

Notice of Agency Rulemaking Proposal

AGENCY: Board of Licensure of Water System Operators

CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE: 90-429 C.M.R. Ch. 1 Water System Operators Licensing Rule

PROPOSED RULE NUMBER *(leave blank; to be assigned by Secretary of State):*

BRIEF SUMMARY: This proposed amendment will eliminate the requirement for applications to be notarized before submission, establish a mechanism for the Board to address rule violations that do not rise to the level of revocation or suspension, and eliminate the “grace period” for license renewal.

Date, time and location of PUBLIC HEARING *(if any):* January 19, 2018; 9 a.m.; Maine Public Utilities Commission, 101 Second St., Hallowell, ME.

COMMENT DEADLINE: January 29, 2018.

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CONTACT PERSON FOR SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT *(if different):*

FINANCIAL IMPACT ON MUNICIPALITIES OR COUNTIES *(if any):*

There is no anticipated financial impact on municipalities or counties.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR THIS RULE: 22 M.R.S. Ch. 601 §2628.

SUBSTANTIVE STATE OR FEDERAL LAW BEING IMPLEMENTED *(if different):*

AGENCY WEBSITE: <http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/environmental-health/dwp/professionals/waterOperators.shtml>

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