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Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated October 2002.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. In s. Trans 135.02 (intro.), the reference should be to “s. 110.20 (1), Stats.” Subsection (6) can be shortened as follows: ““School bus company” means a company that owns or leases one or more school buses that are used exclusively or primarily to transport elementary, middle or high school students to and from their schools on a routine basis throughout the school year.”

b. In s. Trans 135.03 (2), second sentence, “the” should be substituted for “such.”

c. In s. Trans 135.05 (2) (intro.), “specify all of the following:” should be substituted for “address the following criteria:”. In sub. (2) (f), “the” should be inserted before “vendors.”

d. In s. Trans 135.06 (4) (a), second sentence, “After that date,” should be substituted for “Thereafter.” In sub. (5), third sentence, the reference should be to “sub. (6)” and not to “s. Trans 135.06 (3).” In the last sentence, “Grants may not be used” should be substituted for “Under no circumstances shall grants be used” and “if the” should be substituted for “when such.” Subsection (6) should be rewritten as follows: “Grant applicants unable to install the diesel oxidation catalysts may request, and may receive, a grant sufficient to pay for both purchase and installation of the catalysts. Applicants under this subsection shall provide sufficient explanation of their inability to install the catalysts.” In sub. (7) (a) (intro.), “comply with all of the following” should be inserted before the colon. In par. (a) 2., “as a school bus” should be inserted after “capacity.” In sub. (7), is there a time period within or a specific date by which the grant recipient is to report this information?

4. Adequacy of References to Related Statutes, Rules and Forms

In s. Trans 135.03 (1), last line, there is no “s. 135.04 (1), Stats.” It appears that the correct cite is s. Trans 135.04 (1). However, it would be clearer just to cite s. 20.395 (5) (hq), Stats.