)

- **05. Secondary Category 5 Dry Grazing Land.** Land and only such land eligible for and granted the partial exemption for the current year's assessment roll as actively devoted to agriculture. (See Sections 63-604 and 63-602K, Idaho Code, and Rule 645 of these rules.) Only place land meeting the definition of "land actively devoted to agriculture" under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or the requirements for "wildlife habitat" or "conservation agreement" under Section 63-605, Idaho Code, for the current assessment year in this secondary category. This land must be capable of supporting grasses and not normally capable of supporting crops on regular rotation and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of a subdivision without restrictions on such use or the boundaries of an incorporated city.
- **96. Secondary Category 6 Productivity Forestland.** All land and only such land designated by the owner for assessment, appraisal, and taxation under Section 63-1703(a), Idaho Code, for the current year's assessment roll. This land must be assessed as forest land under the productivity option and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of an incorporated city. Also included is all land assessed under Section 63-1704, Idaho Code. (3-30-07)
- **O7. Secondary Category 7 Bare Forestland.** All land and only such land designated by the owner for assessment, appraisal, and taxation under Section 63-1703(b), Idaho Code, for the current year's assessment roll. This land must be assessed as bare land with the yield tax option and may be located inside or outside the boundaries of an incorporated city. (3-30-07)
- **08. Secondary Category 8 Speculative Homesite**. No value shall be reported in this category on any abstract submitted to the State Tax Commission after the property roll, subsequent property roll, and missed property roll abstracts have been submitted for calendar year 2005. (3-30-07)
- **09. Secondary Category 9 Patented Mineral Land.** All land used solely for mines and mining claims and only the part of such land not used for other than mining purposes for the current year's assessment roll. This land may be located inside or outside the boundaries of an incorporated city. See Section 63-2801, Idaho Code.

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- 10. Secondary Category 10 Homesite Land. Rural non-subdivided £land being utilized for homesites with secondary categories 1 through 9. Note: This land is always land with improvements located on it since land with no improvements should be in one (1) or more of categories 1 through 9.
- 11. Secondary Category 11 Recreational Land. Rural land used in conjunction with recreation but not individual homesites. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 11 Vacant Recreational Land. Vacant rural land used for recreational purposes but not individual homesites or in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 11 Improved Recreational Land. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for recreational purposes on that land but not individual homesites or in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- 12. Secondary Category 12 Rural Residential Tracts. Rural residential land not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 12 Vacant Rural Residential Tracts. Vacant rural land used for residential purposes but not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 12 Improved Rural Residential Tracts. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for residential purposes on that land but not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- 13. Secondary Category 13 Rural Commercial Tracts. Rural commercial land not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
  - a. Secondary Category 13 Vacant Rural Commercial Tracts. Vacant rural land used for commercial

purposes but not in a properly recorded subdivision.

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- **b.** Secondary Category 13 Improved Rural Commercial Tracts. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for commercial purposes on that land but not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **14. Secondary Category 14 Rural Industrial Tracts**. Rural industrial land not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 14 Vacant Rural Industrial Tracts. Vacant rural land used for industrial purposes but not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 14 Improved Rural Industrial Tracts. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for industrial purposes on that land but not in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **15. Secondary Category 15 Rural Residential Subdivisions**. Rural residential land in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 15 Vacant Rural Residential Subdivisions. Vacant rural land used for residential purposes and in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 15 Improved Rural Residential Subdivisions. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for residential purposes on that land and in a properly recorded subdivision. Also use this category for rural homesites within subdivisions when the remaining acreage qualifies as actively devoted to agriculture under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or has been designated forestland under Chapter 17, Title 63, Idaho Code.

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- **16. Secondary Category 16 Rural Commercial Subdivisions**. Rural commercial land in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 16 Vacant Rural Commercial Subdivisions. Vacant rural land used for commercial purposes and in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 16 Improved Rural Commercial Subdivisions. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for commercial purposes on that land and in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- 17. Secondary Category 17 Rural Industrial Subdivisions. Rural industrial land in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 17 Vacant Rural Industrial Subdivisions. Vacant rural land used for industrial purposes and in a properly recorded subdivision. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 17 Improved Rural Industrial Subdivisions. Rural land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for industrial purposes on that land and in a properly recorded subdivision.

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  - **18. Secondary Category 18 Other Land**. Land not compatible with other secondary categories. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 18 Vacant Other Land. Vacant land not compatible with other secondary categories. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 18 Improved Other Land. Land with improvements, including exempt improvements, on that land but not compatible with other secondary categories. (3-30-07)

- **19. Secondary Category 19 Waste**. Public Rights-of-Way includes roads, ditches, and canals. Use this secondary category to account for total acres of land ownership. Only list acres, not value, in this secondary category on the abstract. (3-30-07)
- **20. Secondary Category 20 Residential Lots or Acreages**. Land used for residential purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 20 Vacant Residential Lots Or Acreages. Vacant land used for residential purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 20 Improved Residential Lots Or Acreages. Land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for residential purposes on that land and inside city limits. <u>Also use this category for urban homesites when the remaining acreage qualifies as actively devoted to agriculture under Section 63-604, Idaho Code, or has been designated forestland under Chapter 17, Title 63, Idaho Code.</u>
- **21. Secondary Category 21 Commercial Lots or Acreages**. Land used for commercial purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 21 Vacant Commercial Lots Or Acreages. Vacant land used for commercial purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 21 Improved Commercial Lots Or Acreages. Land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for commercial purposes on that land and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **22. Secondary Category 22 Industrial Lots or Acreages**. Land used for industrial purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **a.** Secondary Category 22 Vacant Industrial Lots Or Acreages. Vacant land used for industrial purposes and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Secondary Category 22 Improved Industrial Lots Or Acreages. Land with improvements, including exempt improvements, used for industrial purposes on that land and inside city limits. (3-30-07)
- **23. Secondary Category 25 Common Area Vacant Land**. Common area vacant land not included in individual property assessments. (3-30-07)
- **24. Secondary Category 45 Utility System Vacant Land.** Vacant land used for locally assessed utility systems not under the jurisdiction of the State Tax Commission for appraisal. (3-30-07)
- **25. Secondary Category 57 Equities In Vacant Land Purchased From the State.** For identification purposes under Section 63-211, Idaho Code, vacant land purchased from the state under contract. (3-30-07)
- **26. Secondary Category 81 Exempt Land**. Category 81 is for county use to keep an inventory, including acreage, of exempt land. (3-30-07)
- **27. Cross Reference.** For descriptions of secondary categories used to list values for improvements, see Rule 511 of these rules, or used to list property values other than that for land or improvements, see Rule 512 of these rules. For the descriptions of primary categories and the assignment of secondary categories therein, see Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules. (3-30-07)

### 511. SECONDARY CATEGORIES FOR IMPROVEMENTS - LISTING AND REPORTING (RULE 511).

Section 63-509, Idaho Code. County assessors will use the following secondary categories to list improved property values on the valuation assessment notice under Sections 63-301 and 63-308, Idaho Code, and to report improved property values to the State Tax Commission on the abstracts under Section 63-509, Idaho Code, and Rule 509 of these rules. For all of the above listed functions, assign all appropriate secondary improvement categories to parcels

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of property put to multiple uses.

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- **01. Secondary Category 25 Common Area Land and Improvements**. Common area land and improvements on that land not included in individual property assessments. (3-30-07)
- **02. Secondary Category 26 Residential Condominiums**. Land and improvements included in individual assessments of condominiums or townhouses and used for residential purposes. (3-30-07)
- **03. Secondary Category 27 Commercial or Industrial Condominiums**. Land and improvements included in individual assessments of condominiums and used for commercial or industrial purposes. (3-30-07)
- **04. Secondary Category 30 Improvements**. Improvements, other than residential, located on secondary category 20. (3-30-07)
- **O5. Secondary Category 31 Improvements**. Improvements used for residential purposes and located on secondary category 10. (3-30-07)
- **06. Secondary Category 32 Improvements**. Improvements, other than residential, located on secondary categories 1 through 12 and 15. (3-30-07)
- **07. Secondary Category 33 Improvements**. Improvements used in conjunction with recreation but not associated with homesites and located on secondary category 11. (3-30-07)
- **08. Secondary Category 34 Improvements**. Improvements used for residential purposes and located on secondary category 12. (3-30-07)
- **09. Secondary Category 35 Improvements**. Improvements used for commercial purposes and located on secondary category 13. (3-30-07)
- **10. Secondary Category 36 Improvements**. Improvements used for industrial purposes and located on secondary category 14. (3-30-07)
- 11. Secondary Category 37 Improvements. Improvements used for residential purposes and located on secondary category 15. (3-30-07)
- **12. Secondary Category 38 Improvements**. Improvements used for commercial purposes and located on secondary category 16. (3-30-07)
- **13. Secondary Category 39 Improvements**. Improvements used for industrial purposes and located on secondary category 17. (3-30-07)
  - **14. Secondary Category 40 Improvements**. Improvements located on secondary category 18. (3-30-07)
- **15. Secondary Category 41 Improvements**. Improvements used for residential purposes and located on secondary category 20. (3-30-07)
- **16. Secondary Category 42 Improvements**. Improvements used for commercial purposes and located on secondary category 21. (3-30-07)
- **17. Secondary Category 43 Improvements**. Improvements used for industrial purposes and located on secondary category 22. (3-30-07)
- **18. Secondary Category 44 Improvements**. Taxable improvements located on otherwise exempt property under the same ownership. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use the appropriate land and improvement secondary categories based on use. (3-30-07)

- **19. Secondary Category 45 Utility System Land and Improvements**. Locally assessed land and improvements used as utility systems and not under the jurisdiction of the State Tax Commission for appraisal. (3-30-07)
- **20. Secondary Category 46 Manufactured Housing**. Structures transportable in one (1) or more sections, built on a permanent chassis, for use with or without permanent foundation located on land under the same ownership as the manufactured home but assessed separate from the land. Include any manufactured home located on land under the same ownership as the manufactured home on which a statement of intent to declare as real property has been filed but becomes effective the following year. (3-30-07)
- **21. Secondary Category 47 Improvements to Manufactured Housing**. Additions not typically moved with manufactured housing. (3-30-07)
- **22. Secondary Category 48 Manufactured Housing.** Manufactured housing permanently affixed to land under the same ownership as the manufactured home and on which a statement of intent to declare as real property has been filed and has become effective. (3-30-07)
- 23. Secondary Category 49 Manufactured Housing. Manufactured housing permanently affixed to leased land and on which a statement of intent to declare as real property has been filed and has become effective.

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- 24. Secondary Category 50 Residential Improvements on Leased Land. Improvements used for residential purposes and located on leased land, including railroad rights-of-way under separate ownership, exempt land under separate ownership, or any other land under different ownership than the improvements. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use this secondary category when the improvement is used for residential purposes and discontinue use of secondary categories 60, 61, and 62. (3-30-07)
- 25. Secondary Category 51 Commercial or Industrial Improvements on Leased Land. Improvements used for commercial or industrial purposes and located on leased land, including railroad rights-of-way under separate ownership, exempt land under separate ownership, or any other land under different ownership than the improvements. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use this secondary categories 60, 61, and 62. (3-30-07)
- **26.** Secondary Category 57 Equities in Land With Improvements Purchased From the State. Land with the improvements on that land that are purchased from the state under contract. (3-30-07)
- **27. Secondary Category 60 Improvements on Railroad Rights-of-Way**. Improvements located on railroad rights-of-way under separate ownership. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use secondary category 50 when the improvement is used for residential purposes or will use secondary category 51 when the improvement is used for commercial or industrial purposes. (3-30-07)
- 28. Secondary Category 61 Improvements by Lessee Other Than Secondary Category 62. Improvements made by the tenant or lessee to landlord's property. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use secondary category 50 when the improvement is used for residential purposes or will use secondary category 51 when the improvement is used for commercial or industrial purposes. (3-30-07)
- **29. Secondary Category 62 Improvements on Exempt or Public Land.** Taxable improvements, owned separately from exempt or public land on which they are located. No later than January 1, 2008, county assessors will use secondary category 50 when the improvement is used for residential purposes or will use secondary category 51 when the improvement is used for commercial or industrial purposes. (3-30-07)
- **30. Secondary Category 65 Manufactured Housing**. Manufactured housing not designated real property and located on exempt, rented or leased land under separate ownership. Include any manufactured home located on exempt, rented or leased land on which a statement of intent to declare as real property has been filed but becomes effective the following year. (3-30-07)

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- **31. Secondary Category 69 Recreational Vehicles.** Unlicensed recreational vehicles. (3-30-07)
- **32. Secondary Category 81 Exempt Improvements**. Category 81 is for county use to keep an inventory of exempt improvements. (3-30-07)
- 33. Cross Reference. For descriptions of secondary categories used to list land values, see Rule 510 of these rules, or used to list property values other than that for land or improvements, see Rule 512 of these rules. For the descriptions of primary categories and the assignment of secondary categories therein, see Subsections 130.02 through 130.06 of these rules. (3-30-07)

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601. -- 60<u>82</u>. (RESERVED).

## 603. PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION – RELIGIOUS CORPORATIONS OR SOCIETIES (RULE 603).

Section 63-602B, Idaho Code.

- O1. Valuing the Taxable Part of Qualifying Property. Under Section 63-602B(2), Idaho Code, a county shall determine the value of the part of the property used or leased for business or commercial purposes by considering the particular facts of each case, examining the amount of time, during the calendar year, the property is used for business or commercial purposes, or a combination thereof. The county may require reporting by the religious corporation or society of any use of the property for business or commercial usage in such form, and by such date, as the county establishes.
- O2. Comparable Valuation Methodology to Partially Exempt Property Under Section 63-602C, Idaho Code. To value the taxable part of any otherwise qualifying property exempt under Section 63-602B, Idaho Code, each county should use comparable methods to those being used to value the taxable part of qualifying exempt property under Section 63-602C, Idaho Code.

#### 604. -- 608. (RESERVED).

#### 609. PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION -- HOMESTEAD (RULE 609).

Sections 63-602G, 63-701, 63-703, and 63-3077, Idaho Code.

(3-30-07)

- **01. Homestead Exemption**. The Homestead Exemption granted in 63-602G, Idaho Code shall also be known as the homeowner's exemption. (3-30-07)
- **02. Idaho Annual Housing Price Index Change**. Annually, the State Tax Commission shall calculate the maximum dollar-value limit for the homeowner's exemption based on the change in the Idaho annual housing price index published by the United States office of federal housing enterprise oversight. The following procedure shall be used:

  (3-30-07)
- **a.** Step 1. Calculate the average Idaho housing price index of the four (4) most recently available quarters as of September 15. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Step 2. Calculate the average Idaho housing price index of the four (4) quarters immediately preceding the earliest quarter used in Step 1. (3-30-07)
  - c. Step 3. Divide the Step 1 average by the Step 2 average to determine a factor. (3-30-07)
- **d.** Step 4. Multiply the factor determined in Step 3 by the current maximum dollar-value limit on the homeowner's exemption to produce the new dollar-value limit. (3-30-07)
  - **03.** Partial Ownership. Any partial ownership shall be considered ownership for determining

qualification for the homeowner's exemption; however, the amount of the exemption shall be decided on the reduced proportion of the value commensurate with the proportion of partial ownership. The proportional reduction shall not apply to the ownership interests of a partner of a limited partnership, a member of a limited liability company or a shareholder of a corporation when that person has no less than five percent (5%) ownership interest in the entity unless any ownership interest is shared by any entity other than the limited partnership, limited liability company or corporation. For tenants in common with two (2) improvements located on one (1) parcel of land, determine the applicable value for the homeowner's exemption using the procedure shown in Example 1 of Paragraph 609.023.a., of this rule unless the owner-occupant provides documented evidence of a different ownership interest in the improvement. See Examples 2, 3, and 4 in Paragraphs 609.03.b., 609.03.c., and 609.03.d. of this rule for additional partial ownership guidance. To calculate property tax reduction benefits when partial ownership exists, see Paragraph 700.05.b., of these rules.

**a.** Example 1. John Smith and Bob Anderson own a property as tenants in common with two (2) residential improvements located on the property. Each residential improvement is owner occupied by one (1) of the tenants in common. The homeowner's exemption is calculated as follows:

Description	Value	Notes
Land	\$42,000	
Residential Improvement	\$82,000	Occupied by Mr. Smith
Prorated Ownership Interest (land and improvement)	\$62,000	Mr. Smith's interest
Homeowner's Exemption	\$31,000	For Mr. Smith as owner occupant
Residential Improvement	\$67,000	Occupied by Mr. Anderson
Prorated Ownership Interest (land and improvement)	\$54,500	Mr. Anderson's interest
Homeowner's Exemption	\$27,250	For Mr. Anderson as owner occupant

(3-30-07)

**b.** Example 2. John Smith and Bob Anderson own a parcel of land as tenants in common with two (2) residential improvements located on the parcel. Mr. Smith has documented evidence of one hundred percent (100%) interest in one (1) residential improvement and Mr. Anderson has documented evidence of one hundred percent (100%) interest in the remaining residential improvement. Each residential improvement is owner occupied. The homeowner's exemption is calculated as follows:

Item Description	Value	Notes
Land	\$42,000	
Residential Improvement	\$82,000	Owned and occupied by Mr. Smith
Homeowner's Exemption	\$51,500	For Mr. Smith
Residential Improvement	\$67,000	Owned and occupied by Mr. Anderson
Homeowner's Exemption	\$44,000	For Mr. Anderson

(3-30-07)

<u>c.</u> Example 3. Tom Johnson and Marie Johnson, husband and wife, and June Smith jointly own a property and occupy one (1) residential improvement located on the property. The following example shows how to calculate each homeowner's exemption.

<u>Description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Notes</u>
<u>Land</u>	<u>95,000</u>	
Residential Improvement	<u>215,000</u>	
Land and Improvement	310,000	
Prorated ownership interest (land and improvement) (\$310,000 X 66.67%)	206,677	Mr. & Mrs. Johnson's interest
Homeowner's Exemption Maximum for 2007 (\$89,325 X 66.67%)	<u>59,550</u>	Mr. & Mrs. Johnson's Homeowner's Exemption
Prorated ownership interest (land and improvement) (\$310,000 X 33.33%)	103,323	Ms. Smith's interest
Homeowner's Exemption Maximum for 2007 (\$89,325 X 33.33%)	<u>29,775</u>	Ms. Smith's Homeowner's Exemption

<u>d.</u> Example 4. John and Susan Doe, husband and wife, and Mike Person jointly own a property, and Mr. and Mrs. Doe occupy the one (1) residential improvement located on the property. The following example shows how to calculate each homeowner's exemption.

<u>Description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Notes</u>
<u>Land</u>	<u>65,000</u>	
Residential Improvement	<u>195,000</u>	
Land and Improvement	260,000	
Prorated ownership interest (land and improvement) (\$260,000 X 66.67%)	173,342	Mr. & Mrs. Doe's interest
Homeowner's Exemption (Maximum for 2007 is 50% up to \$89,325)	<u>86,671</u>	Mr. & Mrs. Doe's Homeowner's Exemption
Prorated ownership interest (land and improvement) (\$260,000 X 33.33%)	<u>86,658</u>	Mr. Person's interest
Homeowner's Exemption	<u>0</u>	Mr. Person does not qualify for a homeowner's exemption on this property.

**04. Determination of Residency**. The State Tax Commission may release pertinent information from any Idaho income tax return to the county assessor and the county Board of Equalization for the sole purpose of providing one (1) indicator of eligibility for the homeowner's exemption. According to Section 63-3077(4), Idaho Code, this information is confidential and is not subject to public disclosure. (4-11-06)

## 610. PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION -- RESIDENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS -- SPECIAL SITUATIONS (RULE 610).

Section 63-602G, Idaho Code.

(4-5-00)

**O1. Scope**. This rule addresses issues relating to the homeowner's exemption as it applies to certain unusual factual situations. It states general principles applicable to unusual cases and provides some illustrative

examples. The rule cannot address every conceivable situation that may arise, but the principles established may apply to the resolution of situations not addressed in the rule. (7-1-99)

**O2. Dual Residency Couples.** As used in this rule, "dual residency couple" means a husband and wife, each of whom has established a different dwelling place as his or her primary dwelling place as defined in Section 63-602G, Idaho Code, and Subsection 609.023 of these rules.

#### 03. Dual Residency Couples -- General Principles.

(7-1-99)

- **a.** Whether a particular residential improvement is an individual's primary dwelling place is a question of fact for each individual. Each spouse of a dual residency couple can maintain a separate primary dwelling place for purposes of the homeowner's exemption. The test to be applied is the general test set out in Subsection 609.023 of these rules.
- **b.** If a residential improvement is community property, either the husband or wife may exercise full management or control over it, except that neither the husband nor the wife can sell or encumber the property without the written consent of the other. Thus, either the husband or the wife can file an application for the homeowner's exemption regarding community property on his or her own authority. The signature of the other spouse is not required on the application. See Section 32-912, Idaho Code. (7-1-99)
- c. Neither spouse is a partial owner of community property. (This principle is an exception to laws generally governing community property interests. It applies only for matters relating to the homeowner's exemption or the circuit breaker property tax relief program. See Section 63-701(7) Idaho Code.) Thus, there is no authority to reduce the value of the improvement proportionally to reflect one (1) spouse's ownership in community property before determining the amount of the homeowner's exemption. For purposes of the homeowner's exemption, a community property interest is treated the same as a full ownership interest. (3-15-02)
- **d.** An owner may apply only once for the homeowner's exemption. See Section 63-602G(c), Idaho Code. Thus, an application by one (1) spouse regarding a residential improvement that is community property, precludes the other spouse from making a second application on any other residential improvement whether held by the other spouse as community or separate property except as provided in Subsection 610.07. (3-15-02)

#### 04. Example -- Both Residences are Community Property.

(7-1-99)

- **a.** Each member of a dual residency couple maintains his or her primary dwelling in a different residential improvement, each of which is owned by the couple as community property. Each applies for the homeowner's exemption for the residence in which he or she resides. (7-1-99)
- **b.** The first application is valid. Any subsequent application, though filed by the other spouse, is not valid because the couple can not make more than one (1) application. The homeowner's exemption applies to the full value of the first residential improvement to qualify without any proportional reduction. The other residential improvement does not qualify. (3-15-02)

#### 05. Example -- One Residence Is Community Property, the Other Is Separate Property. (7-1-99)

- **a.** Each member of a dual residency couple maintains his or her primary dwelling in a different residential improvement. One (1) is owned by the spouse who resides in it as his or her separate property, the other is owned by the couple as community property. Each applies for the homeowner's exemption for the residence in which he or she resides.

  (7-1-99)
- b. The first application is valid. Any subsequent application, though filed by the other spouse, is not valid. If the first application relates to the community property, it is an application on behalf of both members of the community. Thus, the other spouse can not file a second application relating to his or her separate property. If the first application relates to the separate property, then the subsequent application relating to the community property is a second application by the spouse owning the separate property and is not valid. The homeowner's exemption applies to the full value of the first residential improvement to qualify without any proportional reduction. The other residential improvement does not qualify.

  (3-15-02)

#### 06. Example -- Both Residences are Separate Property.

(7-1-99)

- **a.** Each member of a dual residency couple maintains his or her primary dwelling in a different residential improvement, each of which is owned by the spouse residing in it as his or her separate property. Each applies for the homeowner's exemption for the residence in which he or she resides. (7-1-99)
- **b.** Both residential improvements qualify for the full homeowner's exemption. Neither application is a second application by the same owner. Each spouse is a sole owner of the residential improvement, so the proportional reduction provisions for partial ownership do not apply. (7-1-99)
- **O7. Apportionment of Homeowner's Exemption by Dual Residency Couples.** Both spouses of a dual residency couple may elect to equally apportion the homeowner's exemption between the two (2) residential improvements if each files a written election with the county assessor of the county in which each property is located. When the election is made each residential improvement shall be entitled to one-half (1/2) of the exemption applicable to that property alone. The total exempted value of both properties shall not exceed the amount of exemption available to the individual residential improvement with the greatest market value if no election were made.
- **08. Multiple Ownerships Including Community Interests as Partial Owners.** A community property interest in a residential improvement is a partial ownership when combined with the ownership of another individual who is not a member of the marital community. For example, if a deed conveys title to real property to a husband and wife and to an adult child of theirs, the husband and wife hold a community property interest in the improvement and the child is a tenant-in-common. The parents collectively hold a two-thirds (2/3) partial interest and the child holds a one-third (1/3) partial interest in the property. Qualification of the property for the homeowner's exemption is as follows:
- **a.** If the residential improvement is the primary dwelling of the husband and wife but not the child, the homeowner's exemption applies to two-thirds (2/3) of the value of the improvement. (3-15-02)
- **b.** If the residential improvement is the primary dwelling of the child, but not of the husband or wife, the homeowner's exemption applies to one-third (1/3) of the value of the improvement. (3-15-02)
- **c.** If the residential improvement is the primary dwelling of the husband, wife and child, the homeowner's exemption applies to the full value of the improvement. (3-15-02)
- **d.** If the residential improvement is the primary dwelling of one (1) spouse but of neither the other spouse nor the child, the homeowner's exemption applies to two-thirds (2/3) of the value of the improvement unless the residential improvement of the other spouse has previously qualified for the homeowner's exemption under the dual residency couple rules set out in Subsections 610.02 through 610.07. The two-thirds (2/3) qualification results from the statutory provision that a community property interest is not considered a partial interest of either spouse. See Subsection 610.03.c. (3-15-02)
- **e.** If the residential improvement is the primary dwelling of one (1) spouse and the child, the homeowner's exemption applies to the full value of the improvement unless the residential improvement of the other spouse has previously qualified for the homeowner's exemption under the dual residency couple rules set out in Subsections 610.02. through 610.07. (3-15-02)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 645. LAND ACTIVELY DEVOTED TO AGRICULTURE DEFINED (RULE 645).

Section 63-604, Idaho Code.

(3-15-02)

**01. Definitions.** The following definitions apply for the implementation of the exemption for the speculative value portion of agricultural land. (7-1-99)

- **a.** Homesite. The "homesite" is that portion of land, contiguous with but not qualifying as land actively devoted to agriculture, and the associated site improvements used for residential and farm homesite purposes.

  (7-1-99)
- **b.** Associated Site Improvements. The "associated site improvements" include developed access, grading, sanitary facilities, water systems and utilities. (7-1-99)
  - c. Nursery Stock, Nursery stock is defined in Section 22-2302, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)
- d. Land Used to Produce Nursery Stock. "Land used to produce nursery stock" means land used by an agricultural enterprise to promote or support the promotion of nursery stock growth or propagation, not land devoted primarily to selling nursery stock or related products. This term also includes land under any container used to grow or propagate nursery stock. This term does not include land used for parking lots or for buildings sites used primarily to sell nursery stock or related items or any areas not primarily used for the nurturing, growth or propagation of nursery stock.

  (3-15-02)
- **e.** Speculative Value Exemption. The "speculative value exemption" is the exemption allowed on land actively devoted to agriculture. (7-1-99)
- **02. Homesite Assessment**. Effective January 1, 1999, each homesite and residential and other improvements, located on the homesite, shall be assessed at market value each year. (7-1-99)
- a. Accepted Assessment Procedures. Market value shall be determined through procedures, methods, and techniques recommended by nationally recognized appraisal and valuation associations, institutes, and societies and according to guidelines and publications approved by the State Tax Commission. Acceptable techniques include those that are either time tested in Idaho, mathematically correlated to market sales, endorsed by assessment organizations, or widely accepted by assessors in Idaho and other states. (7-1-99)
- **b.** Appropriate Market and Comparable Selection. The appropriate market is the market most similar to the homesite and improvements located on the homesite. In applying the sales comparison approach, the appraiser should select comparables having actual or potential residential use. (7-1-99)
- c. Assigning secondary category. The value of List and report the secondary category for the homesite will be listed in Category 10 using the chart in Subsection 645.02.c.

Description of Land	Secondary Category
Rural and Nonsubdivided	<u>10</u>
Rural and Subdivided	<u>15</u>
<u>Urban</u>	<u>20</u>

(7-1-99)

- **d.** Homesite Independent of Remaining Land. The value and classification of the homesite will be independent of the classification and valuation of the remaining land. (7-1-99)
- **03. Valuing Land, Excluding the Homesite**. The assessor shall value land, excluding the homesite, on the following basis: (5-3-03)
- a. Land Used for Personal Use or Pleasure. Any land, regardless of size, utilized for the grazing of animals kept primarily for personal use or pleasure and not a portion of a for profit enterprise, shall be valued at market value using appraisal procedures identified in Paragraph 645.02.a of this rule and shall not qualify for the speculative value exemption. (4-11-06)
  - **b.** Land in a Subdivision. Land in a subdivision with restrictions prohibiting agricultural use shall be

valued at market value using appraisal procedures identified in Paragraph 645.02.a of this rule and shall not qualify for the speculative value exemption but may qualify for the exemption under Section 63-602FF, Idaho Code. Land meeting the use qualifications identified in Section 63-604, Idaho Code, and in a subdivision without restrictions prohibiting agricultural use shall be valued as land actively devoted to agriculture using the same procedures as used for valuing land actively devoted to agriculture and not located in a subdivision. (4-11-06)

- c. Land, Five (5) Contiguous Acres or Less. Land of five (5) contiguous acres or less shall be presumed nonagricultural, shall be valued at market value using appraisal procedures identified in Paragraph 645.02.a of this rule, and shall not qualify for the speculative value exemption. If the owner produces evidence that each contiguous holding of land under the same ownership has been devoted to agricultural use for the last three (3) growing seasons and it agriculturally produced for sale or home consumption fifteen percent (15%) or more of the owner's or lessee's annual gross income or it produced gross revenue in the immediate preceding year of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or more, the land actively devoted to agriculture, shall qualify for the speculative value exemption. For holdings of five (5) contiguous acres or less income is measured by production of crops, nursery stock, grazing, or net income from sale of livestock. Income shall be estimated from crop prices at harvest or nursery stock prices at time of sale. The use of the land and the income received in the prior year must be certified with the assessor by March 15, each year.

  (4-11-06)
- d. Land, More Than Five (5) Contiguous Acres. Land of more than five (5) contiguous acres under one (1) ownership, producing agricultural field crops, nursery stock, or grazing, or in a cropland retirement or rotation program, as part of a for profit enterprise, shall qualify for the speculative value exemption. Land not annually meeting any of these requirements fails to qualify as land actively devoted to agriculture and shall be valued at market value using appraisal procedures identified in Paragraph 645.02.a. of this rule. (4-11-06)
- **04. Cross Reference.** For definitions and general principles relating to the taxable value of land actively devoted to agriculture, see Rule 613 of these rules. For agricultural land taxable value calculation examples, see Rule 614 of these rules. For information relating to Christmas tree farms, other annual forest products, and yield tax, see Rule 968 of these rules. (3-30-07)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 700. DEFINITIONS FOR PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION BENEFIT (RULE 700).

Section 63-701, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)

**01. Blind.** A person for whom there exists the medically documented opinion that the person is functionally blind as defined in Section 67-5402(2), Idaho Code. (3-30-01)

#### **02. Burden of Proof.** See Rule 600 of these rules. (3-15-02)

- **03. Claimant's Income**. All income defined in Section 63-701(5), Idaho Code, that is received by either spouse is included in household income even if one spouse lives in a medical care facility or otherwise lives outside the home except as provided in Rule 709 of these rules. For the purposes of excluding from claimant's income any return of principal paid by the recipient of an annuity, follow these guidelines. (3-30-07)
- **a.** An annuity means a contract sold by an insurance company to the claimant or claimant's spouse and designed to provide payments to the holder at specified equally spaced intervals or as a lump sum payment with the following conditions: (3-30-07)
  - i. The annuity must not be part of any pension plan available to an employee; (3-30-07)
- ii. No tax preference is given to the money spent to purchase the annuity (purchase payments must not reduce the buyer's taxable income); (3-30-07)
- iii. The buyer of the annuity must have purchased the annuity voluntary and not as a condition of employment or participation in an employer provided pension system; and (3-30-07)

- iv. Earnings from investments in the annuity must be tax-deferred prior to withdrawal. (3-30-07)
- **b.** Annuities do not include KEOGH plans, Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs), employer provided pensions, and similar financial instruments. Life insurance premiums shall not be treated as the principal of an annunity. (3-30-07)
- c. The recipient of the annuity payment(s), the claimant or claimant's spouse, has the burden of proving the income is the principal paid by the recipient. Such proof includes copies of the holder's annuity contract and any other documentation clearly indicating the conditions listed in Subparagraphs 700.03.a.i. through 700.03.a.iv. of this Rule are met. IRS form 1099 does not provide sufficient proof. (3-30-07)
- **04. Fatherless/Motherless Child.** Fatherless/Motherless child for purposes of Section 63-701(1), Idaho Code, means a child judicially determined to be abandoned, as defined by Sections 16-1602 or 16-2005, Idaho Code, by the child's male/female parent or a child whose male/female parent has had his parental rights terminated pursuant to court order or is deceased. (3-30-01)
- **05. Proportional Reduction of Value**. Proportional reduction of value pursuant to Section 63-701(7), Idaho Code, is required for partial ownership of otherwise eligible property. (3-15-02)
- a. There is no reduction of value for community property with no other interests except as provided in Rules 610.07 and 709.04 of these rules. Additionally, there is no reduction in value for the ownership interests of a partner of a limited partnership, a member of a limited liability company or a shareholder of a corporation when that person has no less than a five percent (5%) interest in the entity unless any interests are shared by any entity other than the limited partnership, limited liability company or corporation. (3-15-02)
- **b.** In other cases, benefits are to be calculated by applying the claimant's property tax reduction benefit to the eligible net taxable value of the claimant's share of the property. This value is determined by multiplying the market value of the land and of the improvement times the claimant's percent of ownership and subtracting the claimant's homeowner's exemption. *For example:*(3-30-07)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- i. Example 1. The claimant is the sole occupant of the property but only owns fifty percent (50%) of the property. In this example, the claimant's property tax reduction benefit will be applied to the tax on his/her net taxable market value of \$50,000.

Land Market Value	\$ 50,000
Improvement Market Value	\$150,000
Gross Market Value	\$200,000
Percent of Ownership of Claimant	50%
Claimant's Share of Land Market Value & Improvement Market Value (Land Market Value & Improvement Market Value x Percentage of Ownership)	\$ 100,000
Claimant's Homeowner's Exemption (Claimant's Share of Improvement and Land Market Value x 50%, (not to exceed \$75,000 89,325 for 20067)	<\$50,000>
Claimant's Eligible Net Taxable Value equals Claimant's Share of Market Value less Homeowner's Exemption (\$100,000 - \$50,000 = \$50,000)	\$50,000

<del>(3-30-07)</del>(

ii. Example 2. Tom Johnson and Marie Johnson, husband and wife, and property tax reduction claimant June Smith jointly own a property and occupy one (1) residential improvement located on the property. Calculate both homeowners' exemptions, and apply Ms. Smith's property tax reduction benefit to the tax on the net taxable value of her interest in the property.

