

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL COUNCILS AND COMMISSIONS

[R08-150]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 3, Agriculture
Chapter and its heading: 9, Department of Agriculture – Agricultural Councils and Commissions
Article and its heading: 1, Arizona Iceberg Lettuce Research Council; 2, Arizona Grain Research and Promotion Council; 5, Arizona Citrus Research Council
Section numbers: R3-9-101, R3-9-106, R3-9-201, R3-9-202, R3-9-203, R3-9-204, R3-9-205, R3-9-506 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
The Department is amending the following rules:
R3-9-101 Amendments related to AILRC definitions
R3-9-106 Amendments related to AILRC grants
R3-9-201 Amendments related to AGRPC definitions
R3-9-202 Amendments related to AGRPC fees; grain assessments and refunds
R3-9-203 Amendments related to AGRPC hearings
R3-9-204 Amendments related to AGRPC records
R3-9-205 Amendments related to AGRPC grants
R3-9-506 Amendments related to ACRC grants
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 14 A.A.R. 2022, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*)
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 14 A.A.R. 2025, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*)
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 14 A.A.R. 2029, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*)
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
Written comments: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday
Oral comments: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday
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- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
Unknown

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

[R08-155]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 3, Agriculture
Chapter and its heading: 11, Veterinary Medical Examining Board
Article and its heading: 1, General Provisions; 2, Application and Examination for Licensure; 3, Temporary Permittees; 4, Continuing Education Requirements; 5, Standards of Practice; 6, Veterinary Technicians; 7, Veterinary Medical Premises and Equipment
Sections numbers: R3-11-101, R3-11-103, R3-11-107, R3-11-108, Table 1, R3-11-203, R3-11-303, R3-11-401, R3-11-402, R3-11-403, R3-11-501, R3-11-502, R3-11-606, R3-11-607, R3-11-701 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
- 2. Subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The Board is making technical and clarifying changes to its rules. The Board is adding definitions to clarify terms used in the rules. Other changes are being made to the continuing education provisions to clarify the ways continuing education may be obtained, allow for preapproval of continuing education, and require a veterinary technician to submit written documentation of continuing education with a renewal application. The Board is adding requirements on renewal applications that are currently required by the Board. The Board is also clarifying how a veterinary technician student may submit an application before the student graduates.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Not applicable
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
The Board will accept oral and written comments at the location listed above between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, until the close of record. The Board has not scheduled oral proceedings at this time.
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
None

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ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

[R08-154]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 16, Arizona Medical Board
Article and its heading: 2, General Provisions
Sections numbers: R4-16-205 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
- 2. Subject matter of the proposed rules:**
According to A.R.S. § 32-1436, the Board is required to establish nonrefundable fees at its annual fall meeting. The Board is making rules to codify the fees that are currently on its web site at www.azmd.gov and being charged to applicants and licensees. The Board has been charging the fees on its web site since September 2006.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Not applicable
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:**
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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

The Board will continue to accept oral and written comments at the location listed above between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, until the close of record. The Board has not scheduled oral proceedings at this time.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

None

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**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE**

[R08-147]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 6, Economic Security
Chapter and its heading: 3, Department of Economic Security – Unemployment Insurance
Article and its heading: 14, Administration and Enforcement
Section numbers: All sections contained in the above mentioned article. (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)

- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
This rulemaking will amend Title 6, Chapter 3, Article 14 to enable the Department’s Unemployment Insurance program to send Notices to Employers electronically, and to allow employers to respond electronically.

- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking 14 A.A.R. 2032, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*)

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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

Written comments will be accepted during business hours by the person named in item 4, until further notice is provided. The Department has not scheduled oral proceedings at this time.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or action on the proceedings, if known:

None

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
ADMINISTRATION**

[R08-145]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 9, Health Services
Chapter and its heading: 1, Department of Health Services – Administration
Article and its heading: 4, Codes and Standards Referenced
Section numbers: R9-1-411 and R9-1-412 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)

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2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:

The purpose of this rulemaking is to clarify and update the licensing requirements in 9 A.A.C. 1, Article 4 for physical plant health and safety codes and standards. In a separate, related rulemaking, the Department is amending 9 A.A.C. 10, Article 1.

All changes will conform to current rulemaking format and style requirements of the Governor's Regulatory Review Council and the Office of the Secretary of State.

The agency docket number:

RE-009-08

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 14 A.A.R. 2043, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*) for 9 A.A.C. 10, Article 1

4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:

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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

Written comments will be accepted at the addresses listed in item 4 until the close of record, which has not yet been determined. The Department has not scheduled any oral proceedings at this time.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

To be announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS: LICENSING**

[R08-144]

1. Title and its heading:

9, Health Services

Chapter and its heading:

10, Department of Health Services – Health Care Institutions: Licensing

Article and its heading:

1, General

Section numbers:

R9-10-101 and R9-10-104 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)

2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:

The purpose of this rulemaking is to clarify and update the requirements in 9 A.A.C. 10, Article 1 for Department approval of architectural plans and specifications for construction or modification of health care institutions. In a separate, related rulemaking, the Department is amending 9 A.A.C. 1, Article 4.

All changes will conform to current rulemaking format and style requirements of the Governor's Regulatory Review Council and the Office of the Secretary of State.

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The agency docket number:

RE-010-08

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 14 A.A.R. 2042, May 23, 2008 (*in this issue*) for 9 A.A.C. 1, Article 4

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