

**IDAPA 10 – BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND  
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS**

**10.01.02 – RULES OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY**

**DOCKET NO. 10-0102-1701**

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES – NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Section 54-1208, Idaho Code.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:** A public meeting on the negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows:

**Tuesday, January 10, 2017 - 10:00 AM**

**1510 E. Watertower Street, Suite 110  
Meridian, ID 83642**

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

**METHOD OF PARTICIPATION:** Persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking must do the following: attend the meeting and present your views and thoughts on the draft amendments or submit your views and thoughts in writing not later than January 9, 2017.

Upon conclusion of the negotiated rulemaking, any unresolved issues, all key issues considered, and conclusion reached during the negotiated rulemaking will be addressed in a written summary and made available on the agency website.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:** The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principle issues involved:

The draft amendments will clarify that licensed professional engineer's or land surveyor's ethical obligations preclude the submission bids for professional services on public projects per Section 67-2320, Idaho Code. The current rule disallows the submission of bids. The amendment clarifies that licensees include both consultants and sub-consultants.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, OBTAINING DRAFT COPIES:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking or to obtain a preliminary draft copy of the rule text, contact Keith Simila, P.E., (208) 373-7210. Materials pertaining to the negotiated rulemaking, including any available preliminary rule drafts, can be found on the board's web site at the following web address: <http://www.ipels.idaho.gov>.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before January 9, 2017.

DATED this 12th day of October, 2016.

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