<u>Description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Notes</u>
<u>Land</u>	<u>95,000</u>	
Residential Improvement	215,000	
Land and Improvement	310,000	
Prorated ownership interest (land and improvement) (\$310,000 X 66.67%)	206,677	Mr. & Mrs. Johnson's interest
Homeowner's Exemption Maximum for 2007 (\$89,325 X 66.67%)	<u>59,550</u>	Mr. & Mrs. Johnson's Homeowner's Exemption
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Homeowner's Exemption Maximum for 2007 (\$89,325 X 33.33%)	<u>29,775</u>	Ms. Smith's Homeowner's Exemption
Value of prorated interest less homeowner's exemption.	<u>73,548</u>	Ms. Smith's property tax reduction benefit is applied to the tax on the net taxable value.

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Code.	06.	<b>Physician</b> . Physician shall mean a licensed physician, as defined in Section 54-1803(3).	, Idaho -30-01)
spouse	<b>07.</b> or whose	<b>Widow/Widower</b> . A widow/widower is a person who has not remarried after the death subsequent marriage has been annulled. (3-	of their -15-02)
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<u>701.</u>		TO VERIFY THAT CLAIMANTS ARE LAWFULLY PRESENT IN THE UNITED ST	<b>CATES</b>
(RULE Section		through 710 and Sections 67-7901 through 7903, Idaho Code.	()
		Lawful Presence in the United States. The county assessor shall verify that any claimant urs of age or older is lawfully present in the United States before approving the claimant for presuant to Sections 63-701 through 710, Idaho Code, by doing the following:	who is roperty
the clai	mant's sp	Providing to the State Tax Commission electronically and by paper copies documentation vers name, social security number, and date of birth used for social security records of the claim ouse, if married, are correct. Examples of documentation that would verify that the information are not limited to the following:	ant and
	<u>i.</u>	Federal Form W-2;	()
	<u>ii.</u>	Federal Form 1099;	()

Retirement Board, or the federal Personnel Management System:

Form 1099 received by the claimant from the Social Security Administration or the Railroad

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<u>i</u>	<u>V.</u>	Social Security Card:	<u>()</u>
<u>v</u>	<u>v.</u>	Birth Certificate; or	()
<u>v</u>	vi.	Documents listed under paragraph 701.01.b. of this rule.	()
Social Sec	the clai	If the claimant or the claimant's spouse, if married, is not currently administration, the Railroad Retirement Board, or the federal Personn mant to submit the following, a copy of which shall be attached to the	nel Management System, then
<u>i</u> Code; or	i <u>.</u>	An Idaho driver's license or an Idaho identification card issued pursu	tant to Section 49-2444, Idaho
or territor age, sex, show that	race, he	A valid driver's license or similar document issued for the purpose of United States, if such license or document contains a photograph of the light, weight, or other such personal identifying information relating ividual is the person identified in the other state or territory of the Unition document; or	he individual or the claimant's to the individual sufficient to
<u>i</u>	ii.	A United States military card or a military dependent's identification	card; or ()
<u>i</u>	<u>v.</u>	A United States coast guard merchant mariner card; or	()
<u>v</u>	<u>v.</u>	A Native American tribal document; or	<u>()</u>
<u>v</u>	vi.	A valid United States passport.	<u>()</u>
		Attestation of Lawful Presence. In addition to the documentation prothis rule the claimant is also required to attest, under penalty of perjury mmission, that:	
<u>i</u>	<u>.</u>	The social security number(s) provided is/are valid; and	<u>()</u>
<u>i</u> residents;	<u>i.</u> or	The claimant and the claimant's spouse, if married, are United State	es citizens or legal permanent
	<u>iii.</u> rsuant to	The claimant and the claimant's spouse, if married, are otherwise is federal law.	awfully present in the United
<u>d</u>	<u>d.</u>	Audit. During audit the State Tax Commission shall:	()
<u>i</u> electronic	<u>.</u> cally wit	Verify the claimant's and the claimant's spouse's, if married h the Social Security Administration or through other appropriate government.	
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as lawfull successive	e years	Successive Applications. Once a claimant and the claimant's spouse, int in the United States pursuant to this rule, a claimant and the claimant will be presumed to be lawfully present in the United States if the continue to attest in each successive application that no change has determined to the continue to attest in each successive application that no change has determined to the continue to attest in each successive application that no change has determined to the continue to attest in each successive application that no change has determined to the continue to attest in each successive application that no change has determined to the continue to attest and the claimant and	imant's spouse, if married, in e claimant and the claimant's
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#### 717. PROCEDURE AFTER CLAIM APPROVAL (RULE 717).

Sections 63-115 and 63-707, Idaho Code.

(3-30-07)

- **01. Formatting Requirements**. The property tax reduction roll shall be formatted as required by Section 63-707, Idaho Code. (3-30-01)
- **O2. Preliminary Property Tax Reduction Roll**. The roll, certified by the assessor to the county auditor and the State Tax Commission by the fourth Monday in June, shall be termed the preliminary property tax reduction roll. The preliminary property tax reduction roll shall list property tax reduction claimants in alphabetical order unless the State Tax Commission grants permission for claimants to be listed in an alternate order. Each original claim form shall be submitted to the State Tax Commission in the same order as shown on the preliminary property tax reduction roll.

  (3-30-01)
- **03. Final Property Tax Reduction Roll.** The completed property tax reduction roll, certified by each county clerk to the State Tax Commission by the fourth (4th) Monday in October, shall be termed the final property tax reduction roll. The final property tax reduction roll shall list property tax reduction claimants in the same order as shown on the preliminary property tax reduction roll, except that all fully disapproved claimants shall be deleted and not shown on the final property tax reduction roll. Erroneous claims which are partially disapproved by the State Tax Commission shall be shown on the final property tax reduction roll after the county clerk has made all adjustments or corrections listed on the notice sent to the county auditor pursuant to Section 63-707(6), Idaho Code, termed county change letter. (3-30-01)
- **O4.** Certification of Electronic Property Tax Reduction Roll by County Assessor. After approval of the claims by the county board of equalization but no later than the fourth Monday in June, each county assessor will certify the property tax reduction roll to the county auditor and send a copy to the State Tax Commission. In addition, each county assessor will also send a copy of this certified roll to the State Tax Commission in a password protected electronic data file formatted as directed or approved by the State Tax Commission. Each county assessor will contact the State Tax Commission to receive a password. This password protected electronic roll will contain the following information:

a.	Claimant's Social Security Number. List the claimant's social security number.	(3-30-07)
b.	Claimant's Date of Birth. List the claimant's date of birth.	(3-30-07)
c.	Claimant's Last Name. List the claimant's last name.	(3-30-07)
d.	Claimant's First Name. List the claimant's first name.	(3-30-07)
e.	Spouse's Social Security Number. List the social security number for the spouse of the c	laimant. (3-30-07)
f.	Spouse's Date of Birth. List the date of birth for the spouse of the claimant.	(3-30-07)
g.	Spouse's Last Name. List the last name for the spouse of the claimant.	(3-30-07)
h.	Spouse's First Name. List the first name for the spouse of the claimant.	(3-30-07)
i.	Claimant's Telephone Number. List the claimant's telephone number.	(3-30-07)
j.	Claimant's Address. List the claimant's address.	(3-30-07)
k.	Claimant's City. List the city where the claimant lives.	(3-30-07)
l.	Claimant's State. List the postal abbreviation for the state where the claimant lives.	(3-30-07)

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(3-30-07)

n. Claimant's Parcel Number(s). List the parcel number for the property on which the claimant is receiving the homeowner's exemption. When more than one (1) parcel owned by the claimant is eligible, list all eligible parcel numbers. (3-30-07)
o. Year. List the current year. (3-30-07)
p. Claimant's County Number. List the number of the county where the claimant lives. (3-30-07)

Claimant's Zip Code. List the claimant's zip code.

- **q.** Term of Direct Address. List the appropriate term of direct address; that is, "Mr.," Ms.," or "Mr. & (3-30-07)
  - r. Income Data. List income data. (3-30-07)
  - s. Identify New Applicants. Identify claimants who are applying for this benefit for the first time.
    (3-30-07)
- taxable value. Value. List the best estimate for each secondary category of current market value and prorated net (3-30-07)
- **u.** Maximum Benefit. The program will automatically show the maximum benefit for which the claimant is eligible based on income. (3-30-07)
  - v. Qualifying Criteria. Identify all of the following criteria that the claimant meets. (3-30-07)
  - i. Sixty-five (65) <u>years old</u> or older. (3-30-07)( )
  - ii. Blind. (3-30-07)
- iii. Disability granted by the Social Security Administration, Railroad Retirement Board, or federal civil service. (3-30-07)
  - iv. Orphan, under eighteen (18) years of age. (3-30-07)
  - v. Prisoner of war or hostage, certified by Veteran's Affairs. (3-30-07)
- vi. Nonservice connected disability or service connected disability at ten percent (10%) to thirty percent (30%), certified by Veteran's Affairs. (3-30-07)
  - vii. Service connected disability at forty percent (40%) or more, certified by Veteran's Affairs. (3-30-07)
  - viii. Widow or widower, include date of spouse's death. (3-30-07)
  - ix. Whether the claimant is lawfully present in the United States.
- **O5.** Certification of Completed Electronic Property Tax Reduction Roll by County Auditor. No later than the fourth Monday in October, each county auditor will certify the property tax reduction roll to the State Tax Commission. In addition, each county auditor will also send a copy of this certified roll to the State Tax Commission in a password protected electronic data file formatted as directed or approved by the State Tax Commission. Each county auditor will contact the State Tax Commission to receive a password. In addition to the data files listed in Paragraphs 717.01.a. through 717.01.v. of this rule, this password protected electronic roll will contain the following information formatted as directed or approved by the State Tax Commission. (3-30-07)
  - a. Current Year's Levy. List the current year's levy for the tax code area where each claimant's

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property is located. (3-30-07)

- **b.** Current Year's Taxable Value. List the current year's taxable value for each claimant's qualifying property. (3-30-07)
- c. Claimed Property Tax Reduction Amount. List for each claimant the amount of property tax reduction claimed based on the current year's levy and the current year's eligible taxable value. (3-30-07)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 804. TAX LEVY -- CERTIFICATION -- URBAN RENEWAL DISTRICTS (RULE 804). Section 63-803, Idaho Code.

**01. Definitions**. (4-5-00)

- **a.** "Urban renewal district." An urban renewal district, as referred to in Section 63-215, Idaho Code, shall mean an urban renewal area formed pursuant to an urban renewal plan adopted in accordance with Section 50-2008, Idaho Code. Urban renewal districts are not taxing districts. (4-5-00)
- **b.** "Revenue allocation area (RAA)." A revenue allocation area (RAA) as referred to in Section 50-2908, Idaho Code, shall be the area defined in Section 50-2903, Idaho Code, in which base and increment values are to be determined. Revenue allocation areas (RAAs) are not taxing districts. (4-5-00)
- **c.** "Current base value." The current base value of each parcel in a taxing district or unit shall be the value of that parcel on the current base assessment roll as defined under Section 50-2903, Idaho Code. Current base value does not include value found on the occupancy roll. (4-5-00)
- **d.** "Initial base value." The initial base value for each parcel is the sum of the taxable value of each category of property in the parcel for the year the RAA is established. (4-5-00)
- **e.** "Increment value." The increment value is the difference between the current equalized value of each parcel of taxable property in the RAA and that parcel's current base value, provided such difference is a positive value. (4-5-00)

#### **02.** Establishing and Adjusting Base and Increment Values. (4-5-00)

**a.** Establishing initial base value. If a parcel's legal description has changed prior to computing initial base year value, the value that best reflects the prior year's taxable value of the parcel's current legal description must be determined and will constitute the initial base year value for such parcel. The initial base value includes the taxable value, as of the effective date of the ordinance adopting the urban renewal plan, of all otherwise taxable property, as defined in Section 50-2903, Idaho Code. Initial base value does not include value found on the occupancy roll.

(4-5-00)

b. Adjustments to base value - general value changes. Adjustments to base values will be calculated on a parcel by parcel basis, each parcel being a unit and the total value of the unit being used in the calculation of any adjustment. Base values are to be adjusted downward when the current taxable value of any parcel in the RAA is less than the most recent base value for such parcel. In the case of parcels containing some categories of property which increase in value and some which decrease, the base value for the parcel will only decrease provided the sum of the changes in category values results in a decrease in total parcel value. Any adjustments shall be made by category and may result in increases or decreases to base values for given categories of property for any parcel. Adjustments to base values for any real, personal, or operating property shall establish new base values from which future adjustments may be made. In the following examples the parcel's initial base value is one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), including Category 21 value of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) and Category 42 value of eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000).

- i. Case 1: Offsetting decreases and increases in value. One (1) year later the parcel has a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) decrease in value in Category 21 and a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) increase in Category 42 value. There is no change in the base value for the parcel. (4-5-00)
- ii. Case 2: Partially offsetting decreases and increases in value. One (1) year later the parcel has a three thousand dollars (\$3,000) decrease in value in Category 21 and a one thousand dollars (\$1,000) increase in Category 42 value. The base value decreases two thousand dollars (\$2,000) to ninety-eight thousand dollars (\$98,000). (4-5-00)
- iii. Case 3: Future increase in value following decreases. One (1) year after the parcel in Case 2 has a base value reduced to ninety-eight thousand dollars (\$98,000), the value of the parcel increases by five thousand dollars (\$5,000) which is the net of category changes. The base value remains at ninety-eight thousand dollars (\$98,000). (4-5-00)
- **c.** Adjustments to base value splits and combinations. Before other adjustments can be made, the most recent base value must be adjusted to reflect changes in each parcel's legal description. This adjustment shall be calculated as described in the following subsections. (4-5-00)
- i. When a parcel has been split, the most recent base year value is transferred to the new parcels, making sure that the new total equals the most recent base year value. (4-5-00)
- ii. When a parcel has been combined with another parcel, the most recent base year values are added together. (4-5-00)
- iii. When a parcel has been split and combined with another parcel in the same year, the value of the split shall be calculated as set forth in Subsection 804.02.c.i. and then the value of the combination will be calculated as set forth in Subsection 804.02.c.ii. (4-5-00)
- **d.** Adjustments to base values when exempt parcels become taxable. Base values shall be adjusted as described in the following subsections. (4-5-00)
- i. Fully exempt parcels at time of RAA establishment. When a parcel that was exempt at the time the RAA was established becomes taxable, the base value is to be adjusted upwards to reflect the estimated value of the formerly exempt parcel at the time the RAA was established. (4-5-00)
- ii. Partially exempt parcels. When a partially exempt parcel within the RAA becomes fully taxable, the base value of the RAA shall be adjusted upwards by the difference between the value that would have been assessed had the parcel been fully taxable in the year the RAA was established and the taxable value of the parcel included in the base value of the RAA. For example, assume a parcel of farmland within an RAA had a taxable value of five hundred dollars (\$500) in the year the RAA base value was established. Assume also that if this parcel had not been actively devoted to agriculture at that time, the taxable value would have been fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500). After five (5) years, this parcel is no longer used for farming, loses its partial exemption, and becomes reclassified as industrial land with a value of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). The base value within the RAA would be adjusted upwards by one thousand dollars (\$1,000), the difference between fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) and five hundred (\$500).
- iii. Change of exempt status. When a parcel that is taxable and included in the base value at the time the RAA is established subsequently becomes exempt, the base value is reduced by the original value of the parcel included in the base value. If this parcel subsequently becomes taxable, the base value is to be adjusted upward by the same amount that was originally subtracted. For example, assume a land parcel had a base value of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000). Three (3) years later, an improvement valued at one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) was added. The land at this later date had a value of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000). Both land and improvements were purchased by an exempt entity. The base would be reduced by twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000). Five (5) years later, the land and improvement becomes taxable. The base value is to be adjusted upwards by twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).
- **e.** Adjustments to base values when property is removed. Base values are to be adjusted downward for real, personal, and operating property removed from the RAA. Property shall be considered removed only under the conditions described in the following subsections. (4-5-00)

- i. For real property, all of the improvement is physically removed from the RAA, provided that there is no replacement of said improvement during the year the original improvement was removed. If said improvement is replaced during the year of removal, the reduction in base value will be calculated by subtracting the value of the new improvement from the current base value of the original improvement, provided that such reduction is not less than zero (0). (4-5-00)
- ii. For personal property, all of the personal property associated with one (1) parcel is physically removed from the RAA. (4-5-00)
  - iii. For operating property, any of the property under a given ownership is removed from the RAA. (4-5-00)
- Adjustments to increment values. Decreases in total parcel value below the initial base value decrease the base value for the parcel. This leads to greater increment value if the parcel increases in value in future years. For example, if a parcel with a initial base value of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) decreases in value to ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000), but later increases to ninety-eight thousand dollars (\$98,000), an increment value of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) is generated. If the same parcel increases in value to one hundred two thousand dollars (\$102,000) after the decrease to ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000), the increment value would be seven thousand dollars (\$7,000).
- g. Apportioning operating property values. For operating property, the original base value shall be apportioned to the RAA on the same basis as is used to apportion operating property to taxing districts and units. The operating property base value shall be adjusted as required under Section 50-2903, Idaho Code. (4-5-00)
- **O3.** Levy Computation for Taxing Districts Encompassing RAAs Within Urban Renewal Districts. The property tax levy for any taxing district or unit which includes all or part of an RAA in an urban renewal district shall be computed by dividing the dollar amount certified for the property tax portion of the budget of the taxing district or unit by the market value for assessment purposes of all taxable property within the taxing district or unit, including the value of each parcel on the current base assessment roll (base value), but excluding the increment value. For example, if the taxable value of property within a taxing district is one hundred million dollars (\$100,000,000) but fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) of that value is increment value, the levy of the taxing district must be computed by dividing the property tax portion of the district's budget by eighty-five million dollars (\$85,000,000).
- **Modification of an Urban Renewal Plan**. When an authorized municipality passes an ordinance modifying an urban renewal plan containing a revenue allocation financing provision, the current value of property in the RAA shall be determined as if the modification had not occurred. All modifications to urban renewal areas and RAAs must comply with the provisions of Rule 225 of these rules. (4-5-00)
- **a.** Modification by consolidation of RAAs. If such modification involves combination or consolidation of two (2) or more RAAs, the base value shall be determined by adding together independently determined current base values for each of the areas to be combined or consolidated. The current taxable value of property in an area not previously included in any RAA shall be added to determine the total current base value for the consolidated RAA. (4-5-00)
- **b.** Modification by annexation. If an RAA is modified by annexation, the current taxable value of property in the area annexed shall be added to the most current base value determined for the RAA prior to the annexation. (4-5-00)
- 05. Allocation to School Districts. In the case of school districts, the budget limited by Section 63-802, Idaho Code, shall not include the allocation pursuant to Section 50-2908, Idaho Code. Said allocation shall be computed for any school district by multiplying the school district's urban renewal increment as defined in Rule 329 of these rules by four tenths of one percent (0.4%) pursuant to Section 33-1002, Idaho Code. (4-5-00)
- **065.** Cross Reference. The county auditor shall certify the full market value by taxing district as specified in Rule 63995 of these rules. (4-5-00)(\_\_\_\_)

805.	PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO PROVIDE NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING (RULE 805).	•
Section 6	63-802A, Idaho Code.	(3-15-02)

- **01. Penalties for Noncompliance**. Effective January 1, 2003, penalties shall be applied to any taxing district that fails to provide each appropriate county clerk with written notification of the budget hearing information required pursuant to Section 63-802A, Idaho Code. *The penalties provided by this section apply only to failure to comply with the April 30 notification deadline.* (3-15-02)
- a: Noncomplying Nonschool Districts. There shall be no increase in the portion of the budget subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code. This restriction shall apply to otherwise available budget increases from the three percent (3%) growth factor, new construction or change of land use classification, and annexation. There shall also be no increase resulting from adding previously accrued foregone increase amounts to the budget and the total accrued foregone amount shall not change for a noncomplying district. The penalties provided by this section apply only to failure to comply with the April 30 notification deadline.
- **b.** Noncomplying School Districts. The maintenance and operation portion of the budget is the portion that shall not increase. School tort and tuition funds shall be permitted to increase, subject to the limitations of Section 63-802, Idaho Code.

  (3-15-02)
- **02. Exceptions**. Voter approved budget increases permitted pursuant to Section 63-802(4), Idaho Code, shall be allowed. (3-15-02)
- **O3.** County Clerks to Submit Lists. By the fourth Monday of May, each county clerk shall submit to the State Tax Commission a list of noncomplying taxing districts along with other documents required pursuant to Rule 803 of these rules and Section 63-808, Idaho Code. (4-11-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

808.<del>-- 901.</del> (RESERVED).

#### 809. CORRECTION OF ERRONEOUS LEVY (RULE 809).

Sections 63-809 and 63-810, Idaho Code.

- **91.** Errors Discovered by the Fourth Monday in October. When the State Tax Commission receives by the fourth Monday in October from a board of county commissioners notice of corrections for unintentional clerical, mathematical, or electronic errors under Section 63-810, Idaho Code, the State Tax Commission shall make the corrections to any approved levies by the fourth Monday in October.
- <u>02.</u> <u>Errors Discovered After the Fourth Monday in October.</u> When the State Tax Commission receives after the fourth Monday in October and prior to the following January 30 notices of corrections for any unintentional errors, as referenced in Subsection 809.01 of this rule, the State Tax Commission shall make the corrections and approve the appropriate corrected levies within one (1) week.
- <u>03.</u> <u>Cross Reference.</u> For information on reporting of corrections for unintentional clerical, mathematical, or electronic errors, see Sections 63-809 and 63-810, Idaho Code, and Rule 509 of these rules. ( )

#### **810.** (RESERVED).

#### 811. COMPUTATION OF PROPERTY TAXES (RULE 811).

Section 63-811, Idaho Code.

**O1. Duty of the County Auditor.** Upon distribution of the approved final levy rates for the current year from the State Tax Commission by the fourth Monday in October, the county auditor shall deliver the final levy rates and the total tax charge for each taxing district or unit that is levying for the current year within the county to the county treasurer by the first Monday in November for the property roll and operating property roll, by the first

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Monday in December for the subsequent property roll, and by the first Monday in March of the following year for the missed property roll.

**O2. Duty of the County Treasurer**. Upon receipt of the final levy rates and total tax charge for each taxing district or unit, the county treasurer shall compute the individual tax charge for each taxable property in the county and prepare and mail the property tax bill for each taxable property according to Section 63-902, Idaho Code, and Rule 902 of these rules.

#### 812. -- 901. (RESERVED).

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

966.	RECAPTURE OF DEFERRED	TAXES O	N LANDS	DESIGNATED	UNDER	SECTION	63-1706,
<b>IDAHO</b>	CODE (RULE 966).						
Section	63-1703, Idaho Code.						()

- **Ownership Interest/Deferred Taxes**. Where forestland is held in joint ownership, a transfer of ownership for purposes of recapturing deferred taxes shall occur when any one (1) of the legal entities holding an ownership interest in the subject property shall convey, transfer, or otherwise dispose of their ownership interest or portion thereof. Any such transfer of ownership shall subject the entire parcel to recapture of deferred taxes, unless the new owner timely redesignates their ownership interest under Section 63-1706, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)
- **O2. Deferred Tax Responsibility.** Deferred taxes shall be the responsibility of the selling landowner. Deferred taxes shall constitute a lien on the land. (3-30-01)
- **03. Change in Use/Deferred Taxes**. Forestlands designated under Section 63-1706, Idaho Code, and subsequently removed from the designation by change in use with no ownership transfer to any *taxing category* use other than designation under Section 63-1705, Idaho Code, shall cause a recapture of deferred taxes calculated in the following manner:

  (3-30-01)(\_\_\_\_\_)
- **a.** The difference between the current bare land value for the correct class of land in the forest value zone in which the parcel lies and the current market value for assessment purposes of the property during the current year; (3-30-01)
  - **b.** Multiplied by the current levy for the tax code area or areas in which the parcel lies; (3-30-01)
- **c.** Multiplied by the number of years, including the entire current year, the lands have been subject to designation under Section 63-1706, Idaho Code, not to exceed ten (10) years. Additionally, a credit shall be allowed for any yield tax paid up to the amount of the deferred taxes. (3-30-01)
- **04.** Transfer of Ownership/Deferred Taxes. Forestland designated under Section 63-1706, Idaho Code, upon transfer of ownership or removal to designation under Section 63-1705, Idaho Code, shall be subject to a recapture of deferred taxes calculated in the following manner: (3-30-01)
- a. The difference between the current bare land value for the correct class of land in the forest value zone in which the parcel lies and the current productivity value for the correct class of land in the forest value zone in which the parcel lies, for the current year;

  (3-30-01)
  - **b.** Multiplied by the current levy for the tax code area or areas in which the parcel lies; (3-30-01)
- **c.** Multiplied by the number of years, including the entire current year, which the lands have been subject to designation under Section 63-1706, Idaho Code, not to exceed ten (10) years. Additionally, a credit shall be allowed for any yield tax paid up to the amount of the deferred taxes. (3-30-01)
- **05. Investment Lands**. Investment lands are defined as those in <u>secondary</u> categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 9, as defined in Rule  $\frac{130}{510}$  of these rules.  $\frac{(3-30-01)}{(2-30-01)}$

#### **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

#### 35.01.05 - IDAHO MOTOR FUELS TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0105-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is December 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

- **Rule 105:** To notify gaseous fuels distributors that a bad debt credit cannot be claimed on or after December 1, 2007, and to show that a gaseous fuels distributor pays fuels taxes and permit fees to the Tax Commission.
- **Rule 130:** To be consistent with the passage of House Bills 14 and 249a; to remove a deduction for gallons delivered to an Indian-owned retail outlet and to add a deduction for fuel that is the subject of an agreement authorized by section 67-4002, Idaho Code, only if the agreement is signed by the governor and appropriate representative of a tribe before December 1, 2007; to refer to other limitations for the deduction contained in Idaho Code section 63-2407; to show how the 2% allowance was distributed before December 1, 2007; to show how the 2% allowance is distributed on and after December 1, 2007; and to notify fuels distributors that a bad debt credit cannot be claimed on or after December 1, 2007.
- **Rule 140:** To be consistent with the passage of House Bill 249a; to show how the 2% allowance was distributed before December 1, 2007; to show how the 2% allowance is distributed on and after December 1, 2007; and to notify fuels distributors that a bad debt credit cannot be claimed on or after December 1, 2007.
- **Rule 160:** To be consistent with the passage of House Bill 249a, and to show that a licensed fuels distributor pays aircraft engine taxes to the Tax Commission.
- **Rule 180:** To be consistent with the law due to the passage of House Bill 249a, to remove bad debt credit and update the language.
- **Rule 270:** Adding December 1, 2007, cutoff date to be consistent with the law due to the passage of House Bill 249a and to show that purchases of motor fuels from an Indian-owned retail outlet after December 1, 2007, may not include the Idaho motor fuels tax and do not qualify as an Idaho tax-paid purchase
- **Rule 292:** Adding December 1, 2007, cutoff date to be consistent with the law due to the passage of House Bill 249a and to show that purchases of motor fuels from an Indian-owned retail outlet after December 1, 2007, may not include the Idaho motor fuels tax and do not qualify as an Idaho tax-paid purchase.
- **Rule 510:** To be consistent with the passage of House Bills 14 and 249a, to remove "cost of collections" in regard to the 2% discount granted to licensed fuel distributors when they pay motor fuels taxes, and to add biodiesel to the list of products subject to the transfer fee.
- **TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: In compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Randy Nilson, at (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Randy Nilson Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0105-0701

#### 105. LICENSED GASEOUS FUELS DISTRIBUTOR'S REPORTS (RULE 105).

- **Monthly Reports**. Every licensed gaseous fuels distributor shall file with the State Tax Commission a monthly tax report and supporting detailed schedules on forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission. Such reports shall contain a declaration by the person filing the report that the statements contained therein are true and are made under penalties of perjury. The report shall include the following information together with such other information as the State Tax Commission may require: (7-1-99)
- a. The total taxable gallons of gaseous fuels delivered into the supply tank of registered motor vehicles; (3-30-07)
  - **b.** The taxable gallons after deduction of a two percent (2%) allowance. See Rule 140 of these rules; (4-5-00)
  - **c.** The tax computation; (7-1-99)
- **d.** The bad debt amount, if any. (This credit or debit only applies to debt from fuels taxes that have been written off for income tax purposes in the distributor's records before December 1, 2007.) See Rule 140 of these rules;

  (4-5-00)(12-1-07)T
- **e.** The gaseous fuels permit fees (Attach to the report the yellow copy of the receipt for each gaseous fuels permit sold during that month); and (4-5-00)
  - **f.** The net tax due; (4-5-00)
  - g. A receipt schedule reporting the total number of taxable gallons of gaseous fuels sold must be

attached to the distributor's report.

(4-5-00)

- **Report Due and Payment Required.** The report shall be due on or before the last day of the month following the month to which the report relates together with the payment of any tax, annual gaseous fuels permit fees, penalty or interest due. See Rule 010 of these rules relating to method of payment and requirement for payments of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or more. (7-1-99)
- **6.9. Failure to** *Collect and Remit* Pay Tax and Permit Fees. Any gaseous fuels distributor required to *collect* pay the tax or permit fee imposed by Section 63-2424, Idaho Code, who fails to *collect* pay such tax or permit fee, or any gaseous fuels distributor required to remit the tax or permit fee pursuant to this section who fails to make such remittance shall be liable to the State Tax Commission for the amount of tax or permit fee not *collected or remitted* paid plus any applicable penalty or interest. The State Tax Commission may collect such amounts in the manner provided in Section 63-2434, Idaho Code.

  (7-1-99)(12-1-07)T
- **04. Receipt of Gaseous Fuels**. The special fuels tax is not imposed on gaseous fuels when the fuels are received in Idaho. (4-5-00)
- **05. Gaseous Fuels.** Propane and natural gas are presumed to be tax-exempt fuels unless delivered into the supply tank of a registered, or required to be registered, motor vehicle. (3-30-07)
- **O6. Annual Fees for Gaseous Fuels Permits.** Persons operating vehicles powered by gaseous fuels may pay an annual fee for a gaseous fuels permit instead of paying the special fuel taxes at the time propane or natural gas is purchased. Gaseous fuels distributors who sell these permits shall issue a permit that will be in the form of a decal to be displayed in a conspicuous spot visible from the outside of the permitted vehicle. The fees for gaseous fuels permits are based on the gross vehicle weight of the vehicles and are set by Rule 115 of these rules as is mandated by Section 63-2424(2), Idaho Code. The gaseous fuels permit is valid for the annual permit period of July 1 through June 30 of the following year. The annual permit period displayed on the decal will be the year in which the decal expires. (4-5-00)
- **O7. Documentation of Untaxed Gaseous Fuels Delivered into Motor Vehicles.** Gaseous fuels delivered into the fuel supply tank of a registered, or required to be registered, motor vehicle are taxable except for: (3-30-07)
- **a.** Government. Gaseous fuels used by vehicles owned or leased, and operated by the federal government, or by an instrumentality of the state of Idaho, including all of its political subdivisions, are exempt from the special fuels tax on gaseous fuels. In this case, the licensed distributor must record on the document of sale, the name of the governmental entity, the license or identification number, and the type of vehicle. (7-1-99)
- **b.** Gaseous Fuels Decal. Gaseous fuels dispensed into the fuel supply tank of a motor vehicle displaying a valid Gaseous Fuels Decal are exempt from tax. For the exempt status to be valid, the purchaser's name, address, vehicle license number, and the words "gaseous fuels decal" must be recorded on the sales document.

(4-5-00)

**08.** Completion of Gaseous Fuels Receipt Book(s). The following information is required to be recorded by a gaseous fuels distributor in his gaseous fuels receipt book for each gaseous fuels permit (decal) sold:

(4-5-00)

**a.** The date: (4-5-00)

**b.** The amount; (4-5-00)

**c.** One (1) of the following weight classes: (4-5-00)

i. Zero - eight thousand pounds (0 - 8,000 lbs.); or (4-5-00)

ii. Eight thousand one - sixteen thousand pounds (8,001 - 16,000 lbs.); or (4-5-00)

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iii.	Sixteen thousand one - twenty-six thousand pounds (16,001 - 26,0	000 lbs.); or (4-5-00)	
iv.	Twenty-six thousand one pounds (26,001 lbs.) and over.	(4-5-00)	
d.	The current month;	(4-5-00)	
e.	The annual permit period;	(4-5-00)	
f.	The customer's name and vehicle license plate number;	(4-5-00)	
g.	The name and license number of the gaseous fuels distributor who	o is selling the permit; and (4-5-00)	
h.	The signature of the salesperson.	(4-5-00)	
June 30, by Ju	Annual Reconciliation of Gaseous Fuels Receipt Books and ermits must reconcile its account with the State Tax Commission for ly 31, of the same year. Distributors may begin ordering decals a ual permit period. The following is required to be received by	r the annual permit period ending nd receipt books in May for the	
a.	All unused/unsold gaseous fuels decals;	(4-5-00)	
<b>b.</b> All voided receipts (white and yellow copies) not previously		nitted with the distributor report; (4-5-00)	
c.	All receipt books (pink copies must be intact); and	(4-5-00)	
d.	A completed gaseous fuels reconciliation form which includes:	(4-5-00)	
i.	The number of decals ordered for the annual permit period;	(4-5-00)	
ii.	The number of decals sold for the annual permit period;	(4-5-00)	
iii.	The balance of decals at the end of the annual permit period; and	(4-5-00)	
iv. describing the	The number, if any, of decals lost or destroyed. If decals are circumstances of the loss or destruction must accompany the di		

- reconciliation.
- Assessment for Unaccounted for Decals. Two hundred and eight dollars (\$208) will be assessed for each decal not accounted for during the annual reconciliation, unless there is clear and convincing evidence the decal was destroyed or mutilated. (4-5-00)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 130. DISTRIBUTOR'S FUEL TAX REPORTS (RULE 130).

