

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

[R05-148]

1. **Title and its heading:** 2, Administration
Chapter and its heading: 8, State Retirement System Board
Article and its heading: 6, Public Participation in Rulemaking
Section numbers: R2-8-601 through R2-8-605 (The Department may add, delete, or modify additional Sections as necessary.)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The purpose of this rulemaking is to provide the public with the procedure for participating in the rulemaking process. The rules will:
 1. Identify the location of and time for viewing the rulemaking record,
 2. Specify the procedure for an individual to:
 - a. Provide written criticism of a rule;
 - b. Petition to make a rule;
 - c. Request to view a rule, agency practice, or substantive policy statement;
 - d. Request an oral proceeding; and
 - e. Petition for a delayed effective date; and
 3. Specify how the presiding officer shall conduct an oral proceeding.
3. **The agency docket number, if applicable:**
2005-02
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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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 Department will accept written comments at the location listed in item #4 until the close of record, which has not yet been determined. The Department has not scheduled any oral proceedings at this time.
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
To be announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
LUXURY TAX SECTION

[R05-144]

1. **Title and its heading:** 15, Revenue
- Chapter and its heading:** 3, Department of Revenue – Luxury Tax Section
- Article and its heading:** 3, Tobacco
- Section numbers:** R15-3-317 and R15-3-318 (The Department may add, delete, or modify additional Sections as necessary.)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The rules provide guidance on categories of tax stamps and proper stamp affixation by cigarette distributors licensed by the Department.
- The agency docket number, if applicable:**
05-3-01
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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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:**
To be published in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
None