

Notice of Proposed Rule

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**Division of Elections**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

1S-9.001: Purpose

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rule, last amended in 1994, is no longer needed because its relevant provisions are already incorporated in statute. *See* §101.733(3), Fla. Stat.

SUMMARY: This rule is being repealed because all relevant content is covered by section 101.733(3), Florida Statutes.

**SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:**

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: Legislative ratification will not be required pursuant to Section 120.541(3), F.S. Based on a SERC checklist prepared by the agency, this rule will not have an adverse effect on businesses or private-sector economic growth, job-creation, employment or investment; nor will it increase regulatory costs in excess of the threshold mandating legislative ratification. No other statute requires legislative ratification for this rule.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 101.733(3), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 101.733(3), FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: July 27, 2017 at 1 p.m.

PLACE: Room 307, R.A. Gray Building, 500 S. Bronough Street, Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Lydia Atkinson at [Lydia.atkinson@dos.myflorida.com](mailto:Lydia.atkinson@dos.myflorida.com) or (850)245-6536. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Lydia Atkinson, Assistant General Counsel, at [Lydia.Atkinson@dos.myflorida.com](mailto:Lydia.Atkinson@dos.myflorida.com) or (850) 245-6536.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

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*Specific Authority 101.733(3) FS. Law Implemented 101.733(3) FS., History– New 3-13-94, Repealed \_\_\_\_\_.*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Lydia Atkinson, Assistant General Counsel

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Kenneth W. Detzner

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: June 6, 2017.