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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

a. In several sections of the proposed rule, the department defines “nonferrous metallic mineral” to include “iron (excluding iron oxide)”. Since this portion of the definition departs significantly from the plain language definition of “nonferrous”, the department may wish to add a note or more clearly explain the extent to which iron compounds are included in the definition of “nonferrous metallic mineral”. Additionally, the present reference to the exclusion of iron oxide should be revised to eliminate the parentheses. [s. 1.01 (6), Manual.]

b. In SECTION 26, “NR 182.04 (30m)” should not be underscored. [s. 1.06 (1) (b), Manual.]

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

a. In SECTION 49, a space should appear between “NR” and “182” in the underscored material.

b. In SECTION 52, does the underscore mark between “131” and “or” indicate a new space to be inserted in the administrative code? If not, the existing space in the rule text should be indicated without an underscore.