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Tony Evers, Governor Dan Hereth, Secretary

# HYBRID (IN-PERSON/VIRTUAL) MEETING REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNER SECTION EXAMINING BOARD OF ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, DESIGNERS, PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS, AND REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS

Room N208, 4822 Madison Yards Way, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Madison Contact: Adam Barr (608) 266-2112 January 10, 2023

The following agenda describes the issues that the Section plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a record of the actions of the Section. Be advised that section members may attend meetings designated as "Hybrid" in-person or virtually.

#### **AGENDA**

#### 9:00 A.M.

### OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

- A. Adoption of Agenda (1-3)
- **B.** Welcome and Introductions
- C. Conflicts of Interest, Scheduling Concerns
- D. Administrative Matters Discussion and Consideration
  - 1. Department, Staff and Board Updates
  - 2. 2023 Meeting Dates **(4)**
  - 3. Annual Policy Review (5-8)
  - 4. Election of Officers, Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates, Delegation of Authorities (9-12)
  - 5. Section Members Term Expiration Dates
    - a) Destree, Melissa M. 7/1/2025
    - b) Phillips, Jennifer L. -7/1/2024
    - c) Schade Stroik, Laura 7/1/2024
    - d) Stroebel, Robin -7/1/2026
    - e) Uselmann, Corissa D. 7/1/2024
- E. Open Meetings Law and Ethics Overview Discussion and Consideration
- F. Legislation and Policy Matters Discussion and Consideration
- G. Administrative Rule Matters Discussion and Consideration (13)
  - 1. Scope Statement: A-E 1 to 15, Relating to Registered Interior Designers (14-15)

- 2. Discussion: Rulemaking Process for Permanent Rules (16)
- 3. Pending and Possible Rulemaking Projects (17-18)

### H. Future Meeting Dates and Availability – Discussion and Consideration

- I. COVID-19 Discussion and Consideration
- J) Discussion and Consideration of Items Added After Preparation of Agenda:
  - 1. Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
  - 2. Administrative Matters
  - 3. Election of Officers
  - 4. Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates
  - 5. Delegation of Authorities
  - 6. Education and Examination Matters
  - 7. Credentialing Matters
  - 8. Practice Matters
  - 9. Legislative and Policy Matters
  - 10. Administrative Rule Matters
  - 11. Liaison Reports
  - 12. Board Liaison Training and Appointment of Mentors
  - 13. Informational Items
  - 14. Division of Legal Services and Compliance (DLSC) Matters
  - 15. Presentations of Petitions for Summary Suspension
  - 16. Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
  - 17. Presentation of Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders
  - 18. Presentation of Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
  - 19. Presentation of Interim Orders
  - 20. Petitions for Re-Hearing
  - 21. Petitions for Assessments
  - 22. Petitions to Vacate Orders
  - 23. Requests for Disciplinary Proceeding Presentations
  - 24. Motions
  - 25. Petitions
  - 26. Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
  - 27. Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports

### **K)** Public Comments

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING: APRIL 18, 2023** 

MEETINGS AND HEARINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, AND MAY BE CANCELLED WITHOUT NOTICE.

Times listed for meeting items are approximate and depend on the length of discussion and voting. All meetings are held virtually unless otherwise indicated. In-person meetings are typically conducted at 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison, Wisconsin, unless an alternative location is listed on the meeting notice. In order to confirm a meeting or to request a complete copy of the board's agenda, please visit the Department website at https://dsps.wi.gov. The board may also consider materials or items filed after the transmission of this notice. Times listed for the commencement of

disciplinary hearings may be changed by the examiner for the convenience of the parties. Requests for interpreters for the hard of hearing, or other accommodations, are considered upon request by contacting the Affirmative Action Officer, or reach the Meeting Staff by calling 608-267-7213.

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### **Timeline of a Meeting**

**8 business days prior to the meeting:** All agenda materials are due to the Department by 12:00 pm, 8 business days prior to the meeting date.

**7 business days prior to the meeting:** The draft agenda page is due to the Executive Director. The Executive Director transmits to the Chair for review and approval.

**5 business days prior to the meeting:** The approved agenda is returned to the Bureau Assistant for agenda packet production and compilation.

**4 business days prior to the meeting:** Agenda packets are posted on the DSPS Board SharePoint site and on the Department website.

### **Agenda Item Examples:**

- o Approval of the Agenda and Minutes (from the last meeting)
- Open Session Items
  - Public Hearings (on Admin Rules)
  - Administrative Matters
  - Legislation and Policy Matters
  - Administrative Rules Matters
  - Credentialing Matters
  - Education and Exam Issues
  - Public Agenda Requests
  - Current Issues Affecting the Profession
  - Public Comments
- Closed Session items
  - Deliberations on Proposed Disciplinary Actions
    - Stipulations
    - Administrative Warnings
    - Case Closings
    - Monitoring Matters
    - Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) Issues
  - Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
  - Orders Fixing Costs/Matters Relating to Costs
  - Credentialing Matters
  - Education and Exam Issues

Thursday of the Week Prior to the Meeting: Agendas are published for public notice on the Public Notices and Meeting Minutes website: publicmeetings.wi.gov.

