

**Chapter PB 4****INVESTIGATIONS**

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**PB 4.01 Scope of investigatory power.** The board may make investigations and hold hearings on its own motion or at the request of interested persons and issue recommendations concerning all matters touching the enforcement and effect of subchapter II of chapter 16, Wis. Stats., and rules promulgated thereunder. If the results of an investigation disclose that the director, appointing authority or any other person acted illegally or to circumvent the intent and spirit of the law the board may issue an enforceable order to remand the action to the director or appointing authority for appropriate action within the law.

**History:** Cr. Register, June, 1976, No. 246, eff. 7-1-76.

**PB 4.02 Requests for investigations.** Requests for investigations shall be in writing and shall identify the agency or person sought to be investigated, the matter sought to be investigated, and the reason for the request. Requests shall be filed at the board office, One West Wilson Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53702.

**History:** Cr. Register, June, 1976, No. 246, eff. 7-1-76.

**PB 4.03 Conduct of investigations.** The board may utilize any formal or informal means of investigation, including such means as interviews, requests for data or other information, and hearings. Prior to initiating an investigation, the board may request that the appropriate agency or person respond in writing or otherwise to a request for an investigation.