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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 12-043

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated November 2011.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

In the introductory clause, the phrase “and affecting small business” should be included at the end of the relating clause. [s. 1.02 (1) (c), Manual.]

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

In s. ATCP 1.41 (2), “s.” should be inserted before “895.59 (1) (b), Stats.”. [s. 1.07 (2), Manual.]

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

In s. ATCP 1.41 (1), it would be clearer and more consistent with the terminology in both s. 227.04 (2) (b), Stats., and s. ATCP 1.42, if “regulation” were replaced with “rule”. In addition, in s. ATCP 1.41 (1), “that is not serious” should be replaced with “that is not a serious violation”.