**1 business day after the Meeting:** "Action" lists are distributed by staff detailing board actions on closed session business.

**5 business days after the Meeting:** "To Do" lists are distributed to staff to ensure that board decisions are acted on and/or implemented within the appropriate divisions in the Department. Minutes approved by the board are published on the Public Notices and Meeting Minutes website: **publicmeetings.wi.gov**.

### Department of Safety and Professional Services

### PER DIEM REPORT

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Claimant records board-related activities by entering the date of an activity, the duration of time spent in that activity, the relevant purpose code (see purpose code descriptions below), where the activity is conducted, and the type of activity performed. Only one (1) \$25.00 per diem payment can be issued on any given calendar day.

### **Purpose Codes:**

- A. Official meetings including video/teleconference calls (automatic day of per diem): i.e., board, committee, board training or screening panels; Hearings, i.e., Senate Confirmation, legislative, disciplinary or informal settlement conferences; Examinations and Test Development Sessions, i.e., test administration, test review or analysis events, national testing events, tour of test facilities, etc.)
- **B.** Other (One (1) per diem will be issued for every five (5) hours spent in category B, per calendar month): i.e., review of disciplinary cases, consultation on cases, review of meeting materials, board liaison work e.g., contacts regarding Monitoring, Professional Assistance Procedure, Credentialing, Education and Examinations

NAME OF EXAMINING BOARD OR COUNCIL					BOARD OR COUNCIL MEMBER'S NAME		
EXAMPLE EXAMINING BOARD				MARY SUNSHINE			
Activity Date	Duration of Activity	Purpose Code	Where Performe	d	Activity		
MM/DD/YY	Hours/Minutes	A or B	City/Location (Home, Work, DSPS)		Describe Activity Performed (see purpose codes)		
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12/3/20	2 hr / 30 mins	В	Pleasant Prairie/Ho	me	Review of screening panel materials		
12/10/20	1 hr	A	Pleasant Prairie/Hom		Screening Panel Meeting - Teleconference		
12/12/20	1 hr / 30 mins	В	Pleasant Prairie/Ho		Case consultation		
12/13/20	1 hr	В	Pleasant Prairie/Ho	me	Liaison: Application Review		
12/16/20	6 hrs	A	Madison/DSPS		Board Member Training		
					The 5-hour rule applies to "B" code activities. Add the 'B' codes within the calendar month and then divide by five (5) hours to calculate your per diem payment. In this case the total is seven (7) hours which equals one (1) day of per diem.  Each 'A' code is an automatic day of per diem regardless of time spent in that activity. Ms.  Sunshine is eligible for two (2) additional days of payment.		
					Department staff completes the fields titled "Total Days Claimed".		
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The undersigned certifies, in accordance with § 16.53, Wis. Stats., that this account for per diem, is just and correct; and that this claim is for service necessarily incurred in the performance of duties required by the State, as authorized by law.			and correct; and that in the performance of				
Mary Sun			1/4/2021				
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To be completed by Department staff: TOTAL DAYS CLAIMED: \_\_\_\_3 @ \$25.00 = \_\_\_75.00

(Rev. 07/17)

\*Item billed directly to the state agency

**Sub-Totals** 

#### Claimant's Statement § 16.53 Wisconsin Statutes

Date

I declare, under penalties, that all claimed travel expenses are true and correct and are in conformity with Wisconsin statute 16.53 and related agreements. This claim represents reasonable and actual expenses necessarily incurred by me personally in the performance of official duties and no portion was previously reimbursed to me by the State or any other source.

Date \_\_\_\_\_\_ Claimant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ sufficient funds are a locatify that this travel claim is reasonable, proper, and in conformity with applicable \_\_\_\_\_\_

I certify that this travel claim is reasonable, proper, and in conformity with applicable statutes, travel schedule amounts, and/or collective bargaining agreements.

Supervisor's Signature \_

I certify that all expenses on this voucher conform to statutory, departmental or applicable collective bargaining provisions, and were necessary in the official performance of duties required by the State Expenditures are determined to be reasonable and proper, and that sufficient funds are available to pay this claim.

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**Net Amount Due** 

**Less Travel Advance** 

**Totals** 

Agency Head or Authorized Representative

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\_ Audited in accordance with S. 16.53 Wisconsin Statutes and allowed by the provisions of chapter 20.

0.510 cents/mile

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### **Roles and Authorities Delegated for Monitoring**

The Monitoring Liaison ("Liaison") is a Board/Section designee who works with department monitors ("Monitor") to enforce Board/Section orders as explained below.