Monthly Reports. Every licensed distributor shall file with the State Tax Commission a monthly tax report and supporting detailed schedules on forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission. The distributor must keep detailed inventory records. All reports which require the reporting of the number of gallons of motor fuels and other petroleum products shall be stated in gross gallons. With respect to the quantity of motor fuels and other petroleum products received during the month, the distributor shall include a listing of each person from inside and/or outside Idaho supplying motor fuels and petroleum products to the distributor during the month and the number of gallons supplied by each supplier, on a load-by-load basis. Such reports shall contain a declaration by the person filing the report that the statements contained therein are true and are made under penalties of perjury. The report shall include the following information together with such other information as the State Tax Commission may require:

(3-30-01)

- **a.** The beginning inventory of motor fuels and other petroleum products on the first day of the month; (7-1-98)
- **b.** The total quantity of motor fuels and other petroleum products received during the month; (7-1-98)
- **c.** The total quantity of motor fuels and other petroleum products disbursed during the month. Disbursements include motor fuel that is: (4-11-06)
  - i. Delivered to licensed distributors tax and transfer fee not collected; (4-11-06)
  - ii. Exported; (4-11-06)
  - iii. Delivered to the Idaho National Guard tax exempt; or (4-11-06)
- iv. Delivered to an Indian-owned retail outlet tax not collected. Exempt from fuels tax because the fuel is the subject of an agreement authorized by Section 67-4002, Idaho Code, to the extent provided by the agreement, but only if the agreement is signed by the governor and appropriate representative of a tribe before December 1, 2007.

  (4-11-06)(12-1-07)T
- **d.** The total quantity of motor fuels and other petroleum products transferred or relabeled from one (1) fuel type to another; (7-1-98)
  - **e.** The casualty loss documented with satisfactory written explanation of proof of loss; (7-1-98)
  - **f.** The ending inventory of motor fuels and other petroleum products on the last day of the month; (7-1-98)
  - **g.** The gross taxable gallons of motor fuels and other petroleum products; (7-1-98)
  - **h.** The tax-paid purchases; (7-1-98)
  - i. The net taxable gallons; (7-1-98)
- j. The gallons of ethanol *and biodiesel* reported in ethanol *blends*, <u>blended fuel</u>. The deduction for ethanol is limited to ten percent (10%) of the total volume of the product that meets the definition of gasohol as defined in Section 63-2401, Idaho Code. Biodiesel reported in biodiesel *blends*, and biodiesel <u>blended fuel</u>. (*limited* The deduction for biodiesel is up to ten percent (10%) of the total volume). See Section 63-2407, Idaho Code, for other limitations to these deductions;
- **k.** The gallons after deduction of a one percent (1%) or two percent (2%) allowance, whichever is appropriate. (This subsection only applies to receipts of motor fuels received before December 1, 2007.) See Rule 140 of these rules; (7-1-99)(12-1-07)T
- <u>L</u> The gallons after deduction of a two percent (2%) allowance. (This subsection only applies to receipts of motor fuels received on and after December 1, 2007.) See Rule 140 of these rules; (12-1-07)T
  - $l_{\underline{\mathbf{m}}}$ . The tax computation; (7-1-98)
- mn. The bad debt amounts, refer to Rule 140 of these rules (This section only applies to debt from fuels taxes that have been written off for income tax purposes in the distributor's records before December 1, 2007.);

  (7-1-98)(12-1-07)T

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**ro.** The gaseous fuels permit fees; and (4-11-06)

**op.** The net tax due. (4-11-06)

- **02. Report Due and Payment Required**. The report shall be due on or before the last day of the month following the month to which the report relates. Supporting detailed schedules required by the State Tax Commission must accompany the report, together with all documentation and the payment of any tax, transfer fee, penalty or interest due. See Rule 010 of these rules relating to method of payment and requirement for payments of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or more.
- **03. Machine Tabulated Data**. Machine tabulated data will be accepted in lieu of detailed schedules on State Tax Commission provided forms but only if the data is in the same format as shown on the required schedules. Before any other format may be used, the distributor must make a written request to the State Tax Commission with a copy of the format and must be granted written authorization to use that format. (7-1-98)
- **O4. Supplemental Reports.** In addition to the monthly report, a supplemental report may be filed in those cases involving additional shipments of motor fuels and other petroleum products to the distributor. The supplemental report may be filed only when the distributor is diligent in reporting shipments in the monthly report. Only shipments received within the last five (5) days of the month may be reported in a supplemental report. Shipments received before that date will be subject to penalty if reported in the supplemental report. If a supplemental report is filed, the State Tax Commission will impose interest, but the report will not be subject to penalty. The supplemental report must be postmarked on or before the tenth day of the month following the month in which a report from which shipments were omitted was due. (7-1-98)
  - **05. Timely Reporting.** Any petroleum product shipments that are: (7-1-98)
  - **a.** Reported on a timely supplemental report shall be subject to interest but are not subject to penalty. (7-1-98)
- **b.** Not reported on a timely monthly or supplemental report shall be subject to interest and may be subject to penalty. (7-1-99)
- **Motor Fuels Receipts.** All gasoline, gasohol, aircraft engine fuel, and undyed diesel fuel received by a distributor are subject to the fuels tax and transfer fee. All receipts of dyed diesel fuel and other petroleum products that are not subject to the special fuels tax are subject to the transfer fee. The special fuels tax is not imposed on gaseous fuels when the fuels are received. Refer to Rule 105 of these rules for the taxation and reporting of gaseous fuels used in motor vehicles. (3-30-01)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 140. DEDUCTIONS (RULE 140).

- **O1. Motor Fuels and Petroleum Products Presumed To Be Distributed.** Unless the contrary is established, it shall be presumed that all motor fuels and other petroleum products imported into this state by a distributor, which are no longer in the possession of that distributor, have been distributed. If the licensed distributor has returned to the refinery or pipeline terminal motor fuels and other petroleum products on which the tax and/or transfer fee has been paid or has had an accidental loss, the licensed distributor has the burden of showing the petroleum products were returned to the refinery or pipeline terminal or documenting the accidental loss. No refund of the transfer fee will be allowed for accidental losses of motor fuels or other petroleum products. (7-1-98)
- **O2.** Distributor's and Retail Dealer's Allowances for Motor Fuels. (This subsection only applies to sales of motor fuels made before December 1, 2007.) The distributor shall certify on his report that the one percent (1%) credit allowance has been afforded the retail dealer to cover the dealer's shrinkage, evaporation, spillage or handling losses for motor fuel. The State Tax Commission shall then allow the additional one percent (1%) deduction

unless a retail dealer claims that he did not receive the credit allowance. If such claim is made, the State Tax Commission shall require the licensed distributor to provide documentary proof that the one percent (1%) credit allowance has been afforded the retail dealer, and unless the distributor establishes that the credit has been afforded to the retail dealer, the deduction will be disallowed. In the case of sales of motor fuel to retail dealers, to establish that the allowance of one percent (1%) of the tax has been passed to the purchaser, the invoice must show either:

(4-6-05)(12-1-07)T

- **a.** That the amount of the allowance has been passed on; or (7-1-98)
- **b.** A statement that the allowance has been deducted in determining the price. (7-1-98)
- <u>Made on and after December 1, 2007.)</u> The State Tax Commission will allow a two percent (2%) allowance granted in Section 63-2407, Idaho Code, to reimburse the licensed distributor for loss from evaporation, handling, spillage and shrinkage, except losses caused by casualty.

  (12-1-07)T
- **034. Exported Fuel**. Motor fuels or other petroleum products claimed as exported from Idaho must be supported by records. Records must include the following: (7-1-98)
- **a.** Tax reports or other evidence that will verify that the exported product was reported to and any tax due was paid to the jurisdiction into which the product was claimed to have been exported or evidence that the purchaser is a licensed distributor in the jurisdiction to which the exported product is destined; and (7-1-98)
  - **b.** Common carrier shipping documents, bills of lading, manifests, and cost billings; or (7-1-98)
- **c.** Invoices, manifests, bills of lading or other documentation, signed by the receiving party to acknowledge receipt of the product; or (7-1-98)
- **d.** Accounts payable or receivable information for verifying payments to common carriers or payment by out-of-state parties to verify receipt of exported product. (7-1-98)
- **e.** In addition to the above, for a licensed distributor who maintains operations in Idaho, as well as other jurisdictions, evidence such as product inventory and transfer records must be retained to prove the transfer of product out of Idaho. (7-1-98)
- 045. Bad Debt Write-Off. (This section only applies to debt from fuels taxes that have been written off for income tax purposes in the distributor's records before December 1, 2007.) A distributor may take a bad debt tax credit for fuel taxes paid on sales made after July 1, 1995. After the debt has been written off for income tax purposes in the distributor's records, the distributor may claim the credit on its fuel tax report for the month in which it made the bad debt adjustment.

  (4-11-06)(12-1-07)T
- **a.** First-in/first-out method for partial payments. When a distributor receives partial payments on a fuel account that includes taxable and nontaxable fuel sales, the distributor must apply the payments to the unpaid fuel sales on a first-in/first-out basis before calculating the amount of the bad debt credit. (4-11-06)
- **b.** Proration of partial payments. When a distributor receives partial payments on a fuel account, before and/or after claiming a bad debt credit on its fuel tax report, the distributor must prorate the taxable and nontaxable fuel sales that occurred on the same day or on the same invoice for each such account. (4-11-06)
- c. Amount of credit allowed. A distributor may claim a credit or refund on its monthly fuels tax report for fuels tax that is found to be uncollectible. If both nontaxable and taxable fuel sales are included in the fuel account, a distributor may take credit only for the portion of the bad debt that represents unpaid fuels tax. (4-11-06)
- **d.** Multiple accounts allocation of unspecified payments. If a distributor receives an unspecified payment from a customer that may be applied to an unpaid fuel account and nonfuel accounts, the distributor must allocate the payment to the various accounts upon receipt of the partial payment. If the distributor fails to make the allocation at the time the payment is received, the entire amount of the payment will be allocated to the customer's

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fuel account for purposes of calculating the amount of the credit.

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**e.** Statute of limitations for bad debt claim. A distributor may receive a credit or refund of fuels taxes in Subsection 140.04 of this rule if a written claim is filed with the State Tax Commission within three (3) years from the date the tax was paid to the State Tax Commission. The State Tax Commission will review all such refund claims. (4-11-06)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 160. AIRCRAFT ENGINE FUEL TAX (RULE 160).

All provisions of Chapter 24, Title 63, Idaho Code, and of these rules relating to *collection* the payment of the tax on gasoline shall be applicable to the *collection* payment of the aircraft engine fuel tax imposed by Section 63-2408, Idaho Code.

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#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 180. REFUNDS TO LICENSED FUEL DISTRIBUTORS (RULE 180).

- 01. Requirements of a Valid Refund Claim. Before the State Tax Commission can credit or refund motor fuels taxes or transfer fee, the licensed fuel distributor making the claim must establish both of the following:

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  - <u>a.</u> The basis for the credit or refund claim, and

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**b.** The amount of the credit or refund.

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- **042. Refund Claim.** Any licensed fuel distributor believing that he has paid motor fuels taxes or transfer fees in any amount more than properly imposed may file a claim with the State Tax Commission for a refund of such excess motor fuels taxes or transfer fee on forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission. The claim for refund must conform with the requirements of this rule. (3-15-02)
- **023. Refund Claim Documentation**. The claim must be filed on a distributor's fuel tax report and must include the full name and address of the claimant and his fuel distributor's license number. If the claim is for a casualty loss, the claim must include a detailed statement of the reason the claimant believes a refund is due. The statement should include a description of the transactions, if any, to which the motor fuel tax relates and must be filed on a distributor's fuel tax report for the period for which the claimed excess motor fuel tax or transfer fee amount was paid.

  (4-11-06)
- **034. Refund as a Credit**. A *claimant* <u>licensed fuel distributor</u> may claim a *bad debt credit* <u>refund</u> for motor fuels taxes <u>or transfer fee</u> as a credit against motor fuels taxes or transfer fee due on <u>the</u> <u>his</u> distributor's fuel tax report.

  (3-15-02)(12-1-07)T
- **045. Statute of Limitation**. No claim for refund will be allowed by the State Tax Commission if it is filed more than three (3) years from the time the payment of the claimed excess motor fuels taxes or transfer fee was made. The time the payment was made is the date upon which the distributor's fuel tax report relating to the payment was filed or was required to be filed, whichever occurred first. (3-15-02)
- **056. Appeal Procedures.** No claim for refund may be filed relating to any motor fuels taxes or transfer fees that have been asserted by a Notice of Deficiency Determination. A taxpayer contending that motor fuels taxes or transfer fee have been erroneously or illegally collected by the State Tax Commission pursuant to a Notice of Deficiency Determination must seek a redetermination by using the appeal procedures required by law. (3-15-02)

**Notice of Denial**. All claims for refund or credit will be reviewed by the State Tax Commission's staff. If the staff concludes that all or any part of the claim should not be allowed to the claimant, notice of denial of the claim shall be mailed to the claimant by certified mail. The notice shall include a statement of the reasons for the denial. When seeking an appeal or redetermination of a denial of a claimed refund or credit, the notice of denial shall be the equivalent of a Notice of Deficiency Determination. If the taxpayer wishes to seek a redetermination of the denial notice, he must do so by filing a petition for redetermination in the manner prescribed in Idaho Administration and Enforcement Rule 300, as incorporated herein by Rule 330 of these rules. Such a petition for redetermination must be filed no later than sixty-three (63) days from the date upon which the notice of denial is mailed to, or served upon, the claimant.

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 270. REFUND CLAIMS -- DOCUMENTATION (RULE 270).

**Q1. Refunds to Consumers.** Any buyer of motor fuels, claiming a refund under Chapter 24, Title 63, Idaho Code, must retain in his records the original invoices from the seller, showing the number of gallons purchased. All invoices, except those prepared by a computer or similar machine, shall be prepared in ink or a double-faced carbon must be used between the original and first duplicate. Only one (1) original invoice may be issued for each delivery. Each invoice must contain or show the following, in addition to the requirements outlined above: (4-11-06)

a.	A preprinted identification number;	(4-11-06)
b.	Name and address of seller;	(7-1-98)
c.	Name of purchaser;	(7-1-98)
d.	Date of delivery;	(7-1-98)
e.	Type of motor fuel;	(7-1-98)
f.	Gallons invoiced;	(7-1-98)
g.	Price per gallon;	(7-1-98)
h.	At least one (1) of the following to establish that tax has been charged:	(7-1-98)
i.	The amount of Idaho state fuels tax;	(7-1-98)
ii.	The rate of Idaho state fuels tax; or	(7-1-98)
iii.	A statement that the Idaho state fuels tax is included in the price.	(7-1-98)

- **O2. Indian-Owned Retail Outlet.** Motor fuels purchased <u>after December 1, 2007</u>, from an Indianowned retail outlet do not include the Idaho motor fuels tax and do not qualify as an Idaho tax-paid purchase, <u>unless</u> otherwise provided in an agreement between the state and appropriate tribe under the authority of sections 63-2444 or 67-4002, Idaho Code. See definition of Indian-owned retail outlet in Rule 010 of these rules. (4-11-06)(12-1-07)T
- **03. Corrected Invoices.** No altered or corrected invoice will be accepted for refund purposes. When errors occur, the original invoice must not be altered or corrected, but must be voided and a new original invoice issued. All altered or corrected invoices must be marked as voided and retained by the seller for at least three (3) years from the date issued. (7-1-98)
- **04. Invoice Retention**. The original invoices required by Subsection 270.01 of this rule shall be retained for the greater of either three (3) years or the time during which the taxpayer's Idaho income tax return is

subject to adjustment by either the State Tax Commission or by voluntary action of the taxpayer.

(7-1-98)

- **05. Refund Documents.** For refund claims under Section 63-2410(5)(c), Idaho Code, an original invoice includes any duplicate of the original that is created with the same impression as the original, for example, with carbon paper or NCR paper, if the original is retained by the seller and only the duplicate is provided to the customer. An original invoice does not include any document produced by a copy machine or similar device capable of producing a copy of an existing document. (7-1-98)
- **Records Required for Motor Fuels Tax Refunds**. Each claimant shall maintain records that are sufficient to prove the accuracy of the fuels tax refund claim. Such records shall include all motor fuels receipts, the gallons of tax-paid fuel used in each type of equipment, both taxable and nontaxable, and other uses. The records must show the date of receipt or disbursements and identify the equipment into which the tax-paid fuel is dispensed. Failure of the claimant to maintain the required records and to provide them for examination is a waiver of all rights to the refund. The following rules shall govern records maintained to support claims for refund. (4-11-06)
- a. Use of Fuel from a Single Storage Tank. Idaho tax-paid fuel (other than fuel purchased by persons who operate motor vehicles that are licensed under IFTA or by persons who operate non-IFTA motor vehicles who claim refunds for nontaxable uses of motor fuels in motor vehicles granted in Rule 290 and Rule 292 of these rules) purchased and delivered into a single bulk storage tank and withdrawn for both nontaxable and taxable uses must be accounted for using either the proration provided by this paragraph or by records showing actual taxable and nontaxable usage. If the proration is used, sixty percent (60%) of all taxed diesel fuel or twenty-five percent (25%) of all taxed gasoline delivered into bulk storage shall be presumed to be for exempt uses unless an alternate percentage is requested by the taxpayer and authorized by the State Tax Commission. The request shall itemize anticipated uses by type of equipment based on previously experienced use. The State Tax Commission will refund taxes paid on the percentage of taxed fuel presumed to be exempt. If refunds are claimed based on records of actual use, the records must be made available upon request. In either case, invoices showing the fuel purchases on which tax was paid must be retained to support each refund claim. The proration or another percentage granted by this paragraph cannot be used if you have separate storage tanks for undyed diesel and dyed diesel. (3-30-07)
- b. Use of Fuel from Multiple Storage Tanks. When separate bulk storage tanks are maintained for both exempt and taxable uses, the seller must mark the invoices at the time of delivery, identifying the storage tanks into which the fuel was delivered. Detailed withdrawal records will only be required if fuel is purchased by persons who operate motor vehicles that are licensed under IFTA or by persons who operate non-IFTA motor vehicles who claim refunds for nontaxable uses of motor fuels in motor vehicles granted in Rule 290 and Rule 292 of these rules. All fuel invoices must be retained as required by Subsection 270.03 of this rule. Exempt fuel may not be used in motor vehicles registered or required to be registered. (3-30-07)
- c. Use of Fuel for Other Than Bulk Storage. Fuel dispensed into small containers for use in, or into the supply tank of, stationary engines, equipment, commercial motorboats, or vehicles other than registered motor vehicles, must be identified on the purchase invoice. No other records will be required. (3-30-07)

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 292. CALCULATION OF REFUNDS FOR NONTAXABLE USES OF MOTOR FUELS IN MOTOR VEHICLES. (RULE 292).

- **91. Fuel Records Required for Refund Claims**. Special fuels users may be eligible for a fuels tax refund of tax-paid special fuels if their motor vehicles have accrued nontaxable miles or have power take-off (PTO) equipment. Records must be kept as described in Subsection 290.01 of these rules. (4-5-00)
- **02. Nontaxable Miles Defined.** Nontaxable miles are miles driven on roads which are not open to the public, not maintained by a governmental entity, located on private property that are maintained by the property owner, or defined in Subsection 292.03 of this rule. Miles driven on a construction site would also be considered nontaxable miles and may be eligible for a special fuels tax refund. See Rule 130 of these rules regarding application

of Idaho Sales and Use Taxes.

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- 03. Additional Nontaxable Roadways. Roadways defined in Section 63-2401, Idaho Code, include those constructed and maintained by the United States Forest Service, the United States Bureau of Land Management, the Idaho Department of Lands, or forest protective associations with which the state of Idaho has contracted or become a member pursuant to Chapter 1, Title 38, Idaho Code. The special fuels user must maintain records documenting nontaxable miles traveled on roadways that qualify for exclusion under this provision, unless using the "standard MPG" for its industry found in Subsection 290.02 of these rules. When special fuels users compute their special fuels tax liability or refund, they may exclude from total taxable miles traveled in Idaho the miles traveled on these roadways if the cost of maintaining the roadway pursuant to a contract or permit is primarily borne by them or if the special fuel user is a subcontractor of a prime contractor required by contract to bear the primary cost of maintaining the roadway. (3-15-02)
- established in Subsection 290.01 of these rules. Divide this number by the actual MPG, the presumed MPG established by Subsection 290.01 of these rules, or the industry standard MPG provided by Subsection 290.02 of these rules. Subtract this number of gallons from the total Idaho tax-paid gallons purchased for the subject vehicles. Motor fuels purchased after December 1, 2007, from an Indian-owned retail outlet do not include the Idaho motor fuels tax and do not qualify as an Idaho tax-paid purchase, unless otherwise provided in an agreement between the state and appropriate tribe under the authority of Sections 63-2444 or 67-4002, Idaho Code. See definition of Indianowned retail outlet in Rule 010 of these rules.
- **O5. Power Take-Off and Auxiliary Engine Allowances (Allowances).** Power-take-off (PTO) allowances are available for special fuels powered vehicles. Auxiliary engine allowances are available for both special fuels and gasoline-powered vehicles. (4-5-00)
- **a.** Standard Allowances for Special Fuels. Nontaxable gallons of special fuels may be claimed when special fuels are used for purposes other than to operate, propel, or idle, as defined in Section 63-2401, Idaho Code, a motor vehicle and the fuel is drawn from the main supply tank of the motor vehicle. Examples of uses that qualify for allowances are turning a vehicle-mounted cement mixer or off-loading product. (4-6-05)
- **b.** Standard Allowances for Gasoline. Nontaxable gallons of gasoline may be claimed when gasoline is used in an auxiliary engine and the fuel is drawn from the main supply tank of the registered motor vehicle. No claim for gasoline is allowed when gasoline is used by the registered motor vehicle's main engine even to operate the motor vehicle's PTO unit. (3-30-07)
- **c.** Rates for Standard Allowances. The number of gallons of fuel actually delivered into the fuel tank of the vehicle may be reduced by the following allowances: (4-5-00)
  - i. Allowances based on unit quantities:

Allowance Type	Allowance Rates	X	Unit Quantities
Gasoline/fuel oil	0.00015 gallons	Х	Gallons pumped
Bulk cement	0.1858 gallons	Х	Tons pumped
Refrigeration unit/reefer	0.75 gallons	Х	Hours unit operated
Tree length timber/logs	0.0503 gallons	Х	Tons Hauled
Tree length timber/logs	3.46 gallons	Х	Hours unit operated
Carpet cleaning	0.75 gallons	Х	Hours unit operated
Concrete Pumping	0.142857 gallons	Х	Yards pumped

(4-11-06)

ii. Allowances based on percentages:

Allowance Type	Percentage Per Gallon	х	Gallons Consumed
Concrete mixing	30%	Х	Gallons consumed
Garbage compaction	25%	Х	Gallons consumed

(3-15-02)

**06. Nonstandard Allowances**. A request for an allowance not listed in Subsection 292.05 of this rule, or greater than those listed must be submitted by the taxpayer to the State Tax Commission for approval before being used. Taxpayers must request approval of the proposed allowance in writing with a copy of the supporting calculations used to compute the proposed allowance. Taxpayers must send requests for approval to:

FUELS TAX POLICY IDAHO STATE TAX COMMISSION P. O. BOX 36 BOISE, ID 83722-0410

The Idaho State Tax Commission may request additional information or documentation as needed in order to make a determination on the request. (4-6-05)

- **O7. Nontaxable Gallons of Fuel Claimed by Non-IFTA Licensees.** The nontaxable gallons of fuel claimed by non-IFTA licensees may be the allowance gallons listed in Subsections 292.05 and 292.06 of this rule and/or the gallons calculated under Subsection 292.04 of this rule. Only actual MPGs, computed by adjusting total fuel as defined in Subsection 290.01 of these rules by the allowance gallons, may be used to calculate a fuels tax refund based on both nontaxable miles and allowances. Fuels tax refunds based solely on an allowance may be calculated without regard to mileage and fuel consumption (MPG) information. (4-11-06)
- **08. IFTA Licensees**. Qualifying for Power Take-Off (PTO) And Auxiliary Engine Allowances (Allowances). Allowances listed in Subsection 292.05 of this rule or established as provided in Subsection 292.06 of this rule may be granted for IFTA licensees by recomputing the total gallons of fuel consumed in all jurisdictions. IFTA licensees claiming refunds of Idaho fuels tax resulting from the allowances established in Subsections 292.05 and 292.06 of this rule, must file the claim on an Idaho Fuels Use Report Form 75 with the relevant supplemental worksheet.
- a. The IFTA licensee must recompute the total taxable fuel for Idaho by deducting the gallons determined by the allowances in all jurisdictions from the total number of gallons of fleet fuel consumed that was reported on the IFTA return. Using the new net gallons consumed, recompute the fleet miles per gallon. Apply the new fleet miles per gallon to the reported Idaho taxable miles to calculate the corrected Idaho taxable gallons. To calculate the Idaho nontaxable gallons available for refund, the licensee must subtract the recomputed taxable gallons for Idaho from the original taxable gallons reported for Idaho. This nontaxable gallon figure is then entered on the line labeled nontaxable gallons on the Form 75.
- **b.** Additionally, a copy of the IFTA tax return for the period subject to the refund claim and a statement or worksheet showing how allowance was calculated must be included as an attachment to the Form 75. All refund claims are subject to review and audit, therefore, adequate documentation must be retained by the licensee.

  (4-5-00)
- **c.** IFTA licensees that used an assumed MPG when preparing their original IFTA return may not claim any additional refund. (4-5-00)

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 510. APPLICATION AND REPORTING OF THE PETROLEUM TRANSFER FEE (RULE 510).

**01.** Application. (6-23-94)

- a. The Petroleum Transfer Fee applies to the receipt of any petroleum or petroleum product within this state. The amount of the fee is one cent (\$0.01) for each gallon of petroleum or petroleum product received. The fee shall be paid by the distributor who receives any petroleum or petroleum product not excluded from the fee, unless the fee has previously been paid on the same petroleum or petroleum product. (7-1-99)
- **b.** The legal incident of the fee is on the distributor required to report it to the State Tax Commission. The fee is not required to be separately stated on any invoice, receipt, or other billing document. A choice to state separately the fee does not change its legal incidence or its nature. (6-23-94)
- **02. Receipt of Petroleum Products**. Receipt of petroleum or petroleum products shall be determined according to Section 63-2403, Idaho Code. (7-1-99)
- **O3. Exemption to Application of the Transfer Fee**. The Petroleum Transfer Fee does not apply to petroleum or petroleum products that are: (6-23-94)
  - **a.** Returned to the refinery or pipeline terminal. (6-23-94)
- **b.** Exported from this state. No fuel will be considered exported, unless the distributor can prove the export by documentation required by Rule 140 of these rules. (7-1-99)
- c. Received by a railroad or railroad corporation or any employee of them. Petroleum or petroleum products sold by a licensed distributor to a railroad or railroad corporation or any employee of them is subject to the Petroleum Transfer Fee unless the petroleum or petroleum products are "received" by the railroad or railroad corporation as defined in Section 63-2403, Idaho Code. The exclusion for railroad employees applies only when the activity relating to the fuel is part of their employment with the railroad or railroad corporation. (7-1-99)
- **d.** Received in retail containers of fifty-five (55) gallons or less or petroleum products to be packaged or repackaged into retail containers of fifty-five (55) gallons or less, if such containers are intended to be transferred to the ultimate consumer of the petroleum or petroleum products. (6-23-94)
- **O4.** Casualty Loss and Shrinkage Not Deductible. All petroleum and petroleum products received in this state that are not within an exemption or exclusion listed in this rule are subject to the fee, without further deductions or discounts despite the product's use. The deductions allowed to motor fuel distributors for fuel lost by fire or similar casualty, see Section 63-2407(3), Idaho Code; and the two percent (2%) discount for *cost of collection and* loss by shrinkage or evaporation, see Section 63-2407(4), Idaho Code; are not deductions applicable to the Petroleum Transfer Fee.

  (7-1-99)(12-1-07)T
- **O5. Petroleum and Petroleum Products**. The products subject to the Petroleum Transfer Fee are crude oil or any fraction of it that is liquid at a temperature of sixty (60) degrees Fahrenheit and a pressure of fourteen and seven tenths (14 7/10) psi. These products are all products refined from crude oil including but not limited to motor gasoline, alcohol blended fuels, such as *gasohol* <u>E-10</u> and E-85, including the alcohol content of blended fuel, diesel fuel (#1 #6), biodiesel, biodiesel blended fuels, such as B-20, including the biodiesel content of the blended fuel, heating oil, aviation fuel, naphtha, naphtha-type jet fuel, kerosene-type jet fuel (JP#1 #8), motor oil, brake fluid, tractor fuel, distillate fuel oil, stove fuel, unfinished oils, turpentine substitutes, lamp fuel, diesel oils (#1 #6), engine oils, railroad oils, kerosene, commercial solvents, lubricating oils, fuel oil, boiler fuel, refinery fuel, industrial fuel, bunker fuel, residual fuel oil, road oils, and transmission fluids.
- **06.** Licensed Distributors and Limited Licenses. Any person holding a distributor's license issued by the State Tax Commission under Section 63-2427A, Idaho Code, is also licensed for the Petroleum Transfer Fee. No additional license is required. Any person who receives any petroleum or petroleum product in this state, but who is

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not a licensed distributor nor required to obtain a license under Section 63-2427A, Idaho Code, shall apply to the State Tax Commission for a limited license. The limited license is only for reporting the Petroleum Transfer Fee and is not a license for any purpose under Chapter 24, Title 63, Idaho Code. (7-1-99)

## 07. Reporting Requirements.

(6-23-94)

- **a.** Distributors licensed under Section 63-2427A, Idaho Code, shall report and pay the Petroleum Transfer Fee with the distributor's report required by Section 63-2406, Idaho Code. For fuel subject to the taxes imposed by Sections 63-2402 and 63-2408, Idaho Code, the Petroleum Transfer Fee shall be included in the report in which the distributor is required to report the tax on the same fuel. (5-3-03)
- **b.** Persons holding a limited license shall file a monthly report with the State Tax Commission on forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission on or before the last day of the month following the month to which the report relates. (7-1-99)
  - **c.** The provisions of Rule 130 of these rules, apply to reports of the Petroleum Transfer Fee. (7-1-99)

## **08.** Payment. (6-23-94)

- **a.** Payment of the fee is due on the due date of the report. For method of payment, including required use of electronic funds transfer, see Rule 010 of these rules. (6-23-94)
- **b.** Any partial payment or collection of amounts shown due or required to be shown due on a distributor's report, plus any additional amount of penalty or interest due, shall be allocated between the motor fuels tax and the Petroleum Transfer Fee in the same proportion that the liability for the tax and the fee bear to the total liability. (6-23-94)
- **109. Incorporation of Other Relevant Rules.** Section 41-4909, Idaho Code, incorporated by reference various provisions of the Income Tax Act, Chapter 30, Title 63, Idaho Code, to apply to the administration and enforcement of the Petroleum Transfer Fee. For applying and construing those sections as they apply to the Petroleum Transfer Fee, the Administration and Enforcement Rules relating to those sections of the Income Tax Act are adopted as part of these rules, as if set out in full. In addition, Administration and Enforcement Rule 110, (IDAPA 35.02.01.110) relating to requests for declaratory rulings, is adopted as part of these rules, as if set out in full. (4-6-05

## **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

## 35.01.05 - IDAHO MOTOR FUELS TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

## **DOCKET NO. 35-0105-0702**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 170:** Is being amended to be consistent with the passage of House Bill 249A, and to show that the special fuels tax is included in the price of undyed diesel fuel purchased by a consumer, and to reflect the EPA's changes to the allowable sulfur content in on-road and off-road diesel fuel. Remove all references to high-sulfur diesel fuel and add ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel.

**Rule 250:** is being amended to add a new paragraph to address a recent Idaho Supreme Court observation concerning refund claims. The court said that there are basically two issues to be resolved in a tax refund case: (1) whether there is any basis for asserting a right to a refund, and (2) the amount of the refund. Add the language above to a new Section 250.01 of this rule.

**Rule 501:** is being amended to be consistent with the law due to the passage of House Bill 99, to give notice to fuel distributors that the transfer fee will be reinstated and to Provide legal requirement for reinstatement and the date for reinstatement when set.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Randy Nilson, at (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Randy Nilson Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7530

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## 170. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (RULE 170).

