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## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RULES CLEARINGHOUSE

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### CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 07-050

#### 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 January 2005.]**

#### **1. Statutory Authority**

In s. CB 2.01, the department should include a reference to s. 440.905, Stats.

#### **2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code**

In the introductory clause of the rule-making order, the department should place a comma after the phrase “chs. CB 1 and 2”.

#### **3. Conflict With or Duplication of Existing Rules**

In the plain language section of the rule analysis, the department states that chs. CB 1 and 2 substantively mirror chs. RL 50 and 51. Should the department note that s. CB 2.02 has a filing deadline of March 1, instead of the April 1 filing deadline specified in s. RL 51.02?

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

a. In the comparison with rules in adjacent states section of the rule analysis, the department should cite: [www.ioc.state.il.us/office/ccbt/](http://www.ioc.state.il.us/office/ccbt/) as the source of information regarding cemetery regulation in Illinois.

b. In the comparison with rules in adjacent states section of the rule analysis, the department should provide a more specific reference to the Minnesota statutes that impose requirements for cemeteries. Generally, information on Minnesota statutes relating to cemeteries may be viewed at: [http://ros.leg.mn/data/revisor/statutes\\_index/current/C/CE/cemeteries.html](http://ros.leg.mn/data/revisor/statutes_index/current/C/CE/cemeteries.html).

c. In the comparison with rules in adjacent states section of the rule analysis, should the department note that Iowa classifies cemeteries as a “regulated industry” for purposes of regulation by the Iowa Insurance Commissioner’s Office or provide additional directions to reach information on cemetery regulation?

d. In s. CB 2.01, the department cites ss. 157.62 (2) and (7), 157.63, and 440.92 (6) (k), Stats. In the rule analysis, should the department refer to these sections as providing statutory authority?