



NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

This section of the *Arizona Administrative Register* contains Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening.

A docket opening is the first part of the administrative rulemaking process. It is an “announcement” that the agency intends to work on its rules.

When an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking, the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening.

Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process. Many times an agency may file the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening with the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

The Office of the Secretary of State is the filing office and publisher of these notices. Questions about the interpretation of this information should be directed to the agency contact person listed in item #4 of this notice.

**NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD**

[R21-159]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 2, Administration
- Chapter and its heading:** 8, State Retirement System Board
- Article and its heading:** 4, Practice and Procedure Before the Board
- Section numbers:** R2-8-401, R2-8-403, R2-8-406 (*Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.*)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The ASRS needs to amend its rules relating to appeals in order to provide notice to the public of how a member may appeal a health insurance issue under a self-insured program. These rules will further clarify the appeals process, but the rules do not impose any additional requirements or burdens on members.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 27 A.A.R. 1565, October 1, 2021 (*in this issue*)
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rulemaking:**
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- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
The Board will accept comments during business hours at the address listed in item 4. Information regarding an oral proceeding is included in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
To be determined.

**NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD**

[R21-161]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 13, Public Safety
- Chapter and its heading:** 4, Peace Officer Standards and Training Board
- Article and its heading:** 1, General Provisions
2, Correctional Officers
- Section numbers:** R13-4-101, R13-4-103 through R13-4-106, R13-4-110, R13-4-111, R13-4-114, R13-4-116 through R13-4-118, and R13-4-201 through R13-4-203
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
Consistent with issues identified in the Board’s five-year-review report approved by the Council on June 1, 2021, the Board is making the following minor changes:
 - Clarify that “denial” of certification may be temporary or permanent;
 - Remove “limited authority” as a class of peace officer certification;
 - Change the term “outside provider” to “vendor” when referring to entities allowed to conduct continuing training;
 - Clarify the documentation necessary to show an individual attended a private high school;