- **01. Undyed Diesel Fuel Used for Heating Purposes**. The consumer must apply directly to the State Tax Commission for a refund of the special fuels taxes *paid* included in the purchase price on purchases of undyed diesel fuel which are used for heating a dwelling or building. The distributor may assist the consumer who is claiming a refund of the special fuels tax from the State Tax Commission by:

  (7-1-98)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - **a.** Properly documenting information on the sales invoice; and (7-1-98)
  - **b.** Providing the customer with a Form 75-HF "Heating Fuel Only." (7-1-98)
- **02.** Red-Dyed *High* Low-Sulfur and Ultra Low-Sulfur Fuel. It is illegal to use red-dyed *high* low-sulfur and ultra low-sulfur fuel in the supply tank of a licensed, or required to be licensed, motor vehicle in this state unless the type of user is listed in Subsection 101.03 of this rule.
- **Red-Dyed** <u>Low-Sulfur and Ultra</u> <u>Low-Sulfur Fuel</u>. The Internal Revenue Code does allow certain types of users to purchase tax-exempt red-dyed <u>low-sulfur and ultra</u> low-sulfur diesel fuel for use in their vehicles. The use of untaxed <u>low-sulfur and ultra</u> low-sulfur red-dyed diesel fuel in motor vehicles may be subject to Idaho's special fuels tax if the motor vehicles are not owned or leased, and operated by the state of Idaho, or any of its political subdivisions such as a city, county, or fire district. The red-dyed <u>low-sulfur and ultra</u> low-sulfur diesel fuel may be used:

  (4-11-06)(\_\_\_\_\_)
  - **a.** By state and local governments (political subdivisions of the state) for their exclusive use; (7-1-98)
  - **b.** In the engine of a train; (7-1-98)
  - **c.** In a school bus while the bus is engaged in the transportation of students and school employees; (7-1-98)
  - **d.** In a vehicle (such as a ground servicing vehicle for aircraft) owned by an aircraft museum; (4-11-06)
- **e.** In a highway vehicle that is not registered (and is not required to be registered) for highway use under the laws of any state or foreign country and is used in the operator's trade or business or for the production of income; (4-11-06)
  - **f.** In a highway vehicle owned by the United States that is not used on a highway; (4-11-06)
- g. Exclusively by a nonprofit educational organization as defined in Internal Revenue Code Section 4221 (d)(5). (4-11-06)
- **Motor Fuels Exemption From Sales Tax**. Any sale of motor fuels by any fuel distributor which is subject to motor fuels tax is exempt from Idaho sales tax under Chapter 36, Title 63, Idaho Code. If fuel, including dyed diesel fuel, is sold without the motor fuels tax, the sale is subject to Idaho state sales tax unless exempted under the Idaho Sales Tax Act and Rules. Sales of fuel delivered into bulk storage tanks, where the motor fuels tax is not charged, are exempt from Idaho sales tax only if the distributor has taken from the purchaser a sales tax exemption certificate in the manner required by IDAPA 35.01.02, "Idaho Sales and Use Tax Administrative Rules," Rule 128. However, if the fuel delivered into a bulk storage tank is used exclusively for home heating purposes, a sales tax exemption certificate is not required. (5-3-03)

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250.	REFUN	ND CLAIMS REPORTING (RULE 250).	
fuels tax	01. xes, the ta	Requirements of a Valid Refund Claim. Before the Tax Commission can credit or reaxpayer making the claim must establish both of the following:	fund motor
	<u>a.</u>	The basis for the credit or refund claim, and	()
	<u>b.</u>	The amount of the credit or refund.	()
	ase of cla	<b>Refund Claim</b> . Consumers claiming refunds of motor fuels taxes may file the claim to me tax return in the manner required for gasoline tax refunds, under Section 63-2410, Idal almants not required to file an income tax return, in the manner required by Section 63-	ho Code, or
taxes ma	<b>0<u>23</u>.</b> ay file a 1	<b>Minimum Filing Period for Refund Claims</b> . Any taxpayer entitled to a refund of refund claim which covers a time period of not less than one (1) month.	motor fuels (7-1-98)
which a S Corpo	refund morations,	<b>Refund May Be Claimed Only by Final Consumer.</b> Refunds of motor fuels tax a 75 by the person who purchased and used the motor fuels upon which the tax has been pay be claimed. In the case of all partnerships and any corporations filing Idaho Form 41S any refund of motor fuels taxes paid by the partnership or S Corporation must be clair poration. The refund may not be applied to the individual returns filed by partners or shared.	paid and for b, relating to med by the
taxes, se	<b>04<u>5</u>.</b> ee Section	<b>Statute of Limitations</b> . For limitations of time for consumers to file refund claims for a 63-2410(5)(c), Idaho Code.	motor fuels (5-3-03)
		<b>Refund May Be Filed Separately</b> . Refunds of motor fuels taxes are claimed using Fe the final purchaser and user of the motor fuels in conjunction with that person's Idaho ely as a stand-alone refund claim.	
unpaid a required	at the tim I to be fil	<b>Refund Applied to Taxes Due</b> . Any refund due to a consumer will be applied first to a w administered by the State Tax Commission, including any liability under IFTA, which e the claim is filed. In addition, no refund will be paid if the claimant has failed to file an ed with the State Tax Commission. Any balance of the refund exceeding taxes due shall the filing the return.	n is due and y tax return
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was rein	roleum T istated <u>oi</u>	OLEUM TRANSFER FEE SUSPENDED REINSTATED (RULE 501). Transfer Fee was suspended as of October 1, 1999. Imposition of the Petroleum Transfer 1 September 1, 2007, pursuant to Section 41-4909(10), Idaho Code. Unpaid petroleum to be before October 1, 1999, are still due and may be subject to audit, assessment and column (4-6)	<del>ransfer fee</del> s

# **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

# 35.01.09 - IDAHO KITCHEN AND TABLE WINE TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0109-0701**

## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105 and 23-1323.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Rule 013: Change the word "wholesaler" to the statutorily defined term "distributor" and the words "unfit for beverage purposes" to "unfit for sale."

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Husted (208) 334-7544.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Jim Husted Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36 Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7544

## THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0109-0701

## 013. BREAKAGE OR SPOILAGE (RULE 013).

**01. Damage or Spoilage.** When a wine container has been damaged or when wine becomes spoiled or has otherwise become unfit for *beverage purposes* sale, the *wholesaler* distributor may claim a deduction of up to

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seventy-five one hundredths of one percent (.75%) of the total inventory purchases during the month in which the breakage or spoilage occurred without requiring written approval from the Tax Commission. The taxpayer must maintain adequate records to verify actual breakage or spoilage claimed.

(7-1-93)(\_\_\_\_\_)

- **a.** The Commission may at any time disallow the use of this method for any taxpayer. The Commission shall notify the taxpayer in writing that future destructions of breakage or spoilage will require written approval from the Commission. (7-1-93)
- **b.** Any taxpayer who has received such written notice from the Commission must file a Request for Wine Destruction, Form WB-403, as set forth in Subsection 013.02 of this rule. (7-1-93)
- **Request for Wine Destruction**. If the breakage or spoilage exceeds seventy-five one hundredths of one percent (.75%) of the total inventory purchases for the month, or the taxpayer has received written notice as discussed in Subsection 013.01.a. of this rule, the taxpayer must file a Request for Wine Destruction, Form WB-403, with the Commission ten (10) days prior to the proposed destruction date. (7-1-93)
- **a.** The taxpayer must receive written approval from the Commission prior to destruction of any products referred to on the request. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The Commission reserves the right to be present to observe the destruction of the wine and further reserves the right to delay the destruction until such time as  $\frac{a mutual}{a}$  appointment can be arranged for the Commission or its representative to witness such destruction.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(a)}{(7-1-93)(a)}$
- **c.** A credit for the amount of tax represented by the destroyed wine may be claimed by the taxpayer who has received written approval from the Commission to destroy unfit wine. (7-1-93)

# **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

## 35.01.11 - IDAHO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0111-0701**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105 and 23-1323.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 010:** For the purposes of the Unclaimed Property Act, the words "tax" and "return" in the income tax administrative statutes mean "unclaimed property" and "report of unclaimed property."

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Husted (208) 334-7544.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Jim Husted Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7544

## THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0111-0701

## 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 010).

01. Credit Memo. Credit Memo shall include all types of refunds and credit balances unless specified

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<u>b.</u>

Code.

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elsewhere in Tit	le 14, Chapter 5, Idaho Code.	(7-1-93)
claimant, or pay	<b>Owner</b> . Owner includes a depositor in case of a deposit; a beneficiary or insured in clicy or an annuity policy; the purchaser in case of travelers checks and money or see in case of other instruments; and any other person having a legal or equitable interpolational property Act.	ders; a creditor
<u>03.</u>	Return And Tax. Section 14-532, Idaho Code, incorporates several statutes from T	Title 63, Chapte
30, Idaho Code,	into the Unclaimed Property Act. The words "return" and "tax" from Title 63, Ch	
	lied to the Unclaimed Property Act shall be defined as follows:	
<u>a.</u>	The word "return" shall mean the report required by Section 14-517, Idaho Code.	(

The word "tax" shall mean property presumed abandoned as described by Section 14-502, Idaho

# **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

# 35.01.10 - IDAHO CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO TAX ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0110-0701**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105, 63-2501, and 63-2553.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

**Rule 010** adds a definition of "person" to the cigarette and tobacco tax rules that is similar to the definition in the Sales Tax Act in Section 63-3607, Idaho Code.

Rules 013 and 014 both use the word "indicia" in reference to "cigarette tax stamps." The amendment changes the word "indicia" to "stamps."

**Rule 022** should refer only to cigarettes for which a credit may be claimed. Paragraph 022.01.d. describes required documentation. The amendment reformats subsection 022.01.d. into a separate subsection 022.02.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jim Husted (208) 334-7544.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Jim Husted Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Bl., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7544

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0110-0701

## 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 010).

- **01. Distributor.** The term distributor, as defined by Section 63-2551, Idaho Code, includes persons who receive tobacco within this state for purposes of blending and/or repackaging. (7-1-93)
- **02. Manufacturer.** The term manufacturer means a person who manufactures and sells cigarettes. The term manufacturer, as defined by Section 63-2551, Idaho Code, does not include persons who receive tobacco within this state for purposes of blending and/or repackaging. (7-1-93)
- **93. Person**. The term "person" includes any individual, firm, partnership, LLC, venture, association, social club, fraternal organization, corporation, estate, trust, business trust, receiver, trustee, syndicate, cooperative, assignee, or any other group or combination acting as a unit.

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 013. SHIPMENTS IN INTERSTATE COMMERCE (RULE 013).

Sales of cigarettes in the course of interstate commerce for purposes of Section 63-2505, Idaho Code, include only those sales where title is transferred outside the state of Idaho, or on U.S. military reservations, or on Indian reservations.

(5-3-03)

- **01. Types of Conveyances**. Shipments of cigarettes to U.S. military reservations or Indian reservations must be made by conveyance used in the normal operation of the wholesaler's business, or by common carrier hired by the wholesaler. (7-1-93)
- **a.** In the case of shipment by common carrier, a copy of the bill of lading must be kept on file at the wholesaler's place of business for three (3) years. (7-1-93)
- **b.** In the case of shipments by the wholesaler's conveyance, an itemized receipt must be obtained by the wholesaler bearing the signature of the receiver's representative and the wholesaler's employee making such delivery. Receipts must be serially numbered. (7-1-93)
- **Records of Unstamped Deliveries**. In addition, all deliveries made outside the state and all deliveries made to U.S. military reservations or Indian reservations, and which are delivered without  $\alpha$  state tax indicia stamps of another state must be listed in a chronological log by delivery date and customer. The log must contain the following information: delivery date, number of cigarettes delivered, and an itemized receipt number, as described in Subsection 013.01.b. of this rule.

## 014. SHIPMENTS DELIVERED ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS (RULE 014).

- - **a.** The purchaser is an enrolled member of an Idaho Indian tribe. (7-1-93)
- **b.** The purchaser is a business enterprise wholly owned and operated by an enrolled member or members of an Idaho Indian tribe. (7-1-93)
  - **c.** The purchaser is a business enterprise wholly owned and operated by an Idaho Indian tribe.

(7-1-93)

### 02. Reservation Means Lands Which Are:

(7-1-93)

**a.** Indian lands federally declared to be reservations because they are reserved for Indian tribes by treaty between Indian tribes and any territorial governments, state government, or the United States Government;

established by acts of the United States Congress; or established by formal decision of the Executive Branch of the United States. (7-1-93)

- Held by an Idaho Indian tribe not holding lands which meet the definition of Subsection 014.02.a.. above, and are tribal lands held in trust by the United States for the use and benefit of such tribe.
- Sales of Cigarettes to Non-Indians Within Reservation Boundaries. Sales of cigarettes by wholesalers to non-Indian enterprises or persons located within the boundaries of an Idaho Indian reservation must have Idaho cigarette *indicia* stamps affixed.
- Non-Indian Retailers. Non-Indian retailers located within the boundaries of an Idaho Indian reservation may not sell cigarettes upon which Idaho cigarette indicia has not been affixed. (7-1-93)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 022. **EXEMPTIONS (RULE 022).**

- 01. Credit for Taxes Paid. Tobacco distributors may claim a credit for taxes paid on tobacco products (7-1-93) other than cigarettes that are:
  - Sold and delivered to retailers at locations outside the state of Idaho; (5-3-03)a.
- Sold and delivered to the United States Government on U.S. Military reservations located within b. Idaho; (7-1-93)
- Sold and delivered to a purchaser within the boundaries of an Idaho Indian reservation when the purchaser is an enrolled member of an Idaho Indian tribe; a business enterprise wholly owned and operated by an enrolled member or members of an Idaho Indian tribe; or a business enterprise wholly owned and operated by an Idaho Indian tribe.
- **Documentation.** Distributors must maintain adequate records to show the validity of credits claimed under this subsection, including delivery records and invoices. If the distributor is selling to an enrolled member of an Indian tribe he should keep a copy of the purchaser's tribal identification card in his files. If he is selling to a tribally owned entity, he should keep a certificate of tribal ownership or some other form of clear and convincing evidence that the purchaser is a business wholly owned and operated by an Idaho Indian tribe.

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#### Indian Reservations. Indian reservation means lands which are: 023.

(7-1-93)

- Indian lands federally declared to be reservations because they are reserved for Indian tribes by treaty between Indian tribes and any territorial governments, state government, or the United States Government; established by acts of the United States Congress; established by formal decision of the Executive Branch of the (7-1-93)United States; or
- Held by an Idaho Indian tribe not holding lands which meet the definition of Subsection 022.02.a., above, and are tribal lands held in trust by the United States for the use and benefit of such tribe. (7-1-93)
- Non-Indian Enterprises. Tobacco distributors may not claim a credit for taxes paid on tobacco products sold to non-Indian enterprises or persons located within the boundaries of an Idaho Indian reservation.

(7-1-93)

Non-Indian Retailers. Non-Indian retailers located within the boundaries of an Idaho Indian reservation may not sell tobacco products upon which tobacco products tax has not been paid.

## **IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION**

# 35.02.01 - TAX COMMISSION ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT RULES

#### **DOCKET NO. 35-0201-0701**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 63-105 and 63-3039, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Rule 155: Amend Administration and Enforcement Rule 155 to remove references to code sections that are no longer applicable.

**Rule 310:** Idaho Code section 63-3045 establishes a formula for calculating the yearly interest rate applied to deficiencies of tax and refunds. The rates are published in Administration and Enforcement Rule 310. Amend Administration and Enforcement Rule 310 to add the interest rate for calendar year 2008.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the proposed changes are of a simple nature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Janice Boyd (208) 334-7530.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 17th day of August, 2007.

Janice Boyd, Tax Policy Specialist Idaho State Tax Commission 800 Park Blvd., Plaza IV P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410 (208) 334-7544

## THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 35-0201-0701

**01. Tax Returns Filed Electronically.** Pursuant to Section 63-115, Idaho Code, a taxpayer may file a

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tax return with the Tax Commission electronically only when the Tax Commission has established and implemented procedures permitting electronic filing of a specific tax return. A return may only be filed electronically by using the procedures and formats established by the Tax Commission for the particular return. (7-1-99)

**02. Signatures**. See Rule 150 of these rules.

(7-1-99)

**O3.** Acknowledgment of Data Transmissions. Persons filing returns by electronic data stream may be sent an acknowledgment of receipt of a successfully transmitted return. An acknowledgment means only that the Tax Commission received the return. An acknowledgment is not a finding by the Tax Commission about the correctness of the return. If any transmission is received in an unintelligible or garbled form and the Tax Commission cannot identify the taxpayer, no acknowledgment will be sent. (7-1-99)

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 310. INTEREST RATES (RULE 310).

Sections 63-3045 and 63-3073, Idaho Code.

(3-20-04)

**01. In General**. The annual rate of interest applicable to delinquent taxes accruing or unpaid during all or any part of a calendar year is determined in accordance with Section 63-3045, Idaho Code. The rates starting with the rate applicable at July 1, 1981, and the Internal Revenue Service Revenue Rulings, if applicable for the calculation of the rate, are listed in Subsection 310.02 of this rule. These interest rates also apply to the allowance of a credit or refund of tax erroneously or illegally assessed or collected as provided in Section 63-3073, Idaho Code.

(4-6-05)

# 02. Idaho Interest Rates and Applicable Revenue Rulings.

PERIOD	RATE OF INTEREST	INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE REVENUE RULING
July 1, 1981, through December 31, 1993	12% simple interest	Not Applicable
Calendar Year 1994	7% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 93-64
Calendar Year 1995	9% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 94-61
Calendar Year 1996	8% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 95-67
Calendar Year 1997	9% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 96-49
Calendar Year 1998	8% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 97-41
Calendar Year 1999	7% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 98-50
Calendar Year 2000	8% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 99-41
Calendar Year 2001	8% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2000-45
Calendar Year 2002	7% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2001-49
Calendar Year 2003	5% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2002-61
Calendar Year 2004	6% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2003-107
Calendar Year 2005	6% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2004-69
Calendar Year 2006	6% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2005-57
Calendar Year 2007	7% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2006-44
Calendar Year 2008	7% simple interest	Revenue Ruling 2007-57

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## **IDAPA 37 - DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

# 37.03.01 - ADJUDICATION RULES

## **DOCKET NO. 37-0301-0701 (FEE RULE)**

## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 24, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 42-1805(8), Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 18, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking: Rule change is necessary to make rules consistent with 2006 and 2007 legislative amendments to Chapter 14, Title 42, Idaho Code, update outdated citations to Idaho Code, and reduce number of claim forms from two to one.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(b), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: Compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law or federal programs.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: The rule itself does not impose or increase a fee or charge. The 2006 legislative amendments to Section 42-1414, Idaho Code, revised the fee structure for filing a notice of claim to a water right with IDWR. The proposed rule change makes the fee structure cited in the adjudication rules conform to the new fee structure in Section 42-1414, Idaho Code.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: No negative fiscal impact on the state general fund.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the primary purpose of rule change is to make the rules consistent with existing Idaho Code.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Don Shaff, Adjudication Bureau Chief, at (208) 287-4800.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 25, 2007.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2007.

Donald V. Shaff Adjudication Bureau Chief Idaho Department of Water Resources 322 E. Front St., Boise PO Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0098 Ph: (208) 287-4800 / Fax: (208) 287-6700

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 37-0301-0701

### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE (RULE 1).

**101. Title.** The title of this chapter is IDAPA 37.03.01, "Adjudication Rules." (8-24-07)T

**O2.** Scope. The purpose of these rules is to implement statutes governing the filing of notices of claims to water rights acquired under state law and the collection of fees for filing notices of claims to water rights acquired under state law in general adjudications, as provided in Sections 42-1409(2), (4) and (8), 42-1414, and 42-1415, Idaho Code.

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## 002. -- 009. (RESERVED).

## 010. DEFINITIONS (RULE 10).

**01. AF**. An acre foot (feet). (7-1-93)

- **02. Amendment Fee.** The additional fee payable at the time of filing an amendment to a claim, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1409(4)}{42-1414(2)}$ , Idaho Code.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- 03. Application. An application to appropriate water, as provided in Sections 42-202 or 42-1503, 4daho Code.
- **043.** Aquaculture. The use of water for propagation of fish, shell fish, and any other animal or plant product naturally occurring in an underwater environment. (7-1-93)
- **054.** Aquaculture Fee. The variable fee payable for aquaculture use, as provided in Section 42-1414(2)(c) 1414(1)(b)(iii), Idaho Code, which shall be calculated for each cfs and fraction thereof to the nearest dollar. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
  - **065.** CFS. Cubic foot (feet) per second. (7-1-93)
- **076.** Claim. A notice of claim to a water right acquired under state law, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1409(2)}{42-1409(4)}$ , Idaho Code.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{42-1409(4)}$ 
  - **087. Department.** The Idaho Department of Water Resources. (7-1-93)
  - **098. Director.** The Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources. (7-1-93)
  - **Op.** Domestic Use. Domestic use as defined in Section 42-1401A(4), Idaho Code. (8-24-07)T
- 10. Extended Payment Plan. The installment schedule for payment of fees for filing claims, as provided in Section 42-1414(3), Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
- 11. Fire-Fighting Purposes. The use of water in times of emergency: to extinguish an existing fire on private or public lands, facilities, or equipment; to prevent an existing fire from spreading to private or public lands, facilities or equipment within the vicinity of and endangered by an existing fire; and by fire fighting personnel engaged in fighting an existing fire. Fire-fighting purposes does not include the use of water to prevent a fire from occurring in the future, the use of water for domestic purposes in regularly maintained firefighting stations, or the storage of water for fighting future fires.
- **120. Flat Fee.** The per claim fee for filing claims, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1414(1)}{(7-1-93)}(8-24-07)$ T Idaho Code.

- **131. Late Fee.** The additional fee payable for the filing of late claims, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1409(8)}{42-1414(3)}$ , Idaho Code.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- 44. Long Claim Form. The department's form number 42-1409(2)a, entitled "Notice of Claim to a Water Right Acquired Under State Law." (7-1-93)
- 152. Per Acre Fee. The variable fee for irrigation use, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1414(2)(a)}{42-1414(1)(b)(a)}$  Idaho Code, which shall be calculated for each acre and fraction thereof rounded to the next one-half  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- **163. Per Cfs Fee.** The variable fee payable for other uses, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1414(2)(d)}{42-1414(1)(b)(iii)}$ , (iv), and (ev), Idaho Code, which shall be calculated for each cfs and fraction thereof to the nearest dollar.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- 174. **Per Kilowatt Fee**. The variable fee payable for power generation use, as provided in Section 42-1414(2)(b) 42-1414(1)(b)(ii), Idaho Code, which shall be calculated for each kilowatt and fraction thereof.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
  - 18. Report. The report of the director, as provided in Section 42-1411(1), Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
- 195. Short State Law Claim Form. The department's form number 42-1409(2)b, entitled "Notice of Claim to a Water Right Acquired Under State Law for Domestic and/or Stockwater Purposes." as provided in Section 42-1409(4), Idaho Code.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
  - 16. Stock Watering Use. Stock watering use as defined in Section 42-1401A(11), Idaho Code.

    (8-24-07)T
- **2017. Total Fee**. The fee payable for filing a claim, which consists of the flat fee plus any applicable variable fee or late fee. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **218. Variable Fee.** The fee payable for filing claims in addition to the flat fee, as provided in Section  $\frac{42-1414(2)}{42-1414(1)(b)}$ , Idaho Code.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- **22.19 Water Delivery System.** All structures and equipment used for diversion, storage, transportation, and use of water from the water source to and including each place of use. (7-1-93)
- **230. Water Delivery Organization**. An irrigation district, a water utility, a municipality, or any similar claimant of a water right who diverts water pursuant to the water right claimed and delivers the water to others who make beneficial use of the water diverted by the water delivery organization pursuant to the water right claimed by the water delivery organization. (7-1-93)
- 011. -- 024. (RESERVED).
- 025. GENERAL (RULE 25).
- **01. Requirement to Pay.** All persons filing claims to water rights acquired under state law or amendments to claims to water rights acquired under state law shall be required to pay filing fees as set forth by statute and these rules. (7-1-93)
- **02. Method of Payment.** Fees shall be paid in legal tender of the United States; or by money order, certified check, cashier's check,  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial t}$  personal check, or by debit or credit card either at IDWR or by electronic payment on-line payable to the department in legal tender of the United States. *Credit card payments and f* Two-party checks will not be accepted. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **O3. Personal Check.** If a personal check in payment of a flat fee, a variable fee, <u>or</u> a late fee, <u>and/or the first payment on an extended payment plan</u> is returned unpaid to the department, the claims covered by the returned check will be rejected and returned to the claimant. If a personal check in payment of an amendment fee is returned

unpaid to the department, the amended claim will be rejected and returned to the claimant, but the original claim will still be in effect. If a personal check in payment of the second through fifth payments on an extended payment plan is returned unpaid to the department, the returned check will be treated as nonpayment pursuant to Rule Subsection 040.05.

(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- **104. Time of Payment.** Flat fees and variable fees shall be payable to the department at the time of filing a claim, except in the case of extended payment plans otherwise provided for by statute and these rules. Amendment fees shall be payable to the department at the time of filing the amended claim. Late fees shall be payable at the time of filing the late claim.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **05. Government Voucher.** Fees payable by government agencies (other than agencies of foreign governments) may be paid when due by government voucher. If full payment of the voucher is not received within forty-five (45) days of the date the voucher is received, the unpaid voucher will be treated as a returned check as provided in Rule Subsection 025.03. (7-1-93)
- **106. Insufficient Paid Fee.** If a fee paid is later determined by the director to be insufficient, the director will send a notice of balance due by certified mail to the claimant at the most recent address shown by department records, stating the balance due and that the balance will be due within thirty (30) days of the date the notice is mailed. If the balance is not received by the date set forth in the notice, the balance due will be treated as an extended payment plan in default as set forth in Rule Subsections 040.05.c. and 040.05.d. A notice of balance due shall not be issued after filing of the director's report for the claim for which the fee was paid, or more than four (4) years after the date the insufficient payment was received by the director, whichever is later.
- 076. Rejection of Claim. Claims based upon an application to appropriate water that has not been approved by the department pursuant to Sections 42-204 or 42-1503, Idaho Code, shall not be accepted, and any fees paid shall be that are filed without the correct filing fee will be rejected and returned to the claimant.

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- **087. Fire-Fighting.** A claim is not required to be filed for water used solely *for fire-fighting purposes*. The report will contain general conclusions of law recognizing and protecting the use of water for fire-fighting purposes absent a decree, license, or permit for the use of water for fire-fighting purposes. to extinguish an existing fire on private or public lands, structures, or equipment, or to prevent an existing fire from spreading to private or public lands, structures, or equipment endangered by an existing fire pursuant to Section 42-201(3), Idaho Code. A claim is required for the use of water for domestic purposes in regularly maintained firefighting stations and for the storage of water for fighting future fires.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **109.** In Stream Livestock Use. A claim is not required to be filed for water used solely for in-stream livestock use as defined by Section 42-113, Idaho Code. The report will contain general conclusions of law stating that:
- **a.** In the consideration of applications for permits to appropriate water for other purposes, the director shall impose such reasonable conditions as are necessary to protect prior water rights for in-stream livestock use; and (7-1-93)
- **b.** In the administration of water rights, the director shall recognize and protect water rights for instream livestock use, according to priority, as the director recognizes and protects water rights for other purposes.

  (7-1-93)
- **408. Examples**. Examples set forth in these rules are solely for purposes of illustration and do not have the effect of rules. (7-1-93)
- 026. -- 029. (RESERVED).
- 030. FLAT FEES (RULE 30).
- 01. Small Domestic <u>Use</u> and Stock Watering <u>Use Based on Permit, License, Decree, or Statutory</u> <u>Claim</u>. A flat fee of <u>twenty-five</u> fifty dollars (\$250) shall be payable for each <u>domestic use and/or stock watering use</u>

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<u>claim based on permit, license, decree or statutory</u> claim, where the total amount of water diverted does not exceed thirteen thousand (13,000) gallons per day, that is limited to: (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- a: Domestic use as defined by Section 42-1401A(5), Idaho Code: (7-1-93)
- b. Stock watering use as defined by Section 42-1401A(12), Idaho Code; or (7-1-93)
- e. Domestic use as defined by Section 42-1401A(5), Idaho Code, and stock watering use as defined by Section 42-1401A(12), Idaho Code. (7-1-93)
- d. Domestic use as defined by Section 42-1401A(5), Idaho Code, includes single-ownership, multiple-family domestic uses, so long as the total amount of water diverted for all households pursuant to a single water right does not exceed thirteen thousand (13,000) gallons per day.

  (7-1-93)
- **02.** Exception Other Claims. A flat fee of <u>fifty</u> one hundred dollars ( $$5\underline{10}0$ ) shall be payable for each claim that does not meet the <u>definition</u> criteria of Rule Subsection 030.01.
- 031. -- 034. (RESERVED).

## 035. VARIABLE FEES (RULE 35).

**01. General.** For each claim not meeting the <u>definition</u> <u>criteria</u> of Rule <u>Subsection</u> 00730.01, there may be a variable fee in addition to the flat fee. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

**02.** Per Acre Fee. (7-1-93)

<u>A per acre fee of two dollars (\$2) per acre shall be required for claims for irrigation use.</u>

(8-24-07)T

- **ab.** The per acre fee shall only be charged once against a particular acre, regardless of the number of claims filed for the irrigation of that acre or the number of claims filing claims for the irrigation of that acre.
- i. Example 1: A claimant submits two (2) claims, one (1) for irrigation of sixty (60) acres, and one (1) for a supplemental water right to irrigate the same sixty (60) acres with a later priority. The total fee for both claims consists of two (2) flat fees of *fifty* one hundred dollars (\$5100) each, plus one (1) sixty one hundred twenty dollars (\$6120) variable fee based upon sixty (60) acres, for a total of one three hundred sixty twenty dollars (\$1600) twenty dollars (\$1600)

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- The per acre fee shall be payable by the first person to file a claim for the irrigation of a particular acre. (7-1-93)
- i. Example 2: A water delivery organization files a claim for irrigation of lands within the service area of the water delivery organization, and pays the filing fee. An individual files a claim for a supplemental water right for sixty (60) acres of land that is claimed as irrigated acreage by the water delivery organization. The total fee paid directly by the individual is the  $\frac{fifty}{t}$  one hundred dollar (\$\frac{5}{10}0) flat fee; the variable per acre fee has already been paid by the water delivery organization. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **ed.** The per acre fee for an irrigation project where the canals constructed cover an area of twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres or more, or irrigation districts organized and existing as such under the laws of the state of Idaho, or for beneficial use by more than five (5) water users in an area of less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres shall be determined based upon the acreage claimed to be irrigated by the project or irrigation district within the boundaries of the project or irrigation district. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

**03.** Per Kilowatt Fee. (7-1-93)

<u>a.</u> A per kilowatt of capacity (manufacturer's nameplate rating) fee of seven dollars (\$7) per kilowatt

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shall be required for claims for power use.

(8-24-07)T

- **ab.** The per kilowatt fee shall be determined based upon the total generating capacity of all generators in which the water right claimed is used. (7-1-93)
- **bc.** The total per kilowatt fee for all claims filed for a single hydropower facility shall not exceed the per kilowatt fee for the total generating capacity of all generators in the hydropower facility. (7-1-93)
- i. Example 3: A claimant submits three (3) claims for water used in one (1) power plant. The power plant has four (4) generators, each with a manufacturer's nameplate rating of ninety (90) kilowatt capacity. The total fee for all three (3) claims consists of three (3) flat fees of *fifty* one hundred dollars (\$\frac{\$5100}{1.260}\$) each, plus a variable fee of *one* two thousand *two* five hundred *sixty* twenty dollars (\$\frac{\$1,260}{1.260}\$) (4 x 90 x \$\frac{3.50}{2.520}\$), for a total of *one* two thousand *four* eight hundred *ten* twenty dollars (\$\frac{\$1,410}{1.490}\$).

**04.** Per CFS Fee. (7-1-93)

- <u>a.</u> A per cfs fee of twenty dollars (\$20) per cfs for aquaculture shall be required. A per cfs fee of two hundred dollars (\$200) per cfs for all other uses except irrigation, power, domestic and stock watering uses meeting the criteria of Rule 010, shall be required.

  (8-24-07)T
- **ab.** For a claim to water for more than one (1) public purpose, the per cfs fee shall only be charged once per cfs claimed. Public purposes shall include public in-stream flows, public lake level maintenance, wildlife, aesthetic beauty, and recreation. (7-1-93)
- i. Example 4: A claimant files a claim to ten (10) cfs for a public in-stream flow for wildlife, recreation, and aesthetic purposes. The variable fee is  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand dollars (\$\frac{42}{100}\$,000) and the flat fee is  $\frac{100}{100}$ , for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$), for a total fee of  $\frac{100}{100}$  thousand  $\frac{100}{100}$  dollars (\$\frac{5}{100}\$).

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- **bc.** If there is a seasonal variation in the number of cfs claimed, the per cfs fee shall be based upon the maximum number of cfs claimed for any period during a single calendar year. (7-1-93)
- **ed.** The per cfs fee shall apply to claims for water quality improvement, recreation, aesthetic purposes, and any other purpose not expressly listed at Section  $\frac{42-1414(2)}{42-1414(1)}$ , Idaho Code, except as otherwise provided by these rules.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$

#### 05. Claims Including Storage.

(7-1-93)

- a. The variable fee for a claim that includes storage shall be based upon the ultimate use of the water stored. If the claim states purposes other than diversion to storage, storage, and diversion from storage, the total variable fee will be determined as provided in Rule  $\frac{Subsection}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- **b.** Ground water recharge is not an ultimate use and  $n\underline{N}$  o variable fee shall be payable for water claimed for ground water recharge purposes. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **c.** For purposes of determining the per cfs fee for amounts of water claimed in af, one (1) cfs equals one and ninety-eight one-hundreths (1.98) af per day of diversion to storage. (7-1-93)
  - **d.** No variable fee shall be payable for minimum by-pass flows.

(7-1-93)

- **Multiple Purpose Claims**. If a claimant claims more than one (1) purpose of use on a single claim, the variable fee will be the total of the variable fees payable for each purpose of use. (7-1-93)
- **a.** Example 5: A claimant files a claim for twenty (20) cfs of water, which is first used for power purposes in a plant with a one hundred fifty (150) kilowatt capacity, and is then used for irrigation of one thousand (1,000) acres of land. The variable fee is *one* two thousand dollars (\$\frac{42}{2},000) (per acre fee\*) plus *five hundred twenty-five* one thousand fifty dollars (\$\frac{521.050}{1.050}) (per kilowatt fee), for a total variable fee of *one* three thousand *five hundred*

twenty-five fifty dollars ( $\$1,525\ 3.050$ ). The total fee is one three thousand five one hundred seventy-five fifty dollars ( $\$1,575\ 3.150$ ), consisting of the one three thousand five hundred twenty-five fifty dollars ( $\$1,525\ 3.050$ ) variable fee and the fifty one hundred dollar (\$5100) flat fee. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- **b.** Example 6: A claimant files a claim for twenty (20) cfs of water, half of which is claimed for commercial purposes, half of which is claimed for irrigation of five hundred (500) acres. The variable fee is two thousand dollars (\$2,000) (per cfs fee) plus one thousand dollars (\$1,000) (per cfs fee) plus five hundred dollars (\$500) (per acre fee) for a total variable fee of one three thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500 \(\frac{3,000}{3,000}\)). The total fee is one three thousand five one hundred fifty dollars (\$1,500 \(\frac{3,000}{3,000}\)) variable fee and the fifty one hundred dollar (\$\frac{5}{10}\) on flat fee. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **O7. Exceptions**. No variable fee shall be payable for claims or portions of claims for fire-fighting purposes, if a claim is required under Rule 025.07 or for domestic use and/or stock watering use meeting the definitions of domestic use and stock watering use in Rule 0310.01. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- Example 7: A claimant files a claim for 5.04 cfs of water <u>based upon a license</u>, five (5) cfs of which is claimed for irrigation of two hundred fifty (250) acres, two one-hundreths (.02) cfs of which is claimed for domestic use, two one-hundreths (.02) cfs of which is claimed for stock watering. The variable fee is  $\frac{\text{five}}{\text{five}}$  hundred  $\frac{\text{fifty}}{\text{fifty}}$  dollars (\$2500) and the flat fee is  $\frac{\text{fifty}}{\text{one hundred}}$  dollars (\$5100), for a total fee of  $\frac{\text{fire}}{\text{fire}}$  six hundred dollars (\$3600).

## 036. -- 039. (RESERVED).

### 040. EXTENDED PAYMENT PLANS (RULE 40).

**61.** Eligibility. A claimant is eligible for an extended payment plan where the total fee for all claims filed by that claimant in a single day at a single claims-taking location equals or exceeds one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

# 02. Payment Schedule.

(7-1-93)

- a. An extended payment plan shall consist of five (5) annual payments. An extended payment plan is not available for a shorter term or with more frequent payments, but early payments will be accepted as provided in Rule Subsection 040.04.

  (7-1-93)
- b. Extended payments shall be made in equal annual payments of principal. The first principal payment shall be due upon filing the claim or claims. The remaining four (4) payments will be due on the first day of the same month during the following four (4) years. Interest will be calculated annually from the day after the due date for the previous principal payment to and including the due date for the next principal payment, and will be due upon the due date for the next principal payment.

