

# JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

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## MINUTES

August 13, 2019

### MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The Joint Committee on Administrative Rules met on Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. in Room C600 of the Michael A. Bilandic Building, Chicago IL. Co-Chair Wheeler called the meeting to order and announced that the policy of the Committee is to allow only representatives of State agencies to testify orally on any rule under consideration at Committee meetings. Other persons are encouraged to submit their comments to the JCAR office in writing.

### ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

X Senator Don Harmon	X Representative Tom Demmer
X Senator Kimberly Lightford	X Representative Mike Halpin
X Senator Tony Muñoz	X Representative Frances Hurley
X Senator Sue Rezin	X Representative Steven Reick
X Senator Paul Schimpf	Representative André Thapedi
X Senator Chuck Weaver	X Representative Keith Wheeler

### APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE JULY 16, 2019 MEETING

Co-Chair Harmon moved, seconded by Rep. Demmer, that the minutes of the July 16, 2019 meeting be approved. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

### REVIEW OF AGENCY RULEMAKINGS

*Department of Insurance – Managed Care Reform & Patient Rights (50 Ill. Adm. Code 4520; 42 Ill. Reg. 17521) and Health Carrier External Review (50 Ill. Adm. Code 4530; 42 Ill. Reg. 20226)*

Rep. Halpin moved, seconded by Sen. Rezin, that JCAR, with concurrence of the Department of Insurance, extend the 2<sup>nd</sup> Notice period for these rulemakings for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

### AGENCY RESPONSES

*Environmental Protection Agency – Clean Air Act Permit Program Procedures (35 Ill. Adm. Code 270; 43 Ill. Reg. 1456)*

***Department of Insurance – Workers' Compensation Electronic and Standardized Paper Billing (50 Ill. Adm. Code 2908; 43 Ill. Reg. 960)***

Due to the appropriateness of the agencies' responses, no further action was taken.

**EXPEDITED CORRECTIONS**

***Department of Employment Services – Payment of Unemployment Contributions, Interest and Penalties (56 Ill. Adm. Code 2765; 43 Ill. Reg. 4359)***

Rep. Hurley moved, seconded by Sen. Lightford, that JCAR certify the Expedited Correction effective 1/15/19. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

***Department of Financial and Professional Regulation – Nurse Practice Act (68 Ill. Adm. Code 1300; 43 Ill. Reg. 7911)***

Rep. Demmer moved, seconded by Sen. Schimpf, that JCAR Issue a Certificate of Failure to Meet the Requirements of Section 5-85(b) of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

**CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RULEMAKINGS**

***Department of Natural Resources – The Illinois Oil and Gas Act (62 Ill. Adm. Code 240; 43 Ill. Reg. 6113)***

John Fisher, Legal Counsel, represented DNR and confirmed that DNR would concur in an Extension on this rulemaking. Sen. Harmon moved, seconded by Sen. Muñoz, that JCAR, with the concurrence of DNR, extend the 2<sup>nd</sup> notice period for this rulemaking for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

***Illinois Racing Board – Illinois Racing Board (11 Ill. Adm. Code 200; 43 Ill. Reg. 5189)***

Rep. Reick moved, seconded by Sen. Lightford, that JCAR recommend that the Board be more timely in implementing new statute. The statute requiring the Board to appoint a Director of Inter-track and Simulcast Wagering was enacted in 1983. Additionally, if the Board believes it to be advisable that this position be merged with that of the State Director of Mutuels, it should request a change in the statute that currently requires the Board to fill 2 separate positions. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

**CERTIFICATION OF NO OBJECTION**

Sen. Rezin moved, seconded by Rep. Hurley, that the Committee inform the agencies to whose rulemakings the Committee has not voted an Objection or Extension, or did not remove from the No Objection List, that the Committee considered their respective rulemakings at the monthly meeting and, based upon the Agreements for modification of the rulemaking made by the agency, no Objections will be issued. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF SEPTEMBER MEETING DATE**

Co-Chair Wheeler announced that the next JCAR meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 17, 2019, in Room C600 of the Michael A. Bilandic Building, Chicago IL at 11:00 a.m.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Co-Chair Harmon moved, seconded by Rep. Demmer, that the meeting stand adjourned. The motion passed unanimously (11-0-0).

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