Report From Agency

FINAL REPORT CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 15-012 CHAPTER PI 45

Changes As A Result of 2013 Wisconsin Act 115

Analysis by the Department of Public Instruction

Statutory authority: ss. 118.134 and 227.11(2)(a)(intro), Stats.

Statute interpreted: s. 118.134, Stats.

The basis and purpose of the proposed rule, including how the proposed rule advances relevant statutory goals or purpose:

This proposed rule change will align PI 45 with the statutory changes made as a result of 2013 Wisconsin Act 115. Any other changes to PI 45 that are needed to align PI 45 with current statutes will also be made.

A list of the persons who appeared or registered for or against the proposed rule at a public hearing:

Under s. 227.16(2)(b), Stats., public hearings were not required because rule changes were brought into conformity with changes to 118.134.

Summary of public comments relative to the rule, the agency's response to those comments, and changes made as a result of those comments:

No public hearing was held and no comments were received.

Changes to the plain language analysis or the fiscal estimate:

No changes were made.

Responses to Clearinghouse Report:

In response to the comments in the Clearinghouse Report, the Department made the following changes:

- Eliminated the definition of the term "agreement" in s. PI 45.02.
- Replaced "10 days" in s. PI 45.03 (3) with "10 business days" to be consistent with s. 118.134 (1m) (a) (intro.), Stats.
- Replaced "this provision" in s. PI 45.01 (2) with "s. 118.134, Stats.".
- In s. PI 45.02, definitions with statutory references are modified to read as follows: "[Term] has the meaning given in s. _____, Stats."