  (7-1-93)
- i. Example 8: A claimant files claims December 17, 1987, and the total fees are five thousand dollars (\$5,000). One thousand dollars (\$1,000) will be due December 17, 1987. The second payment will be due December 1, 1988, and will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000) plus three hundred eighty two dollars and forty-seven cents (\$382.47) (349 days interest on \$4,000), for a total of one thousand three hundred eighty-two dollars and forty-seven cents (\$1,382.47). The third payment will be due on December 1, 1989, and will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000) plus one (1) year's interest on three thousand dollars (\$3,000), for a total of one thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,300). The fourth payment will be due December 1, 1990 and will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000) plus one (1) year's interest on two thousand dollars (\$2,000), for a total of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) plus one (1) year's interest on one thousand dollars (\$1,000), for a total of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) plus one (1) year's interest on one thousand dollars (\$1,000), for a total of one thousand one hundred dollars (\$1,000).
- 03. Notice of Payment Due. At least fourteen (14) days prior to the date an extended payment is due, the director will send a notice of payment due by regular mail to the claimant at the most recent address shown by department records.

  (7-1-93)
  - **64.** Early Payments. Early payments will be accepted. When a payment due is received prior to the

fourteenth (14th) day before the due date, interest will be recalculated based on the amount of interest accrued daily from the day after receipt of the next previous payment to and including the date the early payment is received. Any overpayment resulting from the recalculation of interest due will be applied to the principal amount due the following year, unless the early payment is the last payment, in which case any overpayment will be refunded to the claimant.

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# 05. Late Payments.

(7-1-93)

- When a payment due is not received by the 14th day following the due date, interest will accrue daily on the amount due from the day after the due date to and including the date the payment is received at the annual interest rate set forth at Section 42-1414, Idaho Code. When the payment due is received, it will be applied first to interest (including late interest) and then to principal, and the next year's payment will be recalculated accordingly, unless the late payment is the last payment due. If the late payment is the last payment due, the director will send a notice of balance due by regular mail to the claimant at the most recent address shown by department records, stating that the balance will be due within thirty (30) days of the date the notice is mailed.

  (7-1-93)
- **b.** When a payment due is not received by the 30th day following the due date, the director will send a notice of default by certified mail to the claimant at the most recent address shown by department records. (7-1-93)
- e. When a payment due is not received by the 60th day following the due date, and the director has not filed the director's report, the director may reject and return all claims covered by the extended payment plan in default.

  (7-1-93)
- **d.** When a payment due is not received by the 60th day following the due date, and the director has filed the director's report, the director may:

  (7-1-93)
- i. Issue a cease and desist order directing the claimant not to divert any water pursuant to the claims covered by the extended payment plan in default until all amounts due have been received by the department;
  - (7-1-93)
- ii. Obtain an injunction from the district court conducting the general adjudication directing the claimant not to divert any water pursuant to the claims covered by the extended payment plan in default until all amounts due have been received by the department; and

  (7-1-93)
- iii. Reject and return the claims covered by the extended payment plan and amend the report to recommend the water right represented by the claims covered by the extended payment plan as unclaimed. (7-1-93)

# 06. Splitting Extended Payment Plans.

(7-1-93)

- **a.** When a single extended payment plan is established that covers more than one (1) claim, the extended payment plan may later be split into two (2) extended payment plans, each of which covers a portion of the claims previously covered by the single extended payment plan. If the claims covered by an extended payment plan created by the split would not have qualified for an extended payment plan at the time the claims were filed, the entire balance for the claims covered by the extended payment plan created by the split will be due at the time the extended payment plan is split.

  (7-1-93)
- has been split by conveyance to different owners. If the portion of the claim covered by an extended payment plan at the time the claim was filed, the entire balance of the fee for that portion of the claim will be due at the time the extended payment plan is split. (7-1-93)
- e. When a single extended payment plan has been established that covers more than one (1) claim, the claimant may choose to pay the balance on less than all of the claims, leaving the balance on the remaining claims to be paid on the extended payment plan, unless the remaining claims would not have qualified for an extended payment plan at the time of filing.

  (7-1-93)

## 07. Partial Payments.

(7-1-93)

- **a.** Partial payments (payment of less than the full amount due on an extended payment) will be applied first to interest due and any remainder will be applied to principal.

  (7-1-93)
- **b.** Partial payments on extended payment plans covering more than one (1) claim will be divided among the claims in proportion to the amount due on each claim, except as provided in Rule Subsections 040.07.c. and 040.07.d.

  (7-1-93)
- e. When a single extended payment plan has been established that covers more than one (1) claim, the claimant may choose to make a payment on less than all of the claims, and allow the other claims to be rejected and returned, if the claims on which a payment is made would have qualified for an extended payment plan at the time of filing.

  (7-1-93)
- **d.** When a single extended payment plan has been established that covers more than one (1) claim, the elaimant may choose to pay the balance on less than all of the claims, and allow the other claims to be rejected and returned.

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04136. -- 044. (RESERVED).

## 045. AMENDMENT FEES (RULE 45).

Recalculated Fee. When a claimant files an amendment to a claim, the total fee shall be recalculated as if the amended claim were the original claim. If the total fee as recalculated is greater than the total fee paid at the time the claim was filed, the amendment fee shall be the difference between the two (2) amounts. No refund shall be made if the total fee as recalculated is less than the total fee paid at the time the claim was filed.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(8-24-07)T}$ 

**02. Determining Eligibility.** The amendment fee shall not be included for purposes of determining eligibility for an extended payment plan, and the amendment fee may not be included in an extended payment plan.

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046. -- 049. (RESERVED).

## 050. LATE FEES (RULE 50).

- **01. Late Fee Payable**. A late fee shall be payable when a claim is filed after the date set forth in the first commencement notice mailed to the claimant or the claimant's predecessor in interest pursuant to Sections 42-1408A(2) and 42-1414(3), Idaho Code. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- *O2.* Determining Eligibility. The late fee shall not be included for purposes of determining eligibility for an extended payment plan, and the late fee may not be included in an extended payment plan. (7-1-93)
  - **032. Waiver.** The late fee may be waived by the director for good cause shown. (7-1-93)

## (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 060. SUFFICIENCY OF CLAIMS (RULE 60).

**01. Single Claim.** A single claim may describe only one (1) water right. A claim that describes more than one (1) water right will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims except claims based on both state law and federal law.

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<del>02.</del> Claim Forms. (7-1-93)

- Claims meeting the definition of Rule Subsection 030.01, other than claims to domestic and/or stock watering use that include storage or instream stock watering use, may be filed on the short claim form.
  - (7-1-93)
- Claims not meeting the definition of Rule Subsection 030.01, and claims to domestic and/or stock watering use that include storage or instream stock watering use, shall be filed on the long claim form.
- Short State Law Claim Form -- Minimum Requirements. Claims filed on the short state law claim form shall contain the following information: (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- Name, Address and Phone Number of Claimant. The name, address, and phone number of the claimant and all co-claimants claiming the water right jointly with the claimant shall be listed at item one (1) of the (7-1-93)
- Date of Priority. The date of priority shall be listed at item two (2) of the form, and shall include b. month, day and year. Only one (1) priority may be *claimed* stated. If more than one (1) priority date is *claimed* stated, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims.

(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- Source of Water Supply. The source of water supply shall be stated at item three (3) of the form. c. (7-1-93)
- For surface water sources, the source of water shall be identified by the official name listed on the U.S. Geological Survey Quadrangle map. If no official name has been given, the name in local common usage should be listed. If there is no official or common name, the source should be described as "unnamed stream" or "spring." The first named downstream water source to which the source is tributary shall also be listed. For ground water sources, the source shall be listed as "ground water." (7-1-93)
- Only one (1) source shall be listed unless the claim is for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) source, or the claim is for a single licensed or decreed right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system. If more than one (1) source is listed and the claim is not for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) source, and the claim is not for a single licensed or decreed water right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims. (7-1-93)
- Location of Point of Diversion. The location of the point of diversion shall be listed at item four (4) of the form.
- The location of the point of diversion shall be described to nearest forty (40) acre tract (quarter-Section) or government lot number, and shall include township number (including north or south designations), range number (including east or west designations), Section number, and county. The location of the point of diversion should be described to the nearest ten (10) acre tract (quarter quarter quarter Section) if that description is reasonably available.
- If the point of diversion is located in a platted subdivision, a plat of which has been recorded in the county recorder's office for the county in which the subdivision is located, the claimant shall also list the subdivision name, block number and lot number in the remarks section of the form.
- Only one (1) point of diversion shall be listed unless the claim is for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) point of diversion, or the claim is for a single licensed or decreed water right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system. If more than one (1) point of diversion is listed and the claim is not for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) point of diversion, and the claim is not for a single licensed or decreed right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims. (7-1-93)
  - Description of Diversion Works. The diversion works shall be described at item five (5) of the form. e. (7-1-93)

- i. The description shall include all major components of the water delivery system. The description shall also include the depth of wells, the horsepower capacity of pumps, and those dimensions of major components which affect the diversion capacity of the water delivery system.

  (7-1-93)
- ii. The description shall include the dates and a description of any changes in use or enlargements in use, and as to those dimensions required to be described above, the dimensions as originally constructed and as enlarged.

  (7-1-93)
- f. Purpose of Use and Period of Use. Domestic use is listed on the first line of item six (6) of the form. The period of use and the amount of water claimed in cfs for domestic purposes shall be listed on the first line of item six (6). Period of use shall include the month and day of the first and last day of use.

  (7-1-93)
- i. Stock watering use is listed on the second line of item six (6) of the form. The period of use and the amount of water claimed in cfs for stock watering purposes shall be listed on the second line of item six (6) of the form. Period of use shall include the month and day of the first and last day of use.

  (7-1-93)
- ii. The amount of water claimed for each purpose for which water is claimed shall not exceed the amount of water beneficially used for the purpose claimed, and the period of use for each purpose claimed shall not exceed the period in which water is beneficially used for the purpose claimed.

  (7-1-93)
- g. Amount of Water Claimed. The total amount of water claimed shall be listed in cfs at item seven (7) of the form. The total amount of water claimed shall not exceed the total of the amounts listed at item six (6) of the form, or the total diversion capacity of the diversion system, whichever is less.

  (7-1-93)
- **h.** Annual Volume of Consumptive Use. The annual volume of consumptive use for domestic and stock watering use is generally deemed de minimus. Annual volume of consumptive use is already stated as de minimus at item eight (8) of the form.

  (7-1-93)
  - **i.** Description of Uses. The uses of water claimed shall be fully described at item nine (9) of the form.

    (7-1-93)
- i. For domestic use in homes, the number of households served shall be described. If domestic use for more than one (1) household not in a single ownership is listed, the form will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and the claim must be refiled on the long claim form.

  (7-1-93)
- ii. Domestic use for organization camps and public campgrounds shall be fully described, including but not limited to the number of camp units, water faucets, flush toilets, showers, and sewer connections. Description of domestic use for organization camps and public campgrounds shall also include the average and peak numbers of individuals using the facility, and the periods when peak or average rates of usage occur.

  (7-1-93)
  - iii. For stock watering use, the number and type of stock shall be described. (7-1-93)
- *j.* Place of Use. The place of use for domestic use claimed shall be listed at item ten (10) of the form by entering a "D" in the appropriate boxes for each forty (40) acre tract or government lot on the form. The place of use for stock watering use claimed shall be listed at item ten (10) of the form by entering an "S" in the appropriate boxes for each forty (40) acre tract or government lot on the form.

  (7-1-93)
- **k.** County of Place of Use. The county(ies) in which the place(s) of use is (are) located shall be listed at item eleven (11) of the form. (7-1-93)
- L. Authority to Assert Claim. The claimant shall indicate at item twelve (12) of the form whether the claimant is the owner of the place(s) of use. If the claimant is not the owner of the place(s) of use, the claimant shall, in the remarks section of the form, describe the claimant's authority to assert the claim, and state the name, address, and phone number of the owner(s) of the place(s) of use.

  (7-1-93)
  - **m.** Other Water Rights. The claimant shall describe at item thirteen (13) of the form any other water

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rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed. If there are no other water rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed, the claimant shall state "NA" or "none." (7-1-93)

- **n.** Remarks. The claimant may submit any additional, relevant information not specifically requested at item fourteen (14) of the form. If the space provided is not sufficient, remarks shall be set forth on a separate piece of paper and attached to the form. All separate attachments must be specifically referenced in the remarks section of the form.

  (7-1-93)
- Basis of Claim. The basis of the claim shall be indicated at item fifteen (15) of the form. If a water right number has been assigned by the department to the right claimed, the water right number shall also be indicated. If a water right number has not been assigned and the water right is based upon a decree, the claimant shall list the title and date of the decree, the case number, and the court that issued the decree.

  (7-1-93)
- **p.** Signature. All claims must be signed and sworn or affirmed before a notary public or other person authorized by law to administer an oath or affirmation at item sixteen (16) of the form. (7-1-93)
- i. Individuals shall sign at the space indicated for individuals. The form must be signed by the person listed as the claimant at item one (1) of the form unless written evidence is submitted with the form to show that the signatory has authority to sign for the claimant. A form listing more than one (1) claimant at item one (1) must be signed by each of the claimants listed at item one (1) unless the names are joined by "or", or "and/or" at item one (1).
- ii. Claims by corporations, municipalities or other organizations shall be signed by an officer of the corporation or an elected official of the municipality or an individual authorized by the organization to sign the form.

  The signator's title shall be indicated with the signature.

  (7-1-93)

## 04. Short Claim Form - Insufficient Claims, Waivers.

- (7-1-93)
- a: Claims filed on the short claim form that do not contain the information required by Rule 060.03, and claims that were improperly filed on the short claim form, shall be rejected and returned along with any fees paid.

  (7-1-93)
- **b.** The director may waive the minimum information requirements of Rule 060.03 and accept the claim for good cause shown.

  (7-1-93)
- 05. Long Claim Form Minimum Requirements. Claims filed on the long claim form shall contain the following information:

  (7-1-93)
- a. Name, Address and Phone Number of Claimant. The name, address, and phone number of the claimant and all co-claimants claiming the water right jointly with the claimant shall be listed at item one (1) of the form.

  (7-1-93)
- b. Date of Priority. The date of priority shall be listed at item two (2) of the form, and shall include month, day and year. Only one (1) priority may be stated. If more than one (1) priority date is stated, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims.

  (7-1-93)
  - e. Source of Water Supply. The source of water supply shall be stated at item three (3) of the form.

    (7-1-93)
- i. For surface water sources, the source of water shall be identified by the official name listed on the U.S. Geological Survey Quadrangle map. If no official name has been given, the name in local common usage should be listed. If there is no official or common name, the source should be described as "unnamed stream" or "spring." The first named downstream water source to which the source is tributary shall also be listed. For ground water sources, the source shall be listed as "groundwater."
- ii. Only one (1) source shall be listed unless the claim is for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) source, or the claim is for a single licensed or decreed right that covers more than one (1) water

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delivery system. If more than one (1) source is listed and the claim is not for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) source, and the claim is not for a single licensed or decreed water right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims.

(7-1-93)

- **d.** Location of Point of Diversion. For claims other than in-stream flows, the location of the point(s) of diversion shall be listed at item four (4) part (a) of the form. For claims to in-stream flows *for public purposes*, the beginning and ending points of the claimed in-stream flow shall be listed at item four (4) part (b) of the form.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- i. The location of the point of diversion shall be described to nearest forty (40) acre tract (quarter-quarter section) or government lot number, and shall include township number (including north or south designations), range number (including east or west designations), section number, and county. The location of the point of diversion should be described to the nearest ten (10) acre tract (quarter-quarter-quarter section) if that description is reasonably available. (7-1-93)
- ii. If the point of diversion is located in a platted subdivision, a plat of which has been recorded in the county recorder's office for the county in which the subdivision is located, the claimant shall also list the subdivision name, block number and lot number in the remarks section of the form Section 13 of the form (remarks section). The claimant shall also list the Parcel Number or Parcel Identification Number (PIN) as assigned by the county assessor's office for the parcel where the water is diverted unless no Parcel Number or PIN is recorded for the property at the point of diversion.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- iii A claim to a water right that includes storage shall state the point at which water is impounded (applicable only to in-stream reservoirs) or the point at which water is diverted to storage (applicable only to offstream reservoirs), the point at which water is released from storage into a natural stream channel (applicable only where a natural stream channel is used to convey stored water), and the point at which water is rediverted (applicable only where a natural channel is used to convey stored water).

  (7-1-93)
- iv. Only one (1) point of diversion shall be listed unless the claim is for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) point of diversion, or the claim is for a single licensed or decreed water right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system. If more than one (1) point of diversion is listed and the claim is not for a single water delivery system that has more than one (1) point of diversion, and the claim is not for a single licensed or decreed water right that covers more than one (1) water delivery system, the claim will be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, and must be refiled as multiple claims. (7-1-93)
- **e.** Description of Diversion Works. The diversion works shall be described at item five (5) of the form. (7-1-93)
- i. The description shall include all major components of the water delivery system, such as dams, reservoirs, ditches, pipelines, pumps, wells, headgates, etc. The description shall also include those dimensions of major components which affect the diversion capacity of the water delivery system. The description shall also state whether the ditches are lined and/or covered, the depth of wells, the horsepower capacity of pumps, and whether headgates are automatic or equipped with locks and/or measuring devices. (7-1-93)
- ii. The description shall include the dates and a description of any changes in use (including change in point of diversion, place of use, purpose of use, and period of use) or enlargements in use (including an increase in the amount of water diverted, the number of acres irrigated, or additional uses of water), and as to those dimensions required to be described above, the dimensions as originally constructed and as enlarged. (7-1-93)
- iii. Water delivery organizations shall describe the water delivery system up to and including the point where responsibility for water distribution is assumed by entities other than the water delivery organization. (7-1-93)
- Purpose of Use and Period of Use. Each purpose for which water is claimed, the period of use for each purpose for which water is claimed, and the amount of water claimed for each purpose for which water is claimed shall be listed at item six (6) of the form. Period of use shall include the month and day of the first and last day of use. For example, the period of use for domestic use is often 1-01 to 12-31.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- i. The purpose may be described in general terms such as irrigation, industrial, municipal, mining, power generation, fish propagation, domestic, stock watering, etc. (7-1-93)
- ii. A claim to a water right which includes storage shall be broken down into component purposes, with the ultimate use(s) of the stored water indicated. The component purposes of a storage right are diversion to storage (not applicable to in-stream reservoirs), storage, diversion from storage (not applicable where the ultimate use is an in-reservoir public purpose). Detention of water in a holding pond that can be filled in less than twenty-four (24) hours at the claimed diversion rate is not required to be claimed as storage. The amount of water claimed shall be limited to the active storage capacity of the reservoir unless a past practice of refilling the reservoir during the water year (October 1 to September 30) is shown or the claim is for a licensed or decreed right that includes refill. If a past practice of refilling the reservoir is shown or if the claim is for a licensed or decreed right that includes refill, the total amount of water claimed for the calendar year and the entire period during which diversion to storage or impoundment occurs shall be indicated. (7-1-93)
- iii. The amount of water claimed for each purpose for which water is claimed shall not exceed the amount of water beneficially used for the purpose claimed, and the period of use for each purpose claimed shall not exceed the period in which water is beneficially used for the purpose claimed. (7-1-93)
- iv. The amount of water diverted shall be listed in cfs, and the amount of water stored shall be listed in af per annum. (7-1-93)
- **g.** Amount of Water Claimed. The total amount of water claimed shall be listed at item seven (7) of the form. The total amount of water claimed shall not exceed the total of the amounts listed at item six (6) of the form, or the total diversion capacity of the diversion system, whichever is less. (7-1-93)
- **h.** Annual Volume of Consumptive Use. The annual volume of consumptive use shall be listed in af per annum at item eight (8) of the form. The annual volume of consumptive use for in-stream uses and for domestic and/or stock watering uses meeting the definition of Rule 030.01 is generally deemed de minimus.

  (7-1-93)
- **ih.** Description of Non-Irrigation Uses. Non-irrigation uses shall be fully described at item *nine* eight (98) of the form. For domestic uses, the number of households served shall be described; for stock watering uses, the type of stock and number of each type of stock shall be described.

  (8-24-07)T
- i. If the claimant's domestic use does not meet the definition of domestic use in Rule 010.09, the form will be rejected and returned unless the appropriate variable fee is paid. (8-24-07)T
- <u>ii.</u> The claimant shall also state whether the stock watering use is in-stream, or whether water is diverted from the source for stock watering, *or both*. Both types of stock watering cannot be filed on the same claim form; each type requires a separate claim.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- iii. Domestic use for organization camps and public campgrounds shall be fully described, including but not limited to the number of camp units, water faucets, flush toilets, showers, and sewer connections. Description of domestic use for organization camps and public campgrounds shall also include the average and peak number of individuals using the facility, and the periods when peak or average rates of usage occur.

  8-24-07)T
- **ji.** Place of Use. The place of use for each purpose for which water is claimed shall be listed at item ten nine  $(t\theta 9)$  of the form, except that the place of use for in-stream flows for public purposes need not be listed if the place of use is fully described as the stream between the beginning and ending points listed as the points of diversion. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- i. The number of acres irrigated shall be described by entering the appropriate numbers in the appropriate boxes for each forty (40) acre tract or government lot on the form. For other uses, a symbol or letter corresponding to the purpose for which water is claimed shall be placed in the appropriate box for each forty (40) acre tract or government lot on the form. An aerial photograph denoting or showing the place of use where the use of water occurs shall be included with the claim, unless the claim meets the definition of domestic use and stock

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watering use as defined in Rule 010.

<del>(7-1-93)</del>(8-24-07)T

- ii. Claims for an irrigation project where the canals constructed cover an area of twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres or more, or irrigation districts organized and existing as such under the laws of the state of Idaho, or for beneficial use by more than five (5) water users in an area of less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres shall be accompanied by a map showing the boundaries of the project or irrigation district, and shall state the total number of acres irrigated within the boundaries of the project or irrigations district, and for purposes of determining fees, the number of acres irrigated shall be described by forty (40) acre tract or government lot. The project or district shall submit a map of the boundary of the place of use and, when available, a digital boundary defined in Section 42-202(B)(2), Idaho Code.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **kj.** County of Place of Use. The county(ies) in which the place(s) of use is (are) located shall be listed at item  $\frac{eleven}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$
- **A** Authority to Assert Claim. The claimant shall indicate at item *twelve* <u>eleven</u> (121) of the form whether the claimant is the owner of the place(s) of use. If the claimant is not the owner of the place(s) of use, the claimant shall describe in the remarks section of the form the claimant's authority to assert the claim. Unless the claimant is a water delivery organization, the claimant shall also state the name, address, and phone number of the owner(s) of the place of use in the remarks section of the form.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **#1.** Other Water Rights. The claimant shall describe at item twelve (12) of the form any other water rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed. If there are no other water rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed, the claimant shall state "NA" or "none." (8-24-07)T
- m. Remarks and Map. At item thirteen (13) of the form any other water rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed. If there are no other water rights used at the same place and for the same purpose as the right claimed, the claimant shall state "NA" or "none."

  (7-1-93)
- **n.** Remarks and Map. Ithe claimant may submit any additional, relevant information not specifically requested at item fourteen (14) of the form. If the space provided is not sufficient, remarks shall be set forth on a separate piece of paper and attached to the form. All separate attachments must be specifically referenced in the remarks section of the form. If the space provided is not sufficient, remarks shall be set forth on a separate piece of paper and attached to the form. All separate attachments must be specifically referenced in the remarks section of the form. The point(s) of diversion, place(s) of use, and the water delivery system shall be sketched on the space provided for a map of the project unless the claim is submitted electronically. Section, township and range numbers shall be indicated. The claimant may submit a separate map or drawing if the claimant so desires. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- Basis of Claim. The basis of the claim shall be indicated at item *fifteen* fourteen (154) of the form. If a water right number has been assigned by the department to the right claimed, the water right number shall also be indicated. If a water right number has not been assigned and the water right is based upon a decree, the claimant shall list the title and date of the decree, the case number, and the court that issued the decree. If the basis of claim is a beneficial use (also known as the constitutional method of appropriation), the claimant shall provide a short description of events or history of the development of the water right.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- <u>o.</u> Evidence of Priority. Within thirty (30) days, unless an extension by the director or his designee is approved, the claimant shall provide evidence of the priority date to support the water right claimed. If the claimant fails to provide evidence of priority, the form may be rejected and returned with no refund of the fees paid.

  (8-24-07)T
- **p.** Signature. All claims must be signed and sworn or affirmed before a notary public or other person authorized by law to administer an oath or affirmation at item sixteen (16) of the form. Each claim must be signed by the claimant at item fifteen (15) of the form, unless the claim is submitted electronically by means of the Internet. Each claimant, through submission of a signed claim or through submission of a claim by means of the Internet,

i. Individuals shall sign at the space indicated for individuals. The form must be signed by the person

solemnly swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that the statements contained in the notice of claim are true and

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For claims submitted by means of the Internet, the form shall be submitted by a person listed as the claimant at item one (1) of the form unless written evidence is submitted with the form to show that the signatory has authority to sign for the claimant. A form listing more than one (1) claimant at item one (1) must be signed by each of the claimants listed at item one (1) unless the names are joined by "or", or "and/or" at item one (1). the person submitting the form has authority to submit the form for the claimant or claimants. Claims by corporations, municipalities or other organizations shall be submitted by an officer of the corporation or an elected official of the municipality or an individual authorized by the organization to submit the form.

(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- ii. For claims that are not submitted by means of the Internet, the form must be signed by each of the persons listed as claimants at item one (1) of the form unless the signatory has authority to sign for the claimant or claimants. Claims by corporations, municipalities or other organizations shall be signed by an officer of the corporation or an elected official of the municipality or an individual authorized by the organization to sign the form. The signatories title shall be indicated with the signature.

  (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **q.** Notice of Appearance. If notices to be sent by the director to the claimant are to be sent to the claimant's attorney, the claimant's attorney shall list the attorney's name and address and sign and date the form at item  $\frac{\text{seventeen}}{\text{sixteen}}$  (176) of the form.  $\frac{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}{(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T}$

## 063. Long State Law Claim Form -- Insufficient Claims, Waivers.

(7-1-93)(8-24-07)T

- **a.** Claims filed on the <u>long</u> state law claim form that do not contain the information required by Rule 060.052 shall be rejected and returned along with any fees paid, unless otherwise provided by these rules.
  - <del>(7-1-93)</del>(8-24-07)T
- **b.** The director may waive the minimum information requirements of Rule 060.052 and accept the claim for good cause shown. (7-1-93)(8-24-07)T
- **074. Further Information**. This Rule 060 sets forth minimum requirements for the filing of claims. The director may request further information in support of the assertions contained in a claim as part of the investigation of the water system and the claims pursuant to Section 42-1410, Idaho Code. (7-1-93)

# 38.01.01 - OTHER CONTESTED CASE OR ADVERSARY HEARINGS BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

## DOCKET NO. 38-0101-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL)

## NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These rules were promulgated in 1992 under Section 67-5202(1), Idaho Code, which was subsequently amended, repealing that rulemaking authority. No statutory authority for these rules currently exists. Consequently, this rule is being repealed.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: To confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: There is no fee.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: There is no fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the substance and nature of the rules does not warrant negotiated rulemaking.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Administration, at (208) 332-1832.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 12th, 2007.

Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General Department of Administration 650 W. State Street P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0003 Telephone: (208) 332-1832

IDAPA 38.01.01 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

# 38.01.02 - RULES FOR HEARING PROCEDURE FOR DIVISION OF PURCHASING SPECIFICATION CHALLENGES AND RULES FOR NON-ADVERSARY HEARINGS

# **DOCKET NO. 38-0102-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL)**

## NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 67-5717(11) and 67-5732, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Rules are redundant to existing statute (Section 67-5733, IC) and where not redundant, do not add substance or value and can cause confusion in the purchasing appeals' process. Consequently, this rule is being repealed.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: To confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: There is no fee.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: There is no fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the substance and nature of the rules does not warrant negotiated rulemaking.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Administration, at (208) 332-1832.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 12th, 2007.

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IDAPA 38.01.02 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

# 38.01.03 - RULES GOVERNING PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC HEARINGS BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

# DOCKET NO. 38-0103-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL)

## NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

These rules were promulgated in 1992 under Section 67-5202(1), Idaho Code, which was subsequently amended, repealing that rulemaking authority. No statutory authority for these rules currently exist. In addition, the rules address procedures for public meetings and add nothing that is not addressed in the Open Meetings Law (Idaho Code § 67-2341, et seq.) Consequently, these rules are being repealed.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: It confers a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: There is no fee.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: There is no fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the substance and nature of the rules does not warrant negotiated rulemaking.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Administration, at (208) 332-1832.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 28th, 2007.

Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General Department of Administration 650 W. State Street P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0003 Telephone: (208) 332-1832

IDAPA 38.01.03 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

## 38.05.01 - RULES OF THE DIVISION OF PURCHASING

## **DOCKET NO. 38-0501-0701**

## **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 67-5717(11) and 67-5732, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Reference rules applicable to certain appeals; increase small purchase exemption limit and professional services exemption limit, under which agencies can purchase without formal bid process, from \$50,000 to \$75,000; clarify professional services exemption is for non-renewable contracts; and delete electronic signature rules.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: To confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: There is no fee.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: There is no fiscal impact.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the substance and nature of the rules does not warrant negotiated rulemaking.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Administration, at (208) 332-1832.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 12th, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 38-0501-0701

#### 003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.

Administrative appeals are governed by Section 67-5733, Idaho Code, and, for contested cases, IDAPA 38.05.02, "Rules Governing Contested Case Hearings on Bid Appeals at the Division of Purchasing." (3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

## 041. PROCEDURE FOLLOWED IN THE SOLICITATION OF BIDS AND PROPOSALS.

Except as otherwise provided, the acquisition of property exceeding  $\frac{fifty}{fifty}$  seventy-five thousand dollars (\$\frac{5075}{000}\$) (the sealed procedure limit) shall be by the formal sealed procedure.

(3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 044. SMALL PURCHASES.

- **01. General**. Small purchases are those purchases or procurements expected to cost  $\frac{fifty}{s}$  seventy-five thousand dollars (\$5075,000) or less. Costs are determined based on the following:  $\frac{(3-15-02)(9-1-07)T}{s}$ 
  - a. One-time purchases of property; or

(3-15-02)

**b.** Total cost of a contract for services, including renewal or extension periods.

- (3-15-02)
- **02. Splitting of Requirements**. Acquisition requirements shall not be artificially divided to avoid bid statutes, rules or policies. (3-15-02)
- **O3. Procedure.** Unless impractical or impossible and documented in the file, these small purchase procedures require the acquisition to be publicly posted. Except as otherwise provided in this rule, no less than three (3) vendors having a significant Idaho presence as defined by Section 67-2349, Idaho Code, shall be solicited to submit quotations. Award shall be made to the responsible and responsive bidder offering the lowest acceptable quotation. The purchasing file will be fully documented for unacceptable quotations. Should it be impractical or impossible to solicit three (3) vendors, the file shall be fully documented and every effort should still be made to obtain the most favorable terms, conditions and price possible. (3-15-02)
- **04. Form of Request for Quotation**. Unless otherwise prohibited by the buyer, the request for quotation and the quotation may be written, oral, electronic, telephonic or facsimile. (3-15-02)
- **05. Quoting Time**. The quoting time shall be determined by the buyer and should provide sufficient time for the vendor to prepare and return a quotation. The amount of time shall take into consideration such factors as complexity, urgency, availability of property and the number and location of vendors. (3-15-02)
- **06. Statewide Contracts.** Property available under single agency or statewide contracts shall be purchased under such contracts and not as a small purchase under this rule unless otherwise authorized by the administrator. (3-15-02)
- **O7. Professional, Consultant and Information Technology Services.** Professional, consultant and information technology services acquired under this rule, where the services are reasonably expected to cost *fifty* seventy-five thousand dollars (\$5075,000) or less through a fixed price/not to exceed price contract for a <u>non-renewable</u> term not to exceed*ing* one (1) year, may be acquired as each agency sees fit, in accordance with good

business practice and in the best interest of the state.

(3-15-02)(9-1-07)T

**08. Purchases in Amounts Less Than Five Thousand Dollars**. If the property to be acquired is expected to cost less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000), it may be acquired as each agency sees fit, in accordance with good business practice and in the best interest of the state. (3-15-02)

# 112. -- <del>120</del>999. (RESERVED).

#### 121. DEFINITIONS.

For purposes of IDAPA 38.05.01, Sections 121 through 127, and unless the context expressly indicates otherwise, the following terms shall have the definitions ascribed to them:

(3-15-02)

- 01. Electronically Signed Communication. A message that has been processed by a computer in such a manner that ties the message to the individual that signed the message.

  (3-15-02)
- **02.** Message. An electronic representation of information intended to serve as a written communication with the division.

  (3-15-02)
- 03. Person. A human being or any organization capable of signing a document, either legally or as a matter of fact.

  (3-15-02)
- **94.** Signer. The person who signs an electronically signed communication with the use of an acceptable technology to uniquely link the message with the person sending it.

  (3-15-02)
- 95. Technology. The computer hardware or software-based method or process used to create electronic signatures. (3-15-02)

#### 122. ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES MUST BE CREATED BY AN ACCEPTABLE TECHNOLOGY.

For an electronic signature to be valid for use by the division, it must be created by a technology that is accepted for use by the division.

(3-15-02)

# 123. CRITERIA TO DETERMINE IF AN ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE TECHNOLOGY WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR USE BY THE DIVISION.

01. Criteria of Section 67-2354, Idaho Code. For a technology to be accepted for use by the division, it must be capable of creating signatures that conform to requirements set forth in Section 67-2354, Idaho Code:

<del>(3-15-02)</del>

a. It is unique to the person using it;

<del>(3-15-02)</del>

**b.** It is capable of verification; and

<del>(3-15-02)</del>

e. It conforms to IDAPA 38.05.01, Sections 121 through 123.

- <del>(3-15-02)</del>
- **02.** Additional Criteria. To be accepted, a technology must also be capable of creating a signature that:

<del>(3-15-02)</del>

a. Is under the sole control of the person using it;

(3-15-02)

**b.** Is linked to the data in such a manner that if the data are changed, the electronic signature is invalidated; and

e. Meets ISO X.509 standards.

(3-15-02)

#### 124. PUBLIC KEY CRYPTOGRAPHY.

The technology known as Public Key Cryptography is an accepted technology for use by the division, provided that the electronic signature is created consistent with the provisions in this Section.

