
NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

This section of the *Arizona Administrative Register* contains Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening.

A docket opening is the first part of the administrative rulemaking process. It is an “announcement” that the agency intends to work on its rules.

When an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking, the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening.

Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process. Many times an agency may file the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening with the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

The Office of the Secretary of State is the filing office and publisher of these notices. Questions about the interpretation of this information should be directed to the agency contact person listed in item #4 of this notice.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION COMMERCIAL PROGRAMS

[R16-85]

1. **Title and its heading:** 17, Transportation
Chapter and its heading: 5, Department of Transportation – Commercial Programs
Article and its heading: 4, Dealers
Section numbers: R17-5-401 through R17-5-408 (*Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.*)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rules:**

The Department is initiating this rulemaking on motor vehicle dealers to update the rules to be consistent with other Department rules and statutes. The rulemaking is also in response to a five-year review report to the Governor’s Regulatory Review Council. Rule changes may include necessary revisions to comply with the format and style requirements of the Governor’s Regulatory Review Council and the Office of the Secretary of State. The Department may add, delete, or modify the rule Sections as needed to make these changes.
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**

None
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:**

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Please visit the ADOT web site to track the progress of this rule and any other agency rulemaking matters at <http://www.azdot.gov/docs/default-source/libraries/current-rulemaking-activity.pdf?sfvrsn=10>.
5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**

Written comments may be submitted at any time prior to the close of the public record, which has not yet been established. Oral comments may be made during regular business hours. All comments should be directed to the agency representative listed under item 4. The Department has not scheduled an oral proceeding at this time.
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**

To be determined