(3-15-02)

tha fall	<del>01.</del>	<b>Definitions.</b> For purposes of this Section 124, and unless the context expressly indicates	<i>otherwise,</i> (3-15-02)
ine jou	owing ier	ms shall have the definitions ascribed to them.	(3-13-02)
to issue	<del>a.</del> ecertifica	Approved Certification Authority. The certification authority authorized and accepted bettes for electronic signature transactions involving the state.	<del>y the state</del> <del>(3-15-02)</del>
differen	<del>b.</del> ut keys wi	Asymmetric Cryptosystem. A computer algorithm or series of algorithms that utilize(th the following characteristics:	(s) two (2) (3-15-02)
	<del>i.</del>	One (1) key signs a given message;	(3-15-02)
	<del>ii.</del>	One (1) key verifies a given message; and	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
the othe	<del>iii.</del> e <del>r key.</del>	The keys have the property that, knowing one (1) key, it is computationally infeasible to	to discover (3-15-02)
	e <del>.</del>	Certificate. A computer-based record that:	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>i.</del>	Identifies the certification authority issuing it;	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>ii.</del>	Names or identifies its subscriber;	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>iii.</del>	Contains the subscriber's public key;	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>iv.</del>	Is electronically signed by the certification authority issuing or amending it; and	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>∨.</del>	Conforms to widely-used industry standards.	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
<del>certific</del>	<del>d.</del> ation prod	Certification Authority. A person or entity that issues a certificate, or in the case- cesses, certifies amendments to an existing certificate.	of certain (3-15-02)
<del>have th</del>	<del>e.</del> e propert	Key Pair. A private key and its corresponding public key in an asymmetric cryptosysten y that the public key can verify an electronic signature that the private key creates.	1 <del>. The keys</del> ( <del>3-15-02)</del>
	<del>f.</del>	Private Key. The key of a key pair used to create an electronic signature.	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
<del>establis</del>	<del>g.</del> sh the ide	Proof of Identification. The document or documents presented to a certification at ntify of a subscriber.	uthority to (3-15-02)
	<del>h.</del>	Public Key. The key of a key pair used to verify an electronic signature.	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>i.</del>	Subscriber. A person who:	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>i.</del>	Is the subject listed in a certificate;	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>ii.</del>	Accepts the certificate; and	(3-15-02)
	<del>iii.</del>	Holds a private key that corresponds to a public key listed in that certificate.	<del>(3-15-02)</del>
	<del>02.</del>	Electronic Signature to Be "Unique." Section 67-2354, Idaho Code, requires that an	electronic
<del>signatu</del> <del>person</del>	re be "un using it, i	tique to the person using it." A public key-based electronic signature may be considered un if:	<del>ique to the (3-15-02)</del>
	<del>a.</del>	The private key used to create the signature on the document is known only to the signer	<del>; (3-15-02)</del>
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The electronic signature is created when a person runs a message through a one-way function,

creating a message digest, then encrypting the resulting message digest using an asymmetrical cryptosystem and the signer's private key;

(3-15-02)

- e. Although not all electronically signed communications will require the signer to obtain a certificate, the signer is capable of being issued a certificate to certify that he or she controls the key pair used to create the signature; and (3-15-02)
  - **d.** It is computationally infeasible to derive the private key from knowledge of the public key.

    (3-15-02)
- 03: Signature Is Capable of Verification. Section 67-2354, Idaho Code, requires that an electronic signature be "capable of verification." A public-key based electronic signature is capable of verification if:

  (3-15-02)
- a. The acceptor of the electronically signed document can verify the document was electronically signed by using the signer's public key; (3-15-02)
  - **b.** If a certificate is a required component of a transaction, that the certificate was valid; and (3-15-02)
- e. If a certificate is a required component of a transaction, the issuing certification authority identifies which, if any, form(s) of proof of identification it required of the signer prior to issuing the certificate. (3-15-02)
- 04. Control of Electronic Signature. Subsection 123.02.a. requires that the electronic signature remain "under the sole control of the person using it." Whether a signature is accompanied by a certificate or not, the person who holds the key pair, or the subscriber identified in the certificate, assumes a duty to retain control of the private key and prevent its disclosure to any person not authorized to create the subscriber's electronic signature.

  (3-15-02)
- 05. Electronic Signature Linked to the Message. The electronic signature must be linked to the message of the document in such a way that if the data are changed, the electronic signature is invalidated. (3-15-02)
- 06. Electronic Signature Must Meet ISO X.509 Standards. The electronic signature must meet ISO X.509 standards.

  (3-15-02)
- 07. Approved Certification Authority. The division shall only accept certificates from an approved certification authority. (3-15-02)

# 125. CRITERIA FOR THE DIVISION TO USE IN ACCEPTING ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES.

- 01. Level of Security Used to Identify the Signer. Prior to accepting an electronic signature, the division shall ensure that the level of security used to identify the signer of a document is sufficient for the transaction being conducted.

  (3-15-02)
- 02. Level of Security Used to Transmit the Signature. Prior to accepting an electronic signature, the division shall ensure that the level of security used to transmit the signature is sufficient for the transaction being conducted.

  (3-15-02)
- 03. Certificate Format Used by the Signer. If a certificate is a required component of an electronic signature transaction, the division shall ensure that the certificate format used by the signer is sufficient for the security and interoperability needs of the division.

  (3-15-02)

#### 126. RETENTION OF CERTIFICATES.

All electronically signed messages received by the division in accordance with this rule, as well as any information resources necessary to permit access to the message and to verify the electronic signature, shall be retained by the division as necessary to comply with applicable law pertaining to records retention requirements for that message.

(3-15-02)

# 127. ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE REPUDIATION.

It is the responsibility of the rightful holder of the private key to maintain the private key's security. Repudiation of an electronically signed and transmitted message may only occur by the determination of a court of competent jurisdiction that the private key of the rightful holder was compromised through no fault of the rightful holder and without knowledge on the part of the rightful holder. It is the legal prerequisite for a claim of repudiation that the repudiator have filed a notice of revocation with the certification authority prior to making the claim of repudiation.

(3-15-02)

<del>128. -- 999.</del> (RESERVED).

# **IDAPA 38 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION**

# 38.05.02 - RULES GOVERNING CONTESTED CASE HEARINGS ON BID APPEALS AT THE DIVISION OF PURCHASING

### **DOCKET NO. 38-0502-0701 (NEW CHAPTER)**

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 67-5717(11) and 67-5732, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Promulgate new rules on procedures applying to bid appeals where there is a contested case hearing.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section(s) 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: To confer a benefit.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein:

There is no fee being chareged or imposed through this rulemaking.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year:

There is no negative fiscal imapet to the general fund.

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the substance and nature of the rules does not warrant negotiated rulemaking.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Joanna L. Guilfoy, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Administration, at (208) 332-1832.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this August 12th, 2007.

Joanna L. Guilfoy Deputy Attorney General Department of Administration 650 W. State Street P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0003 Telephone: (208) 332-1832

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 38-0502-0701

### IDAPA 38 TITLE 05 CHAPTER 02

# 38.05.02 – RULES GOVERNING CONTESTED CASE HEARINGS ON BID APPEALS AT THE DIVISION OF PURCHASING

#### 000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

The following rules are promulgated in accordance with Sections 67-5717(11) and 67-5732, Idaho Code. (9-1-07)T

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- **01. Title**. These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 38.05.02, "Rules Governing Contested Case Hearings on Bid Appeals at the Division of Purchasing." (9-1-07)T
- **02. Scope**. Pursuant to Section 67-5733(1)(c)(iii), Idaho Code, the director may appoint a determinations officer to conduct a contested case hearing. These rules govern the contested case hearing process. (9-1-07)T

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

In accordance with Section 67-5201(19)(b)(iv), Idaho Code, this agency may have written statements that pertain to the interpretation of these rules or to the documentation of compliance with these rules. Any such documents are available for public inspection and copying at the office of this agency. (9-1-07)T

#### 003. CONTESTED CASE HEARINGS.

The provisions found in Sections 031 through 043 of these rules shall govern contested case hearings. (9-1-07)T

# 004. EXEMPTION FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE RULES FOR CONTESTED CASES.

Pursuant to Section 67-5206(5), Idaho Code, except as provided in these rules, the procedures contained in Subchapter B, "Contested Cases," of the rules promulgated by the Attorney General as IDAPA 04.11.01, Sections 100 through 799, do not apply to contested case hearings. (9-1-07)T

# 005. REASONS FOR EXEMPTION FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE RULES.

To prevent unnecessary delays and increased costs in the acquisition of needed property by state agencies, the rules of procedure in this chapter are adopted to promote the speedy resolution of bid appeals. (9-1-07)T

#### 006. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

There are no documents incorporated by reference in this chapter.

(9-1-07)T

### 007. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING AND STREET ADDRESS.

The Division of Purchasing is located at 5569 Kendall Street, Boise, Idaho, 83720-0075. The mailing address is P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0075. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. (9-1-07)T

#### 008. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

All rules contained in this chapter are subject to and in compliance with the Idaho Public Records Act (Title 9, Chapter 3, Idaho Code). (9-1-07)T

### **009.** (RESERVED).

#### 010. **DEFINITIONS.**

**01. Administrator**. The administrator of the Division of Purchasing.

(9-1-07)T

**02. Bidder.** The person or entity appealing in the contested case hearing.

(9-1-07)T

**03. Determinations Officer**. The person designated by the director to conduct a contested case hearing pursuant to Section 67-5733(1)(c)(iii), Idaho Code. (9-1-07)T

**04. Director**. The director of the Department of Administration.

(9-1-07)T

011. -- 030. (RESERVED).

#### 031. FILING OF APPEAL.

The notice of appeal must be filed in accordance with Section 67-5733(1)(c), Idaho Code.

(9-1-07)T

## 032. NOTICE OF CONTESTED CASE HEARING.

A notice of a contested case hearing shall be provided to the bidder, giving at least ten (10) days' advance notice of the contested case hearing. The contested case hearing will be held in Ada County, at such place as may be designated in the hearing notice. Upon concurrence of the parties and the determinations officer, contested case hearings may be conducted telephonically.

(9-1-07)T

#### 033. BRIEFS AND MEMORANDA.

Any party may make a request in writing to the determinations officer to file briefs, memoranda, proposed orders or statements of position and the determinations officer shall grant or deny such request as the determinations officer deems appropriate under the circumstances of a particular case. The determinations officer may request briefs, memoranda, proposed orders, or statements of position.

(9-1-07)T

#### 034. RULES OF EVIDENCE.

The determinations officer shall control the hearing and direct the order or presentation. A party shall be entitled to introduce evidence, examine and cross-examine witnesses, make arguments, and generally participate in the conduct of the proceedings. (9-1-07)T

# 035. ADMISSION OF EVIDENCE.

The admission of evidence at contested case hearings shall be governed by IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General," Sections 600 through 609. (9-1-07)T

# 036. TESTIMONY.

Testimony to be considered by the determinations officer in the hearing shall be by sworn testimony, except for matters noticed or entered by stipulation. (9-1-07)T

## 037. DISCOVERY.

Discovery may be conducted in the manner and to the extent allowed by the Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure only if first formally agreed to by the parties, or by order of the determinations officer after an application has been filed and a showing that discovery is required to clarify issues, identify witnesses, or preserve testimony. The order may limit the scope of discovery and the method of discovery as the determinations officer deems appropriate under the circumstances of a particular case. (9-1-07)T

### 038. RECORDING AND TRANSCRIPTION.

The hearing will be recorded by electrical device. A written transcript will be produced by the department upon request of either party. A bidder requesting such transcript shall be responsible for the cost of the transcript. Any party wishing to have the hearing recorded by a qualified court reporter must request such no less than five (5) business days in advance of the date set for hearing. The requesting party shall pay the cost of the reporter's fees and shall provide a copy to the determinations officer. The non-requesting party may pay for an additional copy for its own use.

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# 039. WITNESSES AND EVIDENCE.

The determination officer, on his own or upon application of the bidder or the Department of Administration, may issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and production of documents. (9-1-07)T

# 040. FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW.

Once the matter is fully submitted, the determinations officer shall issue findings of fact, conclusions of law and preliminary order. Copies shall be provided to all parties. (9-1-07)T

#### 041. FINAL ORDER.

Upon receipt of the determination officer's preliminary order, the director shall issue a final order affirming, modifying, or reversing the original selection determination. Copies shall be provided to all parties. (9-1-07)T

#### 042. MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION.

Motions for reconsideration of the determination officer's preliminary order or of the Director's final order are not allowed. (9-1-07)T

### 043. APPEALS.

Appeals from the final order shall be taken in accordance with Section 67-5270, Idaho Code.

(9-1-07)T

044. -- 999. (RESERVED).

### IDAPA 39 - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

## 39.02.60 - RULES GOVERNING LICENSE PLATE PROVISIONS

#### **DOCKET NO. 39-0260-0701**

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is September 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 49-201, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Immediate implementation of the digital license plate program requires changes to provide service to our customers. The new program increases the character capacity from 5 to 6, but may take up to 45 days for the manufacture and delivery of a specialty plate. The rulemaking provides for the extension of a temporary registration to 45 days for the manufacture and delivery of the new plate. The rulemaking also responds to an industry request to allow licensed vehicle dealers to use loaner plates on vehicles in their inventory while they are on loan for civic or charitable events for up to 30 days.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: The rulemaking provides customer benefits associated with the digital license plate program which will become effective shortly. It also contains a provision for licensed dealers to make vehicles available for civic or charitable events.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because a portion of the rulemaking is associated with a new digital plate program, and the Department and the various licensed dealers engaged in informal negotiations to reach a decision regarding the use of dealer loaner plates on vehicles used for civic or charitable events.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Amy Smith, Vehicle Services Manager, 334-8660.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED the 24th day of August, 2007.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0260-0701

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

This rule specifies license plate provisions for standard license plates not otherwise detailed in Title 49, Idaho Code, and provisions for the following special license plates: centennial, disabled veteran, former prisoner of war, handicapped, legislative, personalized, vehicle dealer, year of manufacture, and sample.

(1-3-92)

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Title.</u> These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 39.02.60 "Rules Governing License Plate Provisions." (9-1-07)T
- <u>**O2.**</u> Scope. This rule governs license plate provisions for standard license plates not otherwise detailed in Title 49, Idaho Code, and provisions for all specialty program license plates, personalized plates, and special eligibility plates.

  (9-1-07)T

### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

This agency does not rely on written interpretations for these rules.

(9-1-07)T

#### 003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.

All contested cases shall be governed by the provisions of IDAPA 04.11.01. "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General." (9-1-07)T

#### 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

There are no documents incorporated by reference in this chapter.

(9-1-07)T

# 005. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING AND STREET ADDRESS -- PHONE NUMBERS.

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Street and Mailing Address.</u> The Idaho Transportation Department maintains a central office in Boise at 3311 W. State Street with a mailing address of P O Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129. (9-1-07)T
  - <u>Office Hours</u>. Daily office hours at 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. except Saturday, Sunday and state holidays.
- **O3.** Telephone and FAX Numbers. The central office may be contacted during office hours by phone at 208-334-8649 or by fax at 208-334-8542. (9-1-07)T

### 006. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

All records associated with this chapter are subject to and in compliance with the Idaho Public Records Act, as set forth in Sections 9-337 through 9-350, Idaho Code. (9-1-07)T

00<del>2</del>7. -- 009. (RESERVED).

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 011. LICENSE PLATE PROVISIONS FOR ALL LICENSE PLATES.

The Idaho Transportation Department is authorized to assign unique plate letter/number spacing schemes and to use specific letter/number combination schemes as needed for the purpose of ensuring unique numbering systems for all license plate programs and to administer the provisions of this rule.

(9-1-07)T

# <u>012. TEMPORARY REGISTRATION FOR NEW, REPLACEMENT, OR REISSUED LICENSE PLATES.</u>

- O1. Temporary Registration. Upon receipt of payment for required registration and program fees, a forty-five (45) day temporary registration may be issued, indicating "license plates on order." This option will be used whenever license plates are required to be manufactured after the registration transaction has been completed. The temporary registration shall provide proof that the vehicle has been registered and fees have been paid, and the vehicle may be operated until new plates have been received by the registrant. At the discretion of the department. more than one (1) forty-five (45) day temporary registration may be issued, if needed, in order to manufacture license plates.

  (9-1-07)T
- **Q2.** Placement of Temporary Registration Document. The forty-five (45) day temporary registration document shall be displayed in the rear window of the vehicle for which it is issued. When issued to a convertible, motorcycle ,or other vehicle in which it is not possible to display in the rear window, the temporary registration must be conspicuously displayed where the number and expiration date of the permit may be easily read, and where it is protected from exposure to weather conditions, which would render it illegible. (9-1-07)T

01<u>+3</u>. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. LICENSE PLATE PROVISIONS FOR STANDARD PLATES.

**01. County Designations.** The county in which a vehicle is registered will be designated by a number and letter on license plates for passenger cars, pick-up trucks eight thousand (8,000) pounds and under gross weight, hearses, ambulances, wreckers, farm vehicles between eight thousand one (8,001) and sixty thousand (60,000) pounds gross weight, and recreational trailers. The county designators are as follows:

1A - Ada	2A - Adams	1B - Bannock	2B - Bear Lake
3B - Benewah	4B - Bingham	5B - Blaine	6B - Boise
7B - Bonner	8B - Bonneville	9B - Boundary	10B - Butte
1C - Camas	2C - Canyon	3C - Caribou	4C - Cassia
5C - Clark	6C - Clearwater	7C - Custer	E - Elmore
1F - Franklin	2F - Fremont	1G - Gem	2G - Gooding
I - Idaho	1J - Jefferson	2J - Jerome	K - Kootenai
1L - Latah	2L - Lemhi	3L - Lewis	4L - Lincoln
1M - Madison	2M - Minidoka	N - Nez Perce	10 - Oneida
20 - Owyhee	1P - Payette	2P - Power	S - Shoshone
1T - Teton	2T - Twin Falls	V - Valley	W - Washington

(1-3-92)

- **O2. Designation for Farm Vehicles**. License plates for farm vehicles between eight thousand one (8,001) and sixty thousand (60,000) pounds gross weight will have the *letter "T" following the serial number and a* county designator, then a unique serial number followed by the letter "T".

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **03. Designation for Recreational Vehicles**. License plates for recreational trailers will have the *letter* "R" following the serial number and a county designator, then a unique serial number followed by the letter "R".

(1-8-90)(9-1-07)T

**04. Designations for Motor Homes.** License plates for motor homes will have the *letter "M" following the serial number and a* county designator, then a unique serial number followed by the letter "M".

(1.3.92)(9-1-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 151. VEHICLE DEALER LICENSE PLATES RESTRICTIONS.

- **01. Restrictions**. Restrictions on the use of manufacturer or dealer plates are provided for by Section 49-1627, Idaho Code. In addition, the following restrictions shall apply: (1-3-92)
- a. Authorized employees may operate vehicles displaying dealer plates only when operated in the furtherance of the dealer's business. The authorized employee must carry an identification card issued by the dealer. The identification card shall contain the employee name, dealership, date of issue, dealer number and signature of an authorized representative of the dealership and the signature of the employee. This use shall be limited to normal business hours unless the operator is in possession of a letter from the dealer listing the specific reason for the afterhour use.

  (1-3-92)
- **b.** A manufacturer shall not display manufacturer plates on vehicle types other than those manufactured by the manufacturer. (1-8-90)
- c. A new or used motorcycle, or all-terrain vehicle or snowmobile dealer shall not display motorcycle dealer plates on other vehicle types or on a new motorcycle, or all-terrain vehicle or snowmobile that the dealer is not enfranchised to sell.
  - d. A trailer dealer shall not display trailer dealer plates on other vehicle types. (1-8-90)
- ed. A new vehicle dealer shall not display new vehicle dealer plates on new vehicles that the dealer is not enfranchised to sell.

  (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T
- **fe.** A prospective purchaser shall not have in his possession a vehicle belonging to a dealership after normal business hours without <u>a</u> letter of authority from the dealership. (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T
- **gf.** A dealer or manufacturer shall not display a dealer plate for purposes other than provided for by law or regulation.  $\frac{(1-8-90)}{(9-1-07)T}$
- **O2. Penalties.** In addition to the penalties for violation of plate use provided for in Section 49-236, Idaho Code, a dealer or manufacturer may have his license to do business in Idaho suspended for a period not less than fifteen (15) days nor more than thirty (30) days. (1-8-90)

#### 152. VEHICLE DEALER LOANER PLATES.

- **01.** Numbering. Plates shall be numbered from LAA001 to LZZ999. (1-03-93)
- **O2. Surrender of Plates.** If the dealership license becomes invalid, the dealer must surrender the registration and loaner plates that have been issued. There shall be no refund of fees. (1-8-90)
- **03. Vehicle Log.** Dealerships shall maintain a vehicle log of each vehicle on which a loaner plate is displayed. The log shall be available for inspection by any peace officer or agent of the Department and shall contain the:

  (1-8-90)
  - a. Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) or dealership stock number if such stock number can be

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traced to the vehicle's VIN; (1-8-90)

- **b.** Date(s) the plates were displayed on a vehicle; (1-8-90)
- c. Number embossed printed on the plate displayed; (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T
- **d.** Name of person authorized to use the plate; and (1-8-90)
- e. Purpose for which vehicle was used. (1-8-90)
- **04. Identification Card.** The Department shall provide an identification  $\underline{\text{card.}}$  (registration) for each plate. The registration shall show the:  $\frac{(1-8-90)(9-1-07)T}{(1-8-90)(9-1-07)T}$ 
  - a. Dealership name and address; (1-8-90)
  - **b.** Number *embossed* printed on the plate; (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T
  - **c.** Calendar year for which the registration is valid; (1-8-90)
  - **d.** Dealer number; (1-8-90)
  - e. Date of issue; and (1-8-90)
  - **f.** A place for the dealer's signature. (1-8-90)
- **05. Letter of Authorization**. Persons using the plate on loaner vehicles while waiting for their own vehicle to be repaired shall have in their possession a letter of authorization or a document showing both the user and dealership name. The document letter must be signed and dated by an authorized employee of the dealership.

(1-3-92)

- Of. Vehicle Use Donation for Civic and Charitable Events. Licensed dealers may authorize the use of their loaner plates when donating the use of vehicles held in their inventory for civic or charitable events. Such time period shall not exceed thirty (30) days. The dealer shall provide a letter of authorization to be carried in the vehicle and proof of current liability insurance, as required by Chapter 12, Title 49, Idaho Code. (9-1-07)T
- **067. User Fee.** The dealer may charge the user a fee for vehicles held in stock for sale and provided to a customer of a dealership while the customer's vehicle is being repaired. (1-3-92)
- **078. Fees.** The fees charged for dealer loaner plates shall be the same as the fees required by Section 49-402, Idaho Code, for new vehicles, and shall be in addition to the current Emergency Medical Service (EMS) and plate fees. Applicants for new loaner plates received after January 1 shall be charged one-twelfth (1/12) the annual fee required for a new vehicle for each month remaining in the licensing year, including the month of application. The annual EMS and plate fees are not prorated. (1-3-92)

# 153. VEHICLE DEALER TRANSPORTER REGISTRATION AND PLATE.

- **Purpose**. Utility and boat trailers that weigh under two thousand (2,000) pounds unladen may be moved by a manufacturer, transporter, dealer, or an employee for demonstration purposes only of either, or by a transporter service contracted by the vehicle's manufacturer or dealer upon registration and payment of an annual fifteen dollar (\$15) transporter plate fee to the <u>Pdepartment's Dealer Operations Unit</u>, or by purchase of a single trip permit. These plates may be used only on boat trailers and utility trailers for demonstration purposes, and may be used while laden for demonstration purposes.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **O2. Numbering of Plates**. Transporter plates shall be numbered from PA1 TO PZ9999. Transporter plates are required to be displayed on the rear of the trailer. (1-3-92)
  - **03. Renewal of Plates.** The transporter registration and plate are valid for one (1) year from January 1

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through December 31 and may be renewed by use of a registration sticker showing the year of validation. (1-8-90)

- **04. Use of Plates.** Transporter plates may be moved by registrants from one (1) *unladen* <u>utility or boat</u> trailer <u>weighing under two thousand (2,000) pounds unladen</u> to another <u>trailer meeting this criteria</u> during the *validation* <u>current registration</u> period. <u>Vehicles towing a laden trailer displaying a transporter plate must be registered within the appropriate gross vehicle weight category for the combined load. (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T</u>
- **05. Possession of Registration**. When transporting a vehicle displaying a transporter plate, the operator of a towing vehicle shall carry the transporter registration in the towing vehicle at all times. (1-8-90)
  - **06. Violations**. Violations of this section include: (1-3-92)
  - **a.** Display of a transporter plate on any vehicle not required to be registered under this Section; and (1-3-92)
  - **b.** Display of a transporter plate on a vehicle not lawfully under the control of the registration holder. (1-3-92)
  - **07.** Penalties: (1-8-90)
- **a.** Violation of this section shall be a misdemeanor as provided for by Section 49-236, Idaho Code; and (1-8-90)
- **b.** The plate and registration of anyone who displays a transporter plate other than provided for by this section may be canceled. (1-8-90)

### 154. -- 19<u>98</u>. (RESERVED).

# 199. LICENSE PLATE PROVISIONS FOR SPECIAL PROGRAM AND PERSONALIZED PLATES FOR TRAILERS.

Special program and personalized plates may be issued to trailers manufactured primarily for recreational vehicle uses. Such trailers will include camper, tent or fifth-wheel recreational trailers. Trailers with multiple uses such as utility, horse, or boat, with or without recreational vehicle facilities, shall be excluded. (9-1-07)T

# 200. LICENSE PLATE PROVISIONS FOR SPECIAL PLATES.

#### 01. Year of Manufacture Plates.

(1-3-92)

- a. Owners of vehicles thirty (30) or more years old manufactured up through 1974, excluding model years 1969, 1971, 1972, and 1973, but including and ending with model year 1974, may apply for the renewal and use of previously canceled Idaho license plates which were originally issued to the same category of vehicle, where the year designation of the plate matches the year of manufacture of a motor vehicle.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **b.** The license plate must be in serviceable condition as originally manufactured, i.e., must not be marred, bent, faded, or otherwise damaged to the point it is illegible. If the plate is repainted to bring it to a serviceable condition, the colors shall match the original colors as closely as possible. The quality of the repaint must equal or exceed the original quality. The plate cannot be a duplicate of a previously manufactured plate  $\frac{\text{still in use}}{(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T}$
- c. The application for use of the plate shall include a statement signed by the applicant attesting that the applicant understands, if the plate use is approved, the plate does not have reflectorized material which meets the requirements of Section 49-443, Idaho Code. The responsibility for any accident or injury arising out of the possible consequence of not having this reflectorized safety feature on the license plate shall be borne by the registrant.

  (1-3-92)
- **d.** The license plate number sequence applied for cannot duplicate another existing "year of manufacture" license plate number already in use. However, the applicant may be provided with a motor vehicle

record of the current plate owner for a record inquiry fee, if desired. Contact with the current plate owner will be the responsibility of the applicant. If the applicant is successful in negotiating for the removal of the current plate, the current owner must turn in the plate for cancellation at a county assessor's office and pay the fees due to secure another plate. The antique plate cannot be registered until the current plate is canceled.

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- **e.** "Classic" or "Old Timer" plates may be used in conjunction with this revived plate at the option of the registrant. (1-3-92)
- **02. Centennial License Plates**. Personalized, *handicapped* and regular number plates are available in the centennial format.  $\frac{(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T}{(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T}$
- **O3. Disabled Veteran License Plates**. Disabled veteran license plates *shall* may, upon the registrant's request, display the international handicapped symbol to ensure reciprocal parking privileges in all states and provinces. (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T

## 201. PREVIOUS PROVISIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE LICENSE PLATES.

- **01. Option to Apply.** Members of the Idaho Legislature have the option of applying to the Department's Special Plates Unit for one (1) set of specially numbered license plates bearing the designation "HOUSE" or "SENATE."
- **O2. Numbering Assignment List.** On or before June 15 each year, the Department will request from the Speaker and Pro Tem a current list of license numbers assigned to all legislators. The Department will request that these lists be returned by September 1 or, in an election year, within fifteen (15) days after the election. (1-3-92)
- **03. Plate Availability.** Upon receipt of the lists, the Department will ensure that a complete set of special legislative license plates is available for each legislator. (1-3-92)

#### 202. PROVISIONS FOR PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATES.

- **01. Special Characters or Marks**. No special characters, or punctuation marks, may be used for personalized messages on license plates. (1-3-92)
- **a.** Up to seven (7) letters or any combination of seven (7) letters and numbers may be used for personalized messages on *passenger car* eligible six inch by twelve inch (6" x 12") license plates.

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- **b.** Up to six (6) letters or any combination of six (6) letters and numbers <u>and spaces</u> may be used for personalized messages on motorcycle plates.  $\frac{(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T}{(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T}$
- <u>c.</u> Up to six (6) letters or any combination of six (6) letters and numbers and spaces may be used for personalized messages on specialty program license plates. (9-1-07)T
- **ed.** Handicapped Disability six inch by twelve inch (6" x 12") plates will display the international handicapped symbol followed by up to five (5) letters, and numbers, and spaces in the personalized message. Disability four inch by seven inch (4" x 7" (motorcycle)) plates will display the international handicapped symbol followed by up to four (4) letters, numbers, and spaces in the personalized message. (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **02. Issue of Personalized Plates.** Personalized plates can be issued only to vehicles if no specific wording is required on the plate to identify the purpose for which the vehicle is registered. Personalized plates will not be issued if such plates would jeopardize the integrity of unique plate identification requirements. Examples include but are not limited to: (1-3-92)
- **a.** Commercial vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan (IRP), because the designators PRP are required to be printed on the plate; (1-3-92)
  - **b.** Vehicles for which the designators "COMM" or "LTD" "PRP" are required to be printed on the

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plate to identify the use; and

(1-3-92)(9-1-07)T

- c. Utility, horse, or enclosed car hauling trailers with RV facilities or boat trailers. (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **O3. Specific Requests.** Requests for specific plate letters and/or numbers will be issued on a first come, first served basis. In the event of a request for the same plate by more than one (1) individual, the request with the earliest postmark, e-mail transmission time, or fax transmission time will prevail. If the postmarks are the same, the date stamped upon arrival at the Department will prevail. Applications submitted at county assessors' offices will not be considered valid until stamped in by the Department. Telephone requests will not be accepted. (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **04.** Lack of Current Plates. When an applicant for personalized plates does not have current regular number plates: (1-3-92)
- **a.** The Department may issue a thirty (30) day temporary registration to allow time for the *manufacture of* billing process for personalized plates. A second thirty (30) day temporary registration may be issued if needed. The fee for each thirty (30) day temporary registration shall be as required by Section 49-523, Idaho Code.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **b.** The Department may, upon payment of <u>all</u> required fees, issue a <u>copy of the application and receipt</u> to the <u>applicant for display in place of the thirty (30) day temporary. See Section 49-429, Idaho Code temporary registration document as provided in Section 012 of these rules.

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- **05. Credits.** When personalized plates are issued before an applicant's current registration is expired, credit will be given for unexpired registration fees only. (1-3-92)
- **Renewing Plates**. The applicant will have the choice of renewing existing personalized plates with validation stickers or ordering a new set of plates at the time of renewal. If new plates are requested, the plate fee will be charged in addition to all other fees that are due. New plates must be purchased *in the year of general reissue* every seven years as provided in Section 49-443, Idaho Code.

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- **07. Transfer of Plates.** When personalized plates are issued, the vehicle's regular number plates may be transferred to another vehicle belonging to the owner. If registration credit is given from the regular number plates to the personalized, the regular number plate registration is canceled. (1-3-92)
- **08.** Acceptability of Plates Message. Acceptability of the personalized license plate message and issuance, denial or cancellation will be determined by the Department based on the following criteria: (1-3-92)
- **a.** The combination of numbers and letters requested or combinations of same may not duplicate an existing combination in use. (1-3-92)
- **b.** The message, in any language, may not carry a sexual connotation nor consist of a term that is considered to be one of: obscenity; contempt; prejudice; hostility; insult; racial degradation; ethnical degradation; profanity; or vulgarity as defined in dictionaries of general use, including, but not limited to, Webster's Unabridged Dictionary and the Harper & Row New Dictionary of American Slang.

  (1-8-90)(9-1-07)T
- c. The criteria in <u>Subsection</u> <u>Paragraph</u> 202.08.b. <u>above</u> <u>of these rules</u> is not to be considered an exhaustive list. A compilation of offensive or obscene words, terms or letter/number combinations gathered from the experience of Idaho and other states may also be used as a guide.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **d.** When a complaint is received from the public concerning an issued plate, the name of the caller will not be recorded nor, if known, revealed. (1-3-92)
- **e.** Final determination regarding applications for questionable messages or cancellation of issued plates will be made by the <u>Division of Motor Vehicles Bureau</u>. The determination process shall include a first review by technical staff, followed by a second review by supervisory and management staff. An applicant does, however, have a right to a hearing on the decision.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T

- **Message Preferences**. Applicants may submit three (3) message preferences <u>including the specific meaning of each</u>. The first choice that is available and acceptable will be issued. If none of the preferences are available or acceptable, the applicant will be notified by return mail.

  (1-39-92)(9-1-07)T
  - **10. Recalled Plates**. Personalized plates may be recalled by the Department for the following reasons: (1-3-92)

**a.** Error in manufacturing; or (1-3-92)

**b.** Clerical error. (1-3-92)

- c. Unacceptable personalized messages as outlined in <u>Subsection Paragraph</u> 202.08.b. <u>of these rules.</u>
  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- 11. Unexpired Fees. If a set of personalized plates is recalled, the twenty-five dollars (\$25) personalized plate program fee, unexpired portion of the registration fee, E.M.S. fee, plate fee, (if plates are returned to the department), and centennial fee all other applicable special plate fees, if applicable, will be refunded or transferred to a new issue of personalized plates.

  (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **12. Expired Plates.** Personalized plates that are allowed to expire shall become immediately available for reissue to another applicant. There is no grace period. (1-3-92)

## 203. PROVISIONS FOR FORMER PRISONER OF WAR (POW) LICENSE PLATES.

**01. Eligible Person**. Any veteran who was a prisoner of war (POW) of an armed enemy of the United States during active service in the armed forces of the United States during the following recognized war periods may be eligible:

WORLD WAR I	April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918
WORLD WAR II	December 7, 1941 to December 31, 1946
KOREAN WAR	June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955
VIETNAM WAR	August 5, 1964 to May 7, 1975
USS PUEBLO	January 23, 1968 to December 23, 1968
DESERT STORM PERSIAN GULF	August 2, 1990 (Congress has not assigned an ending date.)

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**02. Certified Documentation**. Eligibility shall be documented by a copy of the applicant's 53.55 or DD-214 Separation from Active Duty papers, or other specific documentation received from the Veterans Administration that certifies that the applicant was a prisoner of war during the recognized war periods stated above.

(1-3-92)

### 204. -- 299. (RESERVED).

#### 300. PROVISIONS FOR SAMPLE PLATES.

Sample plates are issued at twelve dollar (\$12) per plate on the "Scenic Idaho/Famous Potatoes" red, white, and blue plate as follows: (1-3-92)

- **01. Plate Size.** Plates carrying the word SAMPLE in both passenger car size (six inches by twelve inches (6" x 12")) and motorcycle size (four inches by seven inches (4" x 7")). (1-3-92)
- **02. Personalized Sample Plates**. Personalized Sample plates are issued on both plate sizes, passenger car with maximum of seven (7) characters and motorcycle size with a maximum of six (6). (1-3-92)

- **a.** The applicant completes an Application for Personalized Sample License Plate<sup>5</sup>, Form *ITD* -3684. (1-3-92)(9-1-07)T
- **b.** The acceptability screening process used is the same as that used for regular personalized plate application. (1-3-92)
- **c.** The Department shall adopt written policy for the issuance of duplicate and replacement sample plates with personalized character combinations. (1-3-92)
- <u>d.</u> The department may include other special license plate programs for sample plate sale, when not prohibited by code, or that would not cause a compromise of a special eligibility plate program. (9-1-07)T
  - **Penalties**. There is a penalty for fictitious display of sample plates (Section 49-456, Idaho Code). (1-3-92)

### **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.02.75 - RULES GOVERNING NAMES ON DRIVERS' LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS DOCKET NO. 39-0275-0701

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is July 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 49-201, 49-306, 49-314, 49-315, 49-318, 49-319, 49-336, and 49-2443, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rulemaking will provide more flexibility in naming standards on driver's licenses and identification cards, by allowing apostrophes in names and allowing a married couple to use the same hyphenated last name. These are appropriate and requested options.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

This rulemaking confers a benefit on the citizens of the state and responds to their requests.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULE-MAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action is in response to reasonable and appropriate requests by the public.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Ed Pemble, Driver Services Manager, 332-7830.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Linda L. Emry, Management Assistant Budget, Policy, and Intergovernmental Relations Idaho Transportation Department 3311 West State Street P O Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129 Phone – 208-334-8810, FAX – 208-334-8195

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0275-0701

#### 000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

Under the authority of Sections 49-201, 49-306, 49-314, 49-315, 49-318, 49-319, 49-336, and 49-2443, Idaho Code, the Department adopts the following rule. (5-13-91)

### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- **01.** Title. This rule shall be known as IDAPA 39.02.75 "Rules Governing Names on Drivers' Licenses and Identification Cards," IDAPA 39, Title 02, Chapter 75. (7-1-07)T
- **<u>02.</u>** Scope. The purpose of this rule is to provide procedures and criteria for County Sheriffs and the Idaho Transportation Department to record and format names, and to allow surnames and hyphenated names on drivers' licenses and identification cards.

  (5-13-91)(7-1-07)T

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

There are no written interpretations for this chapter.

(7-1-07)T

# <u>003.</u> <u>ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.</u>

Administrative appeals under this chapter shall be governed by the rules of administrative procedure of the attorney general, IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General." (7-1-07)T

# 004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

There are no documents incorporated by reference in this chapter.

(7-1-07)T

# 005. OFFICE - OFFICE HOURS - MAILING AND STREET ADDRESS - PHONE NUMBERS.

- <u>O1.</u> <u>Street and Mailing Address.</u> The Idaho Transportation Department maintains a central office in Boise at 3311 W. State Street with a mailing address of PO Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129. (7-1-07)T
  - <u>Office Hours.</u> Daily office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. except Saturday, Sunday and state holidays.
- <u>03.</u> <u>Telephone and FAX numbers</u>. The central office may be contacted during office hours by phone at 208-334-8735 or by fax at 208-334-8739. (7-1-07)T

### 006. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

All records associated with this chapter are subject to and in compliance with the Idaho Public Records Act, as set forth in Sections 9-337 through 9-350, Idaho Code.

(7-1-07)T

00<u>27</u>. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

- **91. Punctuation Marks**. The only punctuation marks which may be used in a name are the comma (,), apostrophe ('), and the hyphen (-). A hyphen is allowed in the last name only, and may occur once. A comma can only be used between the last name and the first name.

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- **Full Name Requirements.** Only twenty-six (26) characters, including the spaces and punctuation, can be used in the entire full name on the actual driver's license or identification card. If a full name has more than twenty-six (26) characters, the last name and first name must be written out fully. The middle name can be initialized and then the full middle name entered on the comment line of the application. If there is a designator, it will follow the middle initial. If the name is still more than twenty-six (26) characters, the first and middle names can be initialized and the full first and middle names entered on the comment line of the application. (5-13-91)

101. -- 199. (RESERVED).

#### 200. CRITERIA.

**01. Legal Name**. The name on the birth certificate will be used unless a name changes due to:

(5-13-91)

**a.** Marriage; (5-13-91)

**b.** Divorce; or (5-13-91)

**c.** Court Order. (5-13-91)

- **O2. Stepparents' Name**. Applicants are not allowed to use their stepparents' last name, except by court order or other documents may be accepted to change a name, on approval by the Idaho Transportation Department. (7-1-96)
- **O3. Drivers License and Identification Card Names**. The name printed on the driver's license or identification card will be maintained in the Idaho Transportation Department records in the following order: (1) Last name, (2) First name, (3) Middle name, (4) Designator (if applicable (see Subsection 200.04). (7-1-96)
- **O4. Designations of Names.** The designations of I, II, III, etc., will become first (1st), second (2nd), third (3rd), etc., and will appear after the middle name. The designators of JR and SR (no periods allowed) will be permitted and will appear after the middle name. The JR and SR designators will be permitted only if there is proof that the other individual exists, by way of an original certified copy of a birth certificate. (7-1-96)
- **06. Divorced Applicants' Names**. Divorced applicants who want to use their original surname, or a surname from a previous marriage, but do not have a divorce decree indicating the new name are allowed to submit the following documents to the County Sheriffs or the Idaho Transportation Department: (5-13-91)
  - **a.** Original certified copy of the birth certificate showing the original surname; (7-1-96)
- **b.** Original certified copies of the marriage license and the divorce decree, as evidence to change the name; or (7-1-96)
- **c.** Original certified copies of the marriage license and divorce decree (only required for applicants wanting to use a surname from a former marriage). (7-1-96)
- **07. Applicant's First Name**. Applicants are not allowed to change their first names except by court order. (5-13-91)
- **08. Common Law Marriage**. Common law marriages created prior to January 1, 1996 will for the purposes of this rule be treated as a valid marriage. An affidavit of agreement is required which shall include:

(7-1-96)

**a.** The signatures of both the husband and the wife; (5-31-91)

**b.** The date they became married under common law; and (5-13-91)

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(7-1-96)

- ${f c.}$  Other documents verifying the marriage (subject to the approval of the Idaho Transportation Department).
- **O9. Change of Name on Record**. Once names are established in the Idaho Transportation Department records, a court order, marriage license, or divorce decree will be required to change the name and record. (An original certified copy of the document, which is dated after the date of record, will be required.) (7-1-96)
  - **10. Titles or Nicknames**. Applicants are not allowed to use titles or nicknames.

### **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.03.08 - RULES GOVERNING PREQUALIFICATION OF VARIABLE LOAD SUSPENSION AXLES AND OTHER AUXILIARY AXLES

DOCKET NO. 39-0308-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL)

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is July 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 49-1001, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This action repeals the Administrative Code, in compliance with Section 49-1001, Idaho Code, as amended by Senate Bill 1049, 2007, Session Law Chapter 65, effective July 1, 2007, which deleted provisions for prequalification of variable load suspension axles.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(b), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: Compliance with Idaho Code.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULE-MAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action is a result of legislative action, amending Idaho Code.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Regina Phipps, Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, 334-8418.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Linda L. Emry, Management Assistant Budget, Policy, and Intergovernmental Relations Idaho Transportation Department 3311 West State Street - P O Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129 Phone - 208-334-8810, FAX - 208-334-8195

IDAPA 39.03.08 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

### **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.03.10 - RULES GOVERNING WHEN AN OVERLEGAL PERMIT IS REQUIRED

### **DOCKET NO. 39-0310-0701**

### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 40-312 and 49-1001, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

There is a need for a more efficient and economical method of permitting of wreckers removing disabled vehicles which is accomplished by combining the permitting of emergency moves and secondary moves. A safer and more reasonable method of setting allowable weight limits on permitted vehicles, while protecting our roads and bridges, is established by using the Department's Route Capacity Map, subject to posted weight restrictions.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(a) and (c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

This rulemaking establishes a safer and more reasonable method of setting weight limits on permitted vehicles and also confers a benefit to wrecker owner/operators by reducing the number of required permits by combining emergency and secondary moves of disabled vehicles.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action both confers a benefit and improves the safety of the traveling public.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Regina Phipps, Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, 334-8418.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

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#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0310-0701

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

There are no written interpretations for this chapter.

(8-1-07)T

# <u>003.</u> <u>ADMINISTRATIVE APPE</u>ALS.

Administrative appeals under this chapter shall be governed by the rules of administrative procedure of the attorney general, IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General." (8-1-07)T

### <u>004.</u> <u>INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.</u>

There are no documents incorporated by reference in this chapter.

(8-1-07)T

## 005. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING AND STREET ADDRESS -- PHONE NUMBERS.

- **O1.** Street and Mailing Address. The Idaho Transportation Department maintains a central office in Boise at 3311 W State Street with a mailing address of PO Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129. (8-1-07)T
  - <u>Office Hours.</u> Daily office hours are 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. except Saturday, Sunday and state holidays. (8-1-07)T
- **Q3.** Telephone and Fax Numbers. The central office may be contacted during office hours by phone at 208-334-8420 or by fax at 334-8419. (8-1-07)T

### 006. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

All records associated with this chapter are subject to and in compliance with the Idaho Public Records Act, as set forth in Sections 9-337 through 9-350, Idaho Code.

(8-1-07)T

00<u>27</u>. -- 009. (RESERVED).

### 010. DEFINITIONS.

Refer to *Rule* <u>IDAPA</u> 39.03.01, <u>Rules Governing Definitions</u>, for definitions of the terms used in this rule.

<del>(10-2-89)</del>(8-1-07)T

011. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. GENERAL.

An overlegal permit, in writing, shall be required for any movement on any completed section of highway under the jurisdiction of the Department by any vehicle or vehicles with non-reducible loads which exceed the allowable weights or sizes established in Sections 49-1001, 49-1002 and 49-1010, Idaho Code.

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# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 300. WAIVER OF LIMITATIONS FOR EMERGENCY MOVEMENTS.

Notwithstanding other provisions of these rules, the Idaho Transportation Board may waive existing permit policy limitations in the event of an emergency, subject to such limitations or special requirements as the Board may impose.

(8-25-94)

**01. Military Emergency Affecting National Security.** Any movement by or for a military or other government agency which is in excess of permit policy maximum limits of weight or size or which is otherwise outside established rules must be certified as a military necessity involving national security before receiving any special consideration to provide any waiver of normal permit rules. Certification of military necessity must be made by an official designated as having such authority by the Department of Defense Directory, issued by the Office of the

Chief of Transportation, Department of Army. All applications for military emergency movements must be channeled through the Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, Idaho Transportation Department. (8-25-94)

**O2.** Emergencies Endangering the Public Health, Safety or Welfare Including but Not Limited to Fire, Flood, or Earthquake. During an emergency endangering the public health, safety or welfare, there may be an urgent and immediate need for equipment and it will not be in the public interest to require that a overlegal permit be in the vehicle prior to an over legal movement. Verbal approval to proceed without an overlegal permit in the vehicle may be obtained from the Overlegal Permit Office or an Idaho Port-of-Entry. Once the emergency movement is completed, formal application for an Overlegal Permit must be submitted to the Overlegal Permit Office.

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an implement of husbandry being operated on an official state holiday or a weekend (the Overlegal Permit Office is closed on weekends and holidays - for hours of Permit Office operation see IDAPA 39.03.09, "Rules Governing Overlegal Permits-General Conditions and Requirements") breaks down and needs to be taken to a dealer for immediate repair, or a dealer brings replacement equipment to the farmer that exceeds the annual permit maximum width of fourteen (14) feet - six (6) inches. Verbal approval to proceed without an overlegal permit in the vehicle may be obtained from an Idaho Port of Entry. That verbal authorization will include escort vehicle requirements based on the route of travel and width of load. Once the emergency movement is completed, the permittee shall make formal application for a permit to the Overlegal Permit Office on the first working day after the occurrence.

(4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

- **04. Economic Emergencies**. When a circumstance occurs in which an economic hardship is expected to result due to the application of existing rules or limitations, the Transportation Board may consider a petition for the temporary waiver of those rules or limitations which are perceived as being the cause of such economic hardship.

  (8-25-94)
- **05. Emergency Removal of Disabled Vehicles.** Annual <u>Disabled Vehicle</u> permits *or single trip* permits will be issued to heavy duty wrecker trucks or other vehicles used for the emergency removal and secondary movement of disabled trucks and/or trailers or combinations and their unladen return, subject to the following rules:

  (4-5-00)(8-1-07)T
- a. The permitted vehicle involved in the removal of disabled vehicles shall have adequate weight and traction to control the combination of wrecker and attached vehicles, and shall provide brakes to the trailer axles and stop signal and clearance lights to such towed disabled vehicles. (12-26-90)
- b. Loaded weight of the permitted vehicle's drive axle(s) will be permitted up to twenty five thousand (25,000) pounds/single and up to forty-three thousand (43,000) pounds/tandem axle the basic allowable unit weight as shown on the current Idaho Transportation Department Route Capacity Map for the corresponding colored route, unless the highway route is posted with a weight restriction. The current Route Capacity Map is maintained by the Overlegal Permit Office and Is available to the public from the Overlegal Permit Office and Idaho Ports of Entry. Length of the combination will be limited to the legal or permitted length of the disabled combination plus forty-five (45) feet. Width will be limited to ten (10) feet or to the permitted width of a permitted disabled over width vehicle/load.
- c. Time of travel restrictions shall be waived <u>during the emergency movement of the disabled vehicles</u> when necessary to clear the travel way.  $\frac{(10-2-89)(8-1-07)T}{(8-1-07)T}$
- d. Emergency movement of disabled vehicles will be authorized from the point at which the vehicles were disabled to the nearest appropriate *commercial* site having facilities for *adequate repair services and cargo security* separation of vehicle combinations into single units unless by nature of the load it presents a hazard to the public (i.e. hazardous materials as defined by CFR 49) due to cargo security. In this event, the emergency movement shall be allowed to be transported to the nearest location where the cargo can be safely secured. Secondary movements of disabled vehicles that have been separated shall *not* be covered by the disabled vehicles permit as long as the weight/size limits as listed in Paragraph 300.05.b. of this rule are not exceeded. Secondary movements of disabled vehicles that are overwidth and moving at night shall be required to operate *by single trip permit in accordance with IDAPA 39.03.13*, "Rules Governing Overweight Permits," and Rule 39.03.16, "Rules Governing Overweight For Non-Reducible Vehicles and/or Loads," if allowed in accordance with the lighting requirements

# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Rules Governing When an Overlegal Permit Is Required

Docket No. 39-0310-0701 Temporary and Proposed Rule

as listed in IDAPA 39.03.12, "Rules Governing Safety Requirements of Overlegal Permits."

(4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

- **e.** The permitted vehicle involved in the removal of a disabled vehicle shall be allowed (under annual disabled vehicle permit) to tow a non-disabled vehicle to the point of disablement, to replace the disabled vehicle.

  (4-5-00)
- **O6.** Emergency Movements After Dark or Weekends. Any overwidth load moving after dark or on weekends on a red coded route of the <u>PPilot/eEscort +Vehicle</u> and Travel Time Requirements Map must be preceded by an escort vehicle displaying a rotating or flashing amber light to warn other traffic of the presence of the hazard. Any overwidth load moving after dark on black coded routes, if width exceeds ten (10) feet, must also be preceded by such a pilot/escort vehicle. All overwidth loads moved after dark shall have the extreme dimensions marked by lights as required by IDAPA 39.03.12, "Rules Governing Safety Requirements For Overlegal Permits." Self-propelled vehicles utilized to clear the travelway of snow or debris are exempt from the provisions listed in this Subsection.

  (4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

### 301. -- 399. (RESERVED).

#### 400. OVERLEGAL PERMITS FOR SELF PROPELLED VEHICLES.

<u>Permitted</u>  $\Theta_0$ verweight/oversize self propelled vocational vehicles (such as cranes, loaders, motor graders, drills) may tow any vehicle eight thousand (8,000) pounds or less when such vehicle is used solely for return trip after delivery of the permitted vehicle.

(4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

# **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.03.12 - RULES GOVERNING SAFETY REQUIREMENTS OF OVERLEGAL PERMITS DOCKET NO. 39-0312-0701

#### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 40-312 and 49-1004, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

Signs displayed by pilot/escort/towing vehicles are not always easily visible by other vehicles of the road. This rulemaking clarifies where the "oversize load" signs should be placed on towing vehicles and pilot/escort vehicles for maximum visibility by other travelers.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(a), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: This rulemaking improves the safety of the traveling public.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULE-MAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action provides for improved safety of the traveling public.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Regina Phipps, Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, 334-8418.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Linda L. Emry, Management Assistant Budget, Policy, and Intergovernmental Relations Idaho Transportation Department 3311 West State Street P O Box 7129 Boise ID 83707-1129 Phone - 208-334-8810 FAX - 208-334-8195

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0312-0701

#### 002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

There are no written interpretations for this chapter.

(8-1-07)T

# <u>003.</u> <u>ADMINISTRATIVE APPE</u>ALS.

Administrative appeals under this chapter shall be governed by the rules of administrative procedure of the attorney general, IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General." (8-1-07)T

### <u>004.</u> <u>INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.</u>

There are no documents incorporated by reference in this chapter.

(8-1-07)T

## 005. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING AND STREET ADDRESS -- PHONE NUMBERS.

- **91.** Street And Mailing Address. The Idaho Transportation Department maintains a central office in Boise at 3311 W. State Street with a mailing address of PO Box 7129, Boise, ID 83707-1129. (8-1-07)T
  - <u>Office Hours.</u> Daily office hours are 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. except Saturday, Sunday and state holidays. (8-1-07)T
- <u>03.</u> <u>Telephone and Fax Numbers.</u> The central office may be contacted during office hours by phone at 208-334-8420 or by fax at 334-8419. (8-1-07)T

### 006. PUBLIC RECORDS ACT COMPLIANCE.

All records associated with this chapter are subject to and in compliance with the Idaho Public Records Act, as set forth in Sections 9-337 through 9-350, Idaho Code. (8-1-07)T

00<u>27</u>. -- 009. (RESERVED).

### 010. DEFINITIONS.

Refer to Rule IDAPA 39.03.01, "Rules Governing Definitions," for definitions of the terms used in this rule.

(10-2-89)(8-1-07)T

# (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# **300.** SIGNING REQUIREMENTS OF <u>TOWING VEHICLES</u>, OVERSIZE VEHICLES AND/OR LOADS. Oversize load signs shall meet the following specifications: (4-5-00)

- **01. Dimensions**. Eighteen (18) inches high by seven (7) feet wide, letter height ten (10) inches, letter type standard series C, stroke width one and five-eighths (1 5/8) inch, black letters on yellow background. (4-5-00)
- **02. Displaying Signs.** Signs shall be displayed on the front <u>or the roof top</u> of the towing vehicle and the rear of the oversize load. Shall be displayed on the front and back <u>or the roof top</u> of self propelled oversize vehicles.

  (4-5-00)(8-1-07)T
- **03. When Signs Are Required**. Oversize load signs shall be required on all vehicles and/or loads exceeding legal width. Signs shall not be displayed when the vehicle is empty and of legal dimensions. (4-5-00)

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

# 500. PILOT/ESCORT VEHICLE SIGN REQUIREMENTS.

**01. Oversize Load Signs.** All pilot/escort vehicles while escorting and oversize load shall display a sign on the roof top of the vehicle having the words OVERSIZE LOAD. Such signs shall not be displayed and shall be considered illegal except when the pilot/escort vehicle is actually piloting/escorting an oversize load.

(4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

**02. Dimensions.** Ten (10) inches high by five (5) feet wide, type standard series B, eight (8) inch high letters, one (1) inch stroke width, and black letters on yellow background. (4-5-00)

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

### 900. CONVOY OF OVERLEGAL LOADS.

- **O1.** Convoying Oversize Loads. Oversize loads which individually would require a pilot/escort vehicle, except overwidth manufactured homes, office trailers, may be permitted to travel in convoy with pilot/escort vehicles in front of and behind the convoy, but such convoys shall not exceed four (4) oversize loads or vehicles between pilot/escort vehicles. Maximum width of units in a convoy shall be limited to fourteen (14) feet six (6) inches on the interstate system or on black-coded routes of the Pilot/Escort Vehicle and Travel Time Requirements Map and to twelve (12) feet six (6) inches on red-coded routes of the Pilot/Escort Vehicle and Travel Time Requirements Map. Oversize loads which do not individually require an pilot/escort vehicle may travel in convoy without pilot/escort vehicles. Maximum length of units in a convoy shall be limited to one hundred (100) feet on red-coded and black-coded routes of the pilot/escort vehicle and travel time requirements map and one hundred twenty (120) feet on the interstate system.
- Or office trailers shall include more than two (2) units and two (2) piloting/escorting vehicles. On those routes where pilot/escort vehicles are required in front and to the rear of an overwidth manufactured home and or office trailers, two (2) units may travel in convoy between such piloting/escorting vehicles. On routes requiring only a front pilot/escort vehicle, the manufactured home and or office trailers mover may have the option of convoying two (2) units between front and rear pilots/escorts. At no time shall more than one (1) manufactured home or office trailer be piloted/escorted by one (1) pilot/escort vehicle. Minimum spacing of approximately one thousand (1000) feet shall be maintained between all units in a convoy except when an pilot/escort is required to control traffic in turning movements.

  (4-5-00)(8-1-07)T

### **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.03.16 - RULES GOVERNING OVERSIZE PERMITS FOR NON-REDUCIBLE VEHICLES AND/OR LOADS

#### **DOCKET NO. 39-0316-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 40-312 and 49-1004, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rulemaking provides clarification to industry on operational requirements by stating that "double trailer combinations" hauling overwidth loads may not exceed 75 feet in overall length. This will help protect against potential overstressing of our infrastructure and improve safety for the traveling public.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(a), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: This action will protect the public safety and their investment in the state's infrastructure.

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action provides for improved safety of the traveling public and the protection of their investment in the infrastructure.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Regina Phipps, Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, 334-8418.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Linda L. Emry, Management Assistant Budget, Policy, and Intergovernmental Relations Idaho Transportation Department 3311 West State Street P O Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129 Phone - 208-334-8810 / FAX - 208-334-8195

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0316-0701

#### 010. **DEFINITIONS.**

Refer to Rule IDAPA 39.03.01, "Rules Governing Definitions," for definitions of the terms used in this Rule.

(10-2-89)(8-1-07)T

011. -- 099. (RESERVED).

#### 100. GENERAL OVERSIZE LIMITATIONS.

- **Maximum Dimensions Allowed**. The maximum dimensions of oversize vehicles or oversize loads shall depend on the character of the route to be traveled: width of roadway, alignment and sight distance, vertical or horizontal clearance, and traffic volume. Overlegal permits will not normally be issued for movements which cannot allow for the passage of traffic as provided in IDAPA 39.03.11, "Rules Governing Overlegal Permittee Responsibility and Travel Restrictions," Subsection 100.05, except under special circumstances when an interruption of low volume traffic may be permitted (not to exceed ten (10) minutes) or when adequate detours are available. (4-5-00)
- **02. Practical Minimum Dimension**. Oversize loads shall be reduced to a practical minimum dimension. Except as noted below, permits will not be issued to exceed legal size if the load is more than one (1) unit in width, length or height nor shall permits be utilized for multiple unit loads which may be reduced in number of units and positioned to meet legal dimensions established in Section 49-1010, Idaho Code. (8-25-94)
- **Multiple Unit Overwidth Loads**. Multiple unit overwidth loads must be transported on legal dimension vehicles. Overwidth loads may be transported on *extra-length* double trailer combinations not exceeding seventy-five (75) feet combination length exclusive of load overhang.

  (8-25-94)(8-1-07)T
- **04. Overwidth Overhang**. Over width loads shall distribute overhang to the sides of the trailer as evenly as possible. (8-25-94)

# **IDAPA 39 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

# 39.03.17 - RULES GOVERNING PERMITS FOR MANUFACTURED HOMES, MODULAR BUILDINGS, AND OFFICE TRAILERS

#### **DOCKET NO. 39-0317-0701**

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is August 1, 2007.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed regular rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section(s) 40-312 and 49-1004, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rulemaking provides compliance with 49 CFR, Part 393, Subpart F, Coupling Devices and Towing Methods, which allows less restrictive options for connection devices between a manufactured home and the towing vehicle.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Sections 67-5226(1)(b), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons: This action provides compliance with the Code of Federal Regulations. (49 CRF, Part 393)

**FEE SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(2), the Governor has found that the fee or charge being imposed or increased is justified and necessary to avoid immediate danger and the fee is described herein: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because this action is necessary for compliance with the Code of Federal Regulations.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Regina Phipps, Vehicle Size and Weight Specialist, 334-8418.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 24th day of August, 2007.

Linda L. Emry, Management Assistant Budget, Policy, and Intergovernmental Relations Idaho Transportation Department 3311 West State Street P O Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129 Phone - 208-334-8810 FAX - 208-334-8195

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 39-0317-0701

#### 010. DEFINITIONS.

Refer to Rule IDAPA 39.03.01, "Rules Governing Definitions," for definitions of the terms used in this Rule.

(10-2-89)(8-1-07)T

### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 200. MANUFACTURED HOMES AND OFFICE TRAILERS BEING TOWED.

- **O1.** Connection Device. A ball hitch coupler. Shall meet the requirements of Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, 49 CFR part 393. (10-2-89)(8-1-07)T
  - **02. Length.** Not in excess of eighty (80) feet including tongue.

(10-2-89)

- **03. Width.** Shall be limited to a maximum of sixteen (16) feet at the base and shall not exceed eighteen (18) feet overall width including the eaves.
- \*\* Determination of manufactured home or office trailer width shall be exclusive of such appurtenances as clearance lights, door handles, window fasteners, door and window trim, moldings and load securement devices up to but not in excess of three (3) inches on each side of load.

  (3-23-98)
- **04. Eaves.** No restrictions on eaves as long as the eighteen (18) feet maximum overall width limitation is not exceeded. (4-11-06)
- **05. Weight**. The maximum allowable load for any vehicle tire operated on any public highway shall be in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations, Title 24, Chapter 20, Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing Federal Housing Commissioner, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Part 3280, Subpart J, (CFR Title 24).
- **06. Running Gear Assembly -- General**. The entire system (frame, drawbar, and coupling mechanism, running gear assembly including brake systems, axles and lights) shall be in accordance with CFR Title 24, for the year the manufactured home was built. In addition thereto, all tires used in transportation of manufactured homes under this category shall be in accordance with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, part 393. (3-23-98)
- **07. Construction**. Construction shall be in accordance with CFR Title 24, for the year the manufactured home was built. (3-23-98)
- **08. Axles**. All axles shall be in accordance with CFR Title 24, for the year the manufactured home was built, except that sixteen (16) foot wide (at the base) manufactured homes shall be required to have a minimum of four (4) axles. (3-23-98)
- **09. Brakes**. Brakes shall be in accordance with CFR Title 24, for the year the manufactured home was built, except that sixteen (16) foot wide (at the base) manufactured homes shall be required to have brakes on a minimum of three (3) axles. (3-23-98)
- **10. Lights**. The unit shall have stop lights, turn signals and tail lights that meet the requirements of Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, part 393. (3-23-98)
- 11. Safety Chains. Two (2) safety chains shall be used, one (1) each on right and left sides of, but separate from, the coupling mechanism connecting the tow vehicle and the manufactured home while in transit. Chain shall be three-eighths (3/8) inch diameter steel. Chains shall be strongly fastened at each end to connect the tow

vehicle and manufactured home and assure that in the event of a coupling failure the manufactured home will track behind the tow vehicle. (3-23-98)

#### 201. VEHICLES FOR TOWING MANUFACTURED HOMES AND OFFICE TRAILERS.

**01.** Towing Vehicle. Tow vehicles for manufactured homes and office trailers shall comply with the following minimum requirements:

Manufactured Homes and Office Trailers Width	Tire Width	Drive Axle Tire Rating	Min. Unladen Weight	Rear Axle Rating
Over 8' to 10'	7.00"	6 Ply	6,000#	None
Over 10'to 12'	8.00"	8 Ply	8,000#	15,000#
Over 12'	8.25"	10 Ply	12,000#	15,000#

(3-23-98)

- **O2.** Brakes. Shall be in accordance with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations part 393. (8-25-94)
- **Rear Axle**. Towing vehicle shall have a minimum of a single axle with dual mounted tires. (8-25-94)
- **04.** Hitch Assembly Connection Device. Shall meet the requirements of Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, part 393. (8-25-94)(8-1-07)T
- **05. Horsepower Requirement.** When towing a manufactured home or office trailer a minimum speed of twenty-five (25) mph must be maintained. (3-23-98)

- **a.** On all movements requiring a pilot/escort vehicle, both the towing unit and the pilot/escort vehicle(s) shall be equipped with two-way radio equipment, licensed under Federal Communications Commission regulations adequate to provide reliable voice communication between the drivers thereof at all times during the movement of the escorted load. Transmitting and receiving capabilities of the radio equipment used shall be adequate to provide the required communication over a minimum distance of one-half (1/2) mile separation under conditions normally encountered along the proposed route. (4-5-00)
- **b.** Radio communication shall be open and monitored between pilot/escort vehicle(s) and oversize load at all times during movement. (4-5-00)
- **07. Operator Requirements.** Operators of vehicles towing manufactured homes, modular buildings and office trailers over ten (10) feet wide at the base shall have a class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) as appropriate. (3-23-98)
- **08. Speed Limit Requirements**. Vehicles towing manufactured homes, modular buildings and offices, shall be limited to a maximum of sixty (60) miles per hour. (3-23-98)

#### **IDAPA 41 - PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICTS**

#### 41.04.01 - PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICT 4 - COSTS AND CHARGES

### DOCKET NO. 41-0401-0701 (CHAPTER REPEAL) (FEE RULE)

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 39-416(1), Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rule was made effective July 1, 1993 and applied only to Public Health District 4. The rule specifies fees for services delivered by the agency, except for those specified elsewhere in Idaho Code. On January 26, 1994 a set of rules were adopted that apply to fee setting for all 7 Public Health Districts. At that point, the 1993 rules became obsolete. This rulemaking is to repeal the 1993 rules for housekeeping purposes.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the nature of the rulemaking is to repeal the chapter.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Russell A. Duke at 327-8501.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2007.

Russell A. Duke Director Central District Health Department 707 N. Armstrong Pl. Boise, Idaho 83704-0825 Ph: 327-8501

Ph: 327-8501 Lax: 327-8500

IDAPA 41.04.01 IS BEING REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

#### **IDAPA 54 - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER**

### 54.02.01 - RULES GOVERNING THE COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM

#### **DOCKET NO. 54-0201-0701**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - PROPOSED RULE**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 33-5402(1), Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than October 17, 2007.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

The current rules contain contractual terms and have complicated the transition to a new program manager. The rules have been revised to contain only those items required to be in rule by Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code. All other program matters are addressed by the contract between participants and the program.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to IDAPA 04.11.01.811, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the items retained in the rules are required by Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Liza Carberry, Investment Manager, at (208) 332-2997.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before October 24, 2007.

DATED this 8th day of August, 2007.

Liza Carberry, Investment Manager College Savings Program Office of the State Treasurer 304 N. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Rm. 208 P. O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0091 (208) 332-2997 phone / (208) 332-2961 fax

#### THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF DOCKET NO. 54-0201-0701

#### 000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

In accordance with Section 33-5402(1), Idaho Code, <u>authorizes</u> the State College Savings Program Board shall make, <u>adopt, and publish rules pursuant</u> to <u>interpret</u> Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code, <u>in rule</u> as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions and purposes of the College Savings Program.

(3-15-02)(\_\_\_\_\_)

#### 001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

- Title. These rules shall be cited in full as IDAPA 54.02.01, "Rules Governing the College Savings Program."
- 02. Scope. These rules specify interpret Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code, and prescribe the conditions and standards under which for the Program shall required to be implemented specified in rule under the provisions of Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code.

#### WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS. 002.

In accordance with Section 33-5402(5), Idaho Code, the State College Savings Program Board may issue written statements that pertain to the interpretation of the rules of this chapter, or to the documentation of compliance with the rules of this chapter. (3-15-02)(

#### 003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.

The provisions of IDAPA 04.11.01, "Idaho Rules of Administrative Procedure of the Attorney General," shall govern all contested cases filed pursuant to the provisions of Title 67, Chapter 52, Idaho Code. This chapter does not provide for appeal of the requirements for deposits to and withdrawals from the Program. Disputes under the Program shall be governed by the terms of the Program Documents.  $\frac{(3-15-02)}{(}$ 

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### 005. OFFICE -- OFFICE HOURS -- MAILING ADDRESS AND STREET ADDRESS -- TELEPHONE AND FACSIMILE NUMBERS.

The office of the Program is located in the State Capitol Building, 700 West Jefferson, Room 102, Boise, Idaho. The mailing address of the Program is, C/O Office of the State Treasurer, P. O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0091. The telephone number of the Program is (208) 334-3200. The Program's facsimile number is (208) 332-2960.

(3-15-02)(

#### (BREAK IN CONTINUITY OF SECTIONS)

#### <del>007.</del> FILING OF DOCUMENTS.

All filings for rulemaking or contested cases must be filed with the Board. Whenever documents are filed by facsimile transmission, originals shall be deposited in the mail the same day or hand delivered the following business day to the Board. (3-15-02)

00<del>8</del>7. -- 009. (RESERVED).

#### **DEFINITIONS.**

Except where supplemented by the definitions in Section 010 of these rules, the definitions in Section 33-5401, Idaho Code, shall apply to terms used in these rules.

Act. The College Savings Program, Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code. Account Balance Limit on Contributions. The maximum total balance amount for all accounts established under the Program for the benefit of the same designated beneficiary as established by the State College Savings Program Board from time to time and set forth in the Program Documents, but in no event more than the amount permitted under 26 U.S.C. Section 529.

- $\theta 2.$ Account. An individual trust account or savings account established as prescribed in Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code. (3-15-02)
- Account Owner. The *Person* individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, or corporation identified as the Account Owner in the Program's participation agreement Documents.

- 04. Beneficiary or Designated Beneficiary. Except as provided in Section 33-5404, Idaho Code, with respect to an Account, the Person designated at the time the Account is opened as the Person whose higher education expenses are expected to be paid from the Account or, if this Beneficiary is replaced in accordance with Section 33-5404, Idaho Code, the replacement Beneficiary.

  (5-3-03)
  - **85.** Board. The State College Savings Program Board created by Section 33-5402, Idaho Code.

    (3-15-02)
- 66. Cash. Cash shall include checks (as limited in this section), payroll deductions, automatic contribution plans, electronic funds transfers, and transfers from another Qualified Tuition Program. Cash does not include property. Contributions by check must be drawn on a banking institution located in the United States in U.S. dollars. Personal checks, bank drafts, teller's checks, and checks issued by a financial institution or brokerage firm payable to the Account Owner and endorsed over to the Program by the Account Owner are permitted. Third party personal checks up to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) are also permitted. Money orders, cashier's checks, traveler's checks, starter checks, and credit card convenience checks are not permitted, nor are third-party personal checks exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).
- 07. Contingent Account Owner. The Person designated by the Account Owner, pursuant to Subsection 021.02, to become the owner of the Account upon the death of the Account Owner. (3-15-02)
- 08. Contribution. Cash deposited into an Account established under the Act for the benefit of a Designated Beneficiary.

  (3-15-02)
- **093. Earnings.** The total Aaccount balance on a particular date minus the Contributions in deposits to the Aaccount as of that date.
  - 10. Member of the Family. Shall have the meaning as provided in 26 U.S.C. Section 529. (3-15-02)
- 11. Person or Persons. An individual, a trust, an estate, a partnership, an association or a corporation.
- **1204. Program**. The College Savings Program and the Idaho College Savings Trust established under Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code.
- O5. Program Documents. Written documents governing the agreement between the Account Owner and the Program, including the following: the written description of terms, policies, and procedures applicable to the Program; the Program application signed by the Account Owner; the participation agreement signed by the Account Owner; and, any form provided by the Program and signed by the Account Owner.
- 13. Program Manager. The financial institution selected by the Board pursuant to the provisions of Section 33-5403, Idaho Code, to act as manager of the Program. (3-15-02)
- 14. Qualified Higher Education Expense. Shall have the meaning as provided in Section 33-5401(10), (5-3-03)
  - 15. Qualified Tuition Programs. Shall have the meaning as provided in 26 U.S.C. Section 529.
  - **16.** Qualified Withdrawal. Shall have the meaning as provided in Section 33-5401(11), Idaho Code. (5-3-03)
  - **1706. Rollover Distribution**. Shall have the meaning set forth in 26 U.S.C. Section 529(c)(3)(C)(i). (5-3-03)

#### 011. UNIFORM GIFT TO MINORS ACT.

Any action taken by an Account Owner with respect to an Account shall comply with any applicable laws governing

gifts or transfers to minors.

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012. -- 019. (RESERVED).

#### 020. CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY.

- 01. Change of Beneficiary Form. An Account Owner may change the Beneficiary designated for the Account at any time by submitting a completed change of Beneficiary form to the Program Manager. (3-15-02)
- 02. Change of Beneficiary Through Rollover Distribution. A change of Beneficiary may also be accomplished by means of a Rollover Distribution. (3-15-02)

#### 021. CHANGE OF ACCOUNT OWNERSHIP.

**91.** Transfer of Ownership. An Account Owner may transfer ownership of an Account to another eligible Account Owner at any time. The change of ownership shall be effective if the transfer:

(3-15-02)

a. Is irrevocable; (3-15-02)

**b.** Transfers all ownership, reversionary rights, powers of appointment, and powers to direct the withdrawal of funds; and (3-15-02)

e. Is submitted to the Program Manager in writing. (3-15-02)

- **O2.** Contingent Account Owner. An Account Owner may designate a contingent Account Owner to become the owner of the Account automatically upon the death of the Account Owner by submitting a written request to the Program Manager. The contingent Account Owner designation may be revoked by the Account Owner at any time by submitting to the Program Manager another written request that either designates a new contingent Account Owner or revokes all previous designation(s) of a contingent Account Owner. Upon the death of the Account Owner, the successor Account Owner shall provide:

  (5-3-03)
- **a.** A certified copy of a death certificate sufficiently identifying the deceased by name and Social Security Number, or such other proof of death as is recognized under applicable law and is acceptable to the Program Manager, and

  (3-15-02)
  - **b.** A participation agreement signed by the successor Account Owner. (3-15-02)
- O3. Court Order. A change in an Account Owner may be effected by submitting to the Program Manager a written request that is not signed by the Account Owner of record if the request for change of Account ownership is accompanied by a court order directing the change of ownership or by an affidavit or declaration that is recognized under applicable law to require the transfer of ownership upon death without a court order. The Program Manager shall not implement a change in ownership (other than a change in ownership described in Subsection 021.02 of these rules) without first receiving a written request signed by the Account Owner of record, a court order, or an affidavit or declaration as herein described. Upon acceptance by the Program Manager of a request for change of Account ownership, the successor Account Owner must submit a completed participation agreement to the Program Manager.

0<del>22</del>11. -- 029. (RESERVED).

#### 030. WITHDRAWALS.

<u>02.</u> <u>Determination of Qualified and Non-Qualified Withdrawals.</u> The Account Owner shall be responsible for satisfying requirements of the United States Internal Revenue Service and the Idaho Tax Commission concerning proof that a withdrawal is a qualified withdrawal.

031. -- 039. (RESERVED).

#### 040. ACCOUNT BALANCE LIMIT ON CONTRIBUTIONS.

That portion of a Contribution for any Designated Beneficiary deposit to an account that causes the total balance of the Aaccount, together with other Aaccounts established under the Program for the benefit of the same designated Beneficiary, to exceed the maximum amount established by the Board from time to time (the "Account Balance Limit on Contributions"), but in no event more than the amount permitted under 26 U.S.C. Section 529, shall be rejected. Accounts that have reached the Account Balance Limit on Contributions may continue to accrue eEarnings, and no withdrawal or Rollover Distribution will be required as the result of such accrual. In determining an Aaccount's balance for purposes of the Account Balance Limit on Contributions, only balances in Aaccounts established under the Program shall be included.

#### 041. ROLLOVER DISTRIBUTIONS.

- 01. Rollover Distribution from Another Qualified State Tuition Program. An Account Owner may transfer funds at any time from another Qualified Tuition Program to an Account established under the Act, either owned by the same or a different Account Owner, by submitting a written request to the Program Manager. The rollover of funds from the other Qualified Tuition Program shall be effective provided that:

  (5-3-03)
- **a.** The funds are transferred to an Account for a new Beneficiary who is a Member of the Family of the Beneficiary of the Account in the other Qualified Tuition Program or the funds are transferred to an Account for the current Beneficiary (and such a transfer has not been made for the current Beneficiary within the preceding twelve (12) months); and
- **b.** The transfer of funds does not cause the aggregate amount of contributions held for the new Beneficiary to exceed the Account Balance Limit on Contributions applicable to that Beneficiary. (3-15-02)
- **O2.** Transfer of Account Funds as Rollover Distribution. An Account Owner may transfer funds from an Account established under the Act to another Account established under the Act, or an account established under a Qualified Tuition Program in another state, either owned by the same or a different Account Owner, at any time by submitting a written request to the Program Manager. The transfer of Account funds shall be effective provided that:

  15.3.032
- **a.** The funds are transferred to an Account for a new Beneficiary who is a Member of the Family of the Beneficiary of the Account from which the funds are being transferred or the funds are transferred to an account for the current Beneficiary (and such a transfer has not been made for the current Beneficiary within the preceding twelve (12) months); and
- **b.** The transfer of funds does not cause the aggregate amount of contributions held for the new Beneficiary to exceed the Account Balance Limit on Contributions applicable to that Beneficiary. (3-15-02)
- 03. Rollover of Account Funds Methods. A rollover of Account funds from or to another Qualified Tuition Program or within this Program shall be effected through a direct transfer of funds to an Account or as a deposit of the funds into an Account established under a Qualified Tuition Program within sixty (60) days of withdrawal of the funds from the other Qualified Tuition Program.

  (5-3-03)
- 64. Execution of New Participation Agreement. Any Rollover Distribution that is intended to transfer funds to a new Account not yet established under the Act shall not be effective until the Account Owner who is to receive the transferred funds has submitted a completed participation agreement for the new Account and the Account has been established.

  (3-15-02)

04<u>21</u>. -- 999. (RESERVED).

#### **IDAPA 58 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

#### THE LOWER CLARK FORK RIVER SUBBASIN TMDLS (HUC 17010213)

#### **DOCKET NO. 58-0000-0709**

#### NOTICE OF FINAL DECISION

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 39-3611, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has issued a final decision on the Lower Clark Fork River Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL).

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) hereby gives notice of the final decision on the Lower Clark Fork River Subbasin TMDLs. The final decision may be appealed to the Board of Environmental Quality by initiating a contested case in accordance with Sections 39-107(5), 67-5240 et seq., Idaho Code, and IDAPA 58.01.23, "Rules of Administrative Procedure Before the Board of Environmental Quality." The petition initiating a contested case must be filed with the undersigned hearing coordinator within thirty-five (35) days of the publication date of this notice in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin.

The area covered by the Lower Clark Fork River Subbasin TMDLs (Hydrologic Unit Code 17010213) addresses forty-four (44) assessment units (AUs) on Idaho's 2002 Section 303(d) list. In addition, four (4) AUs were found to be impaired for pollutants not yet listed on Idaho's 2002 Section 303(d) list and are recommended for Section 303(d) listing in the next Integrated Report. DEQ completed TMDLs for all AU/pollutant combinations deemed water quality impaired. DEQ has submitted this HUC TMDL to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for approval under the Clean Water Act.

**AVAILABILITY OF THE TMDL:** Electronic copy of the TMDL can be obtained at http://www.deq.idaho.gov/water/data\_reports/surface\_water/tmdls/clark\_fork\_lower/clark\_fork\_lower.cfm or by contacting Ms. Marti Bridges, TMDL Program Manager, 208-373-0382, marti.bridges@deq.idaho.gov.

Dated this 30th day of August, 2007.

Paula J. Wilson Hearing Coordinator Department of Environmental Quality 1410 N. Hilton Boise, Idaho 83706-1255 (208)373-0418/Fax No. (208)373-0481 paula.wilson@deq.idaho.gov

#### **IDAPA 58 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

# THE AUGUST 2007 REVISED ADDENDUM TO THE MID-SNAKE SUCCOR SUBBASIN TMDLS (HUC 17050103)

# DOCKET NO. 58-0000-0710 NOTICE OF FINAL DECISION

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 39-3611, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has issued a final decision on the August 2007 Revised Addendum to the Mid-Snake Succor Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL).

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) hereby gives notice of the final decision on the August 2007 Revised Addendum to the Mid-Snake Succor Subbasin TMDLs. The final decision may be appealed to the Board of Environmental Quality by initiating a contested case in accordance with Sections 39-107(5), 67-5240 et seq., Idaho Code, and IDAPA 58.01.23, "Rules of Administrative Procedure Before the Board of Environmental Quality." The petition initiating a contested case must be filed with the undersigned hearing coordinator within thirty-five (35) days of the publication date of this notice in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin.

The area covered by the August 2007 Revised Addendum to the Mid-Snake Succor River Subbasin TMDLs (Hydrologic Unit Code 17050103) addresses ten (10) assessment units (AUs) on Idaho's 2002 Section 303(d) list. DEQ completed TMDLs for all AU/pollutant combinations deemed water quality impaired. DEQ has submitted this HUC TMDL to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for approval under the Clean Water Act.

**AVAILABILITY OF THE TMDL:** Electronic copy of the TMDL can be obtained at http://www.deq.idaho.gov/water/data\_reports/surface\_water/tmdls/snake\_river\_succor\_creek/snake\_river\_succor\_creek.cfm or by contacting Ms. Marti Bridges, TMDL Program Manager, 208-373-0382, marti.bridges@deq.idaho.gov.

Dated this 4th day of September, 2007.

Paula J. Wilson Hearing Coordinator Department of Environmental Quality 1410 N. Hilton Boise, Idaho 83706-1255 (208)373-0418/Fax No. (208)373-0481 paula.wilson@deq.idaho.gov

#### **IDAPA 58 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

#### 58.01.01 - RULES FOR THE CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION IN IDAHO

#### **DOCKET NO. 58-0101-0703**

#### **NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 67-5220, Idaho Code, and IDAPA 58.01.23, "Rules of Administrative Procedure Before the Board of Environmental Quality," Sections 810 through 815, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate a rule and desires public participation before publishing a proposed rule. This rulemaking action is authorized by Sections 39-105 and 39-107, Idaho Code.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:** Those interested in participating in the negotiated rulemaking process are encouraged to attend the following meeting. For information regarding participation by telephone or scheduling of additional meetings, contact Phyllis Heitman at (208) 373-0256 or phyllis.heitman@deq.idaho.gov. Requests to participate by telephone must be made by October 22, 2007.

October 24, 2007, 9 a.m. to Noon Department of Environmental Quality Conference Room D 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, Idaho

**PRELIMINARY DRAFT:** A preliminary draft of the rule can be obtained at http://www.deq.idaho.gov/rules/air/58\_0101\_0703\_negotiated.cfm or by contacting Paula Wilson at paula.wilson@deq.idaho.gov, (208)373-0418.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has initiated this rulemaking to ensure that the purpose and applicability of Sections 725 through 729, as they relate to sulfur content of fuels, is clear. DEQ does not intend to change the substance of the rules.

Members of the regulated community who may be subject to Idaho's air quality rules as well as special interest groups, public officials, or members of the public who have an interest in the regulation of air emissions from sources in Idaho may wish to participate in this rulemaking. Upon conclusion of negotiations, DEQ intends to publish a proposed rule for public comment in 2008 and then present the final proposal to the Board of Environmental Quality for adoption of a pending rule. If adopted, the pending rule will be reviewed by the 2009 Idaho Legislature.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS AND SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the negotiated rulemaking, contact Martin Bauer at (208)373-0440, martin.bauer@deq.idaho.gov.

Anyone may submit written comments during this negotiated rulemaking by mail, fax or e-mail at the address below. Written comments on the preliminary draft must be received by October 24, 2007.

For information regarding submission of written comments on subsequent drafts of the negotiated rule, and to receive the most recent version of the draft negotiated rule, contact the undersigned.

Dated this 19th day of September, 2007.

Paula J. Wilson Environmental Quality Section Attorney General's Office 1410 N. Hilton Boise, Idaho 83706-1255 (208)373-0418 Fax No. (208)373-0481 paula.wilson@deq.idaho.gov

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

## **Summary of Proposed Rulemakings**

## PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROPOSE OR PROMULGATE NEW OR CHANGED AGENCY RULES

The following agencies of the state of Idaho have published the complete text and all related, pertinent information concerning their intent to change or make the following rules in the new issue of the state Administrative Bulletin.

> The written comment deadline is October 24, 2007, unless otherwise listed. (Temp & Prop) indicates the rule is both temporary and proposed. \*\* Indicates that a public hearing has been scheduled.

#### IDAPA 17 - INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0041

\*\*17-0208-0702, Miscellaneous Provisions. Establishes a medical fee schedule and reimbursement methodology pursuant to Worker's Compensation law for providers, sureties, and employers while maintaining budget neutrality.

#### IDAPA 18 - DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0044

18-0144-0701, Schedule of Fees, Licenses and Miscellaneous Charges. Eliminates discounted fee and returns to the uniform renewal rate of \$80 for adjusters, producers and surplus lines brokers.

18-0150-0701, Adoption of the 2003 International Fire Code. (Temp & Prop) Incorporates by reference the 2006 International fire Code.

18-0153-0701, Continuing Education. Updates procedures to allow licensee to download continuing education (CE) courses and course completion rosters via the Internet so that they are credited prior to the license renewal date; eliminates exemptions to CE and added credits because of a reduction in the CE credit hour requirements from forty to twenty four to meet national uniformity standards.

18-0160-0701, Long-Term Care Insurance Minimum Standards. Clarifies training requirements for insurance producers selling long term care insurance policies that qualify for Idaho's Long Term Care Insurance Partnership Program.

#### IDAPA 19 - STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY 350 North 9th Street, Suite M100, Boise, ID 83702

19-0101-0701, Rules of the State Board of Dentistry. Increases licensure application fees for dentists and dental hygienists and the biennial license fees.

#### IDAPA 20 - DEPARTMENT OF LANDS 954 W Jefferson St. Boise, ID 83720-0050

20-0206-0701, Administration of Idaho's Reforestation Law. Repeal of chapter.

20-0212-0701, Rules of the Community and Urban Forestry Trust Account. Repeal of chapter.

20-0304-0701, Rules Governing the Regulation of Beds, Waters, and Airspace Over Navigable Lakes in the State of Idaho. Increases permit fees; clarifies definitions of commercial and community marinas; allows commercial marinas to have up to 50% private moorage under certain conditions; amends certain hearing processes, specifies floathome standards; authorizes temporary permits; and simplifies enforcement actions.

20.03.17, Rules Governing Leases on State-Owned Submerged Lands and Formerly Submerged Lands. Allows commercial marinas to have some private moorage without permanently encumbering public trust lands and with sufficient protections for the parties involved; specifies what types of rental rates should be used; adds yearly reporting requirements to help determine current market rental rates and to ensure lessees are maintaining proper insurance coverage; provides enforcement remedies and lease cancellations.

#### IDAPA 22 - BOARD OF MEDICINE PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0058

- 22-0101-0701, Rules of the Board of Medicine for the Licensure to Practice Medicine and Surgery and Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in Idaho. Amends existing language relating to the graduates of U.S., Canadian and international medical schools; clarifies post-graduate medical training requirements; augments international medical school requirements; includes definitions; requires lawful presence in the U.S.; broadens fee schedules.
- 22-0102-0701, Rules of the Board of Medicine for the Registration of Externs, Interns, and Residents. Amends registration requirements for students and graduates of medical schools in the U.S., Canada and international medical students and graduates; clarifies medical education requirements; includes definitions; broaden fee schedule.
- **22-0111-0701, Rules for Licensure of Respiratory Therapists and Permitting of Polysomnographers in Idaho.** Amends renewal requirements of current CRT certification, current RRT registration or current registration as a polysomnographic technologist; requires English language proficiency; requires lawful presence in the U.S.; broadens fee schedules.

#### IDAPA 23 - BOARD OF NURSING PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0061

**23-0101-0702, Rules of the Idaho Board of Nursing.** (Temp & Prop) Clarifies that nurses violating the terms of the program for recovering nurses will have their limited licenses summarily suspended, but, when appropriate, a nurse can remain in the program without being referred to the Board for disciplinary proceedings.

#### IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES 1109 Main St., Ste 220, Boise, ID 83702

- **24-0301-0702, Rules of the State Board of Chiropractic Physicians**. Adds scope of practice; clarifies endorsement requirements to consider various timeframes for licensure in another state; increases continuing education requirement to 18 hours effective January 2009 and allows 6 hours of CE through distance learning and home study.
- **24-0401-0701**, **Rules of the Idaho Board of Cosmetology**. Allows degree equivalency in lieu of high school education; defines examination; change references to the exam to allow for a third party examination administrator; deletes deadline date for filing application; changes exam model requirements and eligibility for reexamination; corrects limitation on clinical services from hour requirement to percentage to comply with statute.
- **24-0501-0701, Rules of the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals**. Defines direct supervision and experience; allows consideration of a backflow examination; clarifies education and experience requirements and reinstatement of license; adds provision for continuing education courses approved by specific states; and changes operator-in-training from permit to license.
- **24-0701-0701, Rules of the Idaho State Board of Landscape Architects.** Updates incorporation by reference and Board address; adds an application fee; clarifies the supervision and limitations on the landscape architect-in-training.
- **24-0801-0701, Rules of the State Board of Morticians**. Corrects exam requirements for funeral director; combines funeral and crematory establishment requirements; adds provisions for display of caskets and merchandise to include video, catalogs and electronic depiction.
- **24-0901-0701, Rules of the Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators.** Waives continuing education requirements for first license renewal; clarifies the setting for trainees in the administrators-in-training program.
- 24-1101-0701, Rules of the State Board of Podiatry. Allows for consideration of the national board exam and the

acceptable passing grade; establishes a deadline for pending applications; revises continuing education courses that the board will accept.

24-1401-0701, Rules of the State Board of Social Work Examiners. Clarifies supervision of social workers in state and out of state and supervisor registration requirements; updates exam titles and terminology in public policy and code of professional conduct.

24-1501-0701, Rules of the Idaho Licensing Board of Professional Counselors and Marriage and Family Therapists. Clarifies qualifications for professional counselor license; updates titles of accrediting bodies; clarifies supervision requirements for marriage and family therapists and that interns must be registered prior to commencement of supervised experience; adds license renewal fees for newly created inactive and senior status; clarifies continuing education endorsement and continuing education exemption for inactive status.

24-1601-0701, Rules of the State Board of Denturitry. Limits the length of an internship and creates a standard for advertisements to ensure public safety.

**24-1701-0701, Rules of the Idaho State Board of Acupuncture**. Defines accredited college or university and clarifies requirements for certification per statutory change.

**24-1801-0701**, *Rules of the Real Estate Appraiser Board*. (Temp & Prop) Allows applicants currently working on licensure time to come into compliance with the new federal standards; clarifies continuing education requirements.

**24-2201-0701, Rules of the Idaho State Liquefied Petroleum Gas Safety Board.** Incorporates by reference the 2004 Edition of NFPA 58; adds applicant requirement for certification of general liability insurance; creates a section for general liability insurance requirements per statute; clarifies inspection rules.

**24-2301-0701, Rules Governing the Idaho Board of Speech and Hearing Services.** Clarifies qualifications for Audiologists, Speech-Language Pathologists, Speech-Language Pathologist Aides, Speech-Language Pathologist Assistants, and Hearing Aid Dealer and Fitters; clarifies personal contact by supervisors for provisional permit holders.

\*\*24-2401-0701, Rules of the Board of Naturopathic Medical Examiners. New chapter provides for an application process and fee schedule; allows for renewal of registrations; sets standards for continuing education; defines scope of practice and approved schools and examinations; provides contact information and definitions.

#### IDAPA 26 - DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0065

**26-0120-0701, Rules Governing the Administration of Park and Recreation Areas and Facilities.** Defines capacity of a campsite to include 1 vehicle or RV, or 2 motorcycles, and up to 2 tents; establishes guidance for park staff to appropriately manage increased park use for non-traditional recreational activities.

**26-0130-0701, Idaho Safe Boating Rules.** Addresses unsafe seating while the vessel is underway, and the unsafe operation of a vessel in close proximity to a person in the water.

#### IDAPA 27 - BOARD OF PHARMACY PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0067

#### 27.01.01, Rules of the Idaho State Board of Pharmacy

**27-0101-0703**, (Temp & Prop) Implements the licensing, bonding, and drug pedigree requirements of the Idaho Wholesale Drug Distribution Act, a comprehensive revision of the former wholesale drug distribution laws.

**27-0101-0705**, Establishes procedures for registration for database access for assignment of user accounts, log-in names, and passwords; for confidentiality; for discipline for the unauthorized disclosure or sharing of account information; and for information reports by non-practitioners.

#### IDAPA 28 - DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0094

28-0203-0701, Rules of the Idaho Regional Travel and Convention Grant Program. Updates language and concepts that related to previous changes and advances in technology. It is also necessary to update outdated language

and to bring consistency between rules.

### IDAPA 29 - IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

PO Box 1670, Eagle, ID 83616

29-0101-0701, Rules of Procedure of the Idaho Potato Commission. (Temp & Prop) Updates commission location and contact information.

**29-0102-0701, Rules Governing Payment of Tax and Usage of Certification Marks and Trademarks**. (Temp & Prop) Clarifies IPC tax calculation and reporting method; modernizes packaging rules; and makes trademarks available for marketing purposes.

#### IDAPA 31 - PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0074

31-1201-0701, Systems of Accounts for Public Utilities Regulated by the Idaho Public Utilities Commission. Updates the Code of Federal Regulations incorporation by reference.

31-2101-0701, The Utility Customer Relations Rules. Clarifies that customers and applicants may pay service deposits in 2 equal installments; customer refunds will be credited to future bills unless the customer requests a refund; limits the time period a utility may rebill an undercharged customer to 6 months unless a reasonable person should have known of the inaccurate billing which resulted in the undercharge; utilities must implement procedures designed to identify customers who have been inaccurately billed; defines the term "written notice" to include e-mail when the customer has elected to receive electronic billing; clarifies restrictions when service may be denied or terminated and generally prohibits service termination on Fridays with some exceptions; clarifies that a utility is not required to provide service to an applicant who is not connected at the time of application; provides that a utility is not required to connect service for a customer or applicant who owes money on an existing account or a previous account if the unpaid bill is for service provided within the last 4 years.

31-7102-0701, Railroad Accident Reporting Rules. Repeal of chapter.

31-7103-0701, Railroad Safety/Sanitation Rules. Updates incorporation by reference of the October 1, 2007 edition of the federal hazardous material safety regulations - revisions include: requiring "NON-ODORIZED" marking on certain packages including tank cars containing un-odorized liquid petroleum gas (Part 172); revising the transport requirements for infectious substances and regulated medical waste (Parts 172, 173); and new Internet options for registration and assessment of hazardous materials (Part 107). Consolidates the accident reporting rule into this Chapter to streamline the railroad rules.

#### IDAPA 33 - IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0077

\*\*33-0101-0703, Rules of the Idaho Real Estate Commission. Requires that a notice advising a licensee of his non-compliance with the errors and omissions insurance requirement be sent as first class mail not "certified" mail.

#### IDAPA 35 - STATE TAX COMMISSION P.O. Box 36, Boise, ID 83722-0410

35-0101-0701, Income Tax Administrative Rules. Rule 006: Identifies the MTC Web site for MTC regulations incorporated by reference; indicates the federal forms nonresident alien must file with Idaho return; provides a safe harbor exception to being a resident in Idaho but does not apply to military individuals; adds 2007 income tax brackets and rates table; complies with HB 239 amending Idaho college savings account reporting requirements; Clarifies calculations related to state tax addback and proration of exemptions and deductions of part-year residents and nonresidents that require rounding; addresses issues related to bonus depreciation; changes qualifying entity to qualified investment partnership and identifies the qualifying criteria for nonresidents' income tax liability; new section addresses S corporations; changes rules related to water's edge combined report; clarifies the options for computing ITC on movable property; complies with HB 177 to address tax credit for capital investment in biofuel infrastructure; addresses capital losses and Idaho credits for calculating net operating loss when claiming a refund; changes threshold of employment that triggers recapture for the Idaho small employer new jobs tax credit; deletes obsolete rules.

35.01.02 - Sales Tax Administrative Rules.

35-0102-0603, Amends dates for the schedules to reflect the 6% tax rate.

35-0102-0701, Defines "tax rate" as the current rate in effect and "fleet" to be one or more vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan; states that pumps supplying water to land and buildings will generally be considered fixtures; deletes references to a specific tax rate; states that in most cases store fixtures are to be considered personal property and that cable that must be removed from abandoned buildings is personal property; clarifies that the primary purpose of and primary use of the items purchased by organizations claiming the exemption must be the provision of free dental care to children; incorporates by reference the definition of "trailer" in the Motor Vehicle Code; clarifies effective date of increase in permit fee for amusement devices; clarifies refund claims must state the amount of the refund; includes component parts of snow making and snow grooming equipment as part of exemption for sales; specifies that retailers located in a qualifying shopping center must file a separate return for that location only, restricts release to public sales information from these retailers and requires developer to provide names and tax identification numbers of these retailers.

#### 35.01.03 - Property Tax Administrative Rules

**35-0103-0701**, Implements HB79 by providing a definition and removing new construction within revenue allocation areas from the budget growth formula until the revenue allocation area is dissolved; implements HB1 and HB197 providing directions for calculation of the maximum property tax funds for tort funds for school districts.

35-0103-0702, Updates references to guides used to determine the values of recreational and certain other vehicles; provides follow-up procedures when categories in compliance in March final ratio study are discovered to be out of compliance following completion of county board of equalization action; adopts new criteria to differentiate real and personal property and to provide that net profits of mines are no longer considered personal property; provides for a procedure for calculating the contributory value of income tax credits for Section 42 housing; restricts Commission's responsibility to provide school district adjusted values to apply to the Boise School District only; clarifies what property at thermal energy electricity generation facilities is new construction; correct pipelines mileage reporting directions; provides cross references and directions relating to apportionment of property at thermal energy electricity generation facilities; changes date for county treasurers to submit property tax rate information used to calculate the tax rates applicable to railcar fleets under \$500,000; provides directions for assigning categories for homesites and when property has multiple uses, for assigning improvement categories with multiple uses, and for calculating the value of the portion of property not permitted the religious property exemption; clarifies homeowner's exemption for partial ownership and calculating benefits for partial ownership; provides procedures for county officials and claimants to that claimants are lawfully present in US and require claimant to present information enabling the state tax commission proving his lawful presence in US; restricts budget increase penalty for school districts so that it applies only to their tort funds; provides timeline for state tax commission review and approval, and procedures for correction of taxable values resulting from errors by county commissioners; outlines responsibilities of county auditors in computing total tax charge by taxing district and of county treasurers to compute individual property tax due on each parcel of property; makes corrections and deletes obsolete rules.

#### 35.01.05 - Idaho Motor Fuels Tax Administrative Rules

35-0105-0701, Notifies gaseous fuels distributors that bad debt credit cannot be claimed on or after 12/1/07; requires gaseous fuels distributor to pay fuels taxes and permit fees to Commission; removes a deduction for gallons delivered to Indian-owned retail outlets and adds a deduction for fuel that is subject of an authorized agreement; shows how the 2% allowance is and will be distributed on and after 12/1/07; requires licensed fuels distributor to pay aircraft engine taxes to Commission; removes "cost of collections" in regard to the 2% discount granted to licensed fuel distributors when they pay motor fuels taxes, and to add biodiesel to the list of products subject to the transfer fee.

35-0105-0702, Provides that special fuels tax is included in price of undyed diesel fuel purchased by a consumer and removes references to high-sulfur diesel fuel and add ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel; addresses recent changes concerning refund claims; gives notice to fuel distributors of reinstatement of transfer fee and provide legal requirement and date for reinstatement.

35-0109-0701, Idaho Kitchen and Table Wine Tax Administrative Rules. Changes "wholesaler" to "distributor" and "unfit for beverage purposes" to "unfit for sale."

**35-0110-0701, Idaho Cigarette and Tobacco Tax Administrative Rules.** Defines "person"; changes the word "indicia" to "stamps"; clarifies that only cigarettes can be claimed for a credit in Rule 022.

35-0111-0701, Idaho Unclaimed Property Administrative Rules. "Tax" and "return" in the income tax administrative statutes mean "unclaimed property" and "report of unclaimed property."

**35-0201-0701, Tax Commission Administration and Enforcement Rules**. Removes obsolete references; establishes a formula for calculating yearly interest rate applied to deficiencies of tax and refunds; add the interest rate for calendar year 2008.

#### IDAPA 37 - DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0098

37-0301-0701, Adjudication Rules. Complies with statutory changes and updates outdated citations to Idaho Code; reduces number of claim forms from 2 to 1.

#### IDAPA 38 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0003

38-0101-0701, Other Contested Case or Adversary Hearings Before the Department of Administration. (Temp & Prop) Repeal of chapter.

38-0102-0701, Rules for Hearing Procedure for Division of Purchasing Specification Challenges and Rules for Non-Adversary Hearings. (Temp & Prop) Repeal of chapter.

38-0103-0701, Rules Governing Practice and Procedure for Public Hearings Before the Department of Administration. (Temp & Prop) Repeal of chapter.

**38-0501-0701, Rules of the Division of Purchasing.** (Temp & Prop) References rules applicable to certain appeals; increases small purchase exemption limit and professional services exemption limit, under which agencies can purchase without formal bid process, from \$50,000 to \$75,000; clarifies professional services exemption is for non-renewable contracts; and deletes electronic signature rules.

**38-0502-0701, Rules Governing Contested Case Hearings on Bid Appeals at the Division of Purchasing.** (Temp & Prop) Provides for procedures applying to bid appeals where there is a contested case hearing.

#### IDAPA 39 - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT PO Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129

**39-0260-0701, Rules Governing License Plate Provisions.** Implements the digital license plate program and increases the character capacity from 5 to 6 for specialty plate; extends temporary registration to 45 days for the manufacture and deliver of new plate; allows licensed vehicle dealers to use loaner plates on vehicles in their inventory while they are on loan for civic or charitable events for up to 30 days.

**39-0275-0701, Rules Governing Names on Drivers' Licenses and Identification Cards.** Provides more flexibility in naming standards on driver's licenses and identification cards.

39-0308-0701, Rules Governing Prequalification of Variable Load Suspension Axles and Other Auxiliary Axles. (Temp & Prop) Repeal of chapter.

**39-0310-0701, Rules Governing When an Overlegal Permit Is Required**. (Temp & Prop) Combines the permitting of emergency moves and secondary moves for wreckers removing disabled vehicles; establishes a safer and more reasonable method of setting allowable weight limits on permitted vehicles by using the Department's Route Capacity Map, subject to posted weight restrictions.

**39-0312-0701, Rules Governing Safety Requirements of Overlegal Permits**. (Temp & Prop) Clarifies where the "oversize load" signs should be placed on towing vehicles and pilot/escort vehicles for maximum visibility by other travelers.

**39-0316-0701, Rules Governing Oversize Permits for Non-Reducible Vehicles and/or Loads**. (Temp & Prop) Clarifies that "combinations" hauling overwidth loads are double trailer combinations within the specified legal length limit.

39-0317-0701, Rules Governing Permits for Manufactured Homes, Modular Buildings, and Office Trailers. (Temp & Prop) Allows less restrictive options for connection devices between a manufactured home and the towing

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#### IDAPA 41 - PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICTS

707 N. Armstrong Pl., Boise, ID 83704-0825

41-0401-0701, Public Health District 4 - Costs and Charges. Repeal of chapter.

## IDAPA 54 - OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER

PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0091

**54-0201-0701, Rules Governing the College Savings Program**. Retains in rule only those items required by Title 33, Chapter 54, Idaho Code.

#### THE FOLLOWING TEMPORARY RULE HAS BEEN ADOPTED:

Department of Commerce 28-0304-0701, Rules of the Business and Jobs Development Grant Fund

### NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING MEETINGS ARE BEING HELD ON THE FOLLOWING:

Department of Environmental Quality

58-0101-0703, Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho

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