### **Authorities Delegated to the Monitoring Liaison**

The Liaison may take the following actions on behalf of the Board/Section:

- 1. Grant a temporary reduction in random drug screen frequency upon Respondent's request if he/she is unemployed and is otherwise compliant with Board/Section order. The temporary reduction will be in effect until Respondent secures employment in the profession. The Department Monitor ("Monitor") will draft an order and sign on behalf of the Liaison.
- 2. Grant a stay of suspension if Respondent is eligible per the Board/Section order. The Monitor will draft an order and sign on behalf of the Liaison.
- 3. Remove the stay of suspension if there are repeated violations or a substantial violation of the Board/Section order. In conjunction with removal of any stay of suspension, the Liaison may prohibit Respondent from seeking reinstatement of the stay for a specified period of time. The Monitor will draft an order and sign on behalf of the Liaison.
- 4. Grant or deny approval when Respondent proposes continuing/disciplinary/remedial education courses, treatment providers, mentors, supervisors, change of employment, etc. unless the order specifically requires full-Board/Section approval.
- 5. Grant a maximum of <u>one 90-day extension</u>, if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent, to complete Board/Section-ordered continuing/disciplinary/remedial education.
- 6. Grant a maximum of one extension or payment plan for proceeding costs and/or forfeitures if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent.
- 7. Grant a maximum of one extension, if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent, to complete a Board/Section-ordered evaluation or exam.
- 5. Grant full reinstatement of licensure if Respondent has fully complied with all terms of the order without deviation. The Monitor will draft an order and obtain written authorization from the Liaison to sign on their behalf.
- 6. Grant or deny a request to appear before the Board/Section in closed session.
- 7. The Liaison may determine whether Respondent's petition is eligible for consideration by the full Board/Section.
- 8. (Except Pharmacy and Medical) Accept Respondent's written request to surrender credential. If accepted by the Liaison, Monitor will consult with Board Counsel to determine if a stipulation is necessary. If a stipulation is not necessary, Monitor will draft an order and sign on behalf of the Liaison. If denied by the Liaison, the request to surrender credential will go to the full Board for review.

- 9. Grant Respondent's petition for a reduction in drug screens per the standard schedule, below. If approved, Monitor will draft an order and sign on behalf of the Liaison. Orders that do not start at 49 screens will still follow the same standard schedule.
  - a. Initial: 49 screens (including 1 hair test, if required by original order)
  - b. 1st Reduction: 36 screens (plus 1 hair test, if required by original order)
  - c. 2<sup>nd</sup> Reduction: 28 screens plus 1 hair test
  - d. 3<sup>rd</sup> Reduction: 14 screens plus 1 hair test
- 10. (Dentistry only) Ability to approve or deny all requests from a respondent.
- 11. The Liaison may approve or deny Respondent's request to be excused from drug and alcohol testing for work, travel, etc.

### **Authorities Delegated to the Department Monitor**

The Monitor may take the following actions on behalf of the Board/Section, draft an order and sign:

- 1. Grant full reinstatement of licensure if education is the <u>sole condition</u> of the limitation and Respondent has submitted the required proof of completion for approved courses.
- 2. Suspend the license if Respondent has not completed Board/Section-ordered education and/or paid costs and forfeitures within the time specified by the Board/Section order. The Monitor may remove the suspension and issue an order when proof of completion and/or payment have been received.
- 3. Suspend the license (or remove stay of suspension) if Respondent fails to enroll and participate in an Approved Program for drug and alcohol testing within 30 days of the order, or if Respondent ceases participation in the Approved Program without Board approval. This delegated authority only pertains to respondents who must comply with drug and/or alcohol testing requirements.
- 4. Grant or deny approval when Respondent proposes treatment providers [, mentors, supervisors, etc.] unless the Order specifically requires full-Board/Section or Board designee approval.
- 5. Grant a maximum of one <u>90-day extension</u>, if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent, to complete Board/Section-ordered continuing/disciplinary/remedial education.
- 6. Grant a maximum of one <u>90-day extension</u> or payment plan for proceeding costs and/or forfeitures if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent.
- 7. Grant a maximum of one <u>90-day extension</u>, if warranted and requested in writing by Respondent, to complete a Board/Section-ordered evaluation or exam.

### **Authorities Delegated to Board Legal Counsel**

Board Legal Counsel may take the following actions on behalf of the Board/Section:

1. Sign Monitoring orders that result from Board/Section meetings on behalf of the Board/Section Chair.

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### STATEMENT OF SCOPE

### REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNER SECTION

Rule No.:	A-E 1 to 15
Relating to:	Registered Interior Designers
Rule Type:	Permanent

1. Finding/nature of emergency (Emergency Rule only):

N/A

2. Detailed description of the objective of the proposed rule:

The objective of the proposed rules is to implement the statutory changes from 2021 Wisconsin Act 195.

3. Description of the existing policies relevant to the rule, new policies proposed to be included in the rule, and an analysis of policy alternatives:

Wisconsin Administrative Code Chapter SPS 130 currently outlines requirements for Registered Interior Designers. The authority for the rules in SPS 130 was removed and transferred to the newly created Registered Interior Designers Section of the Examining board of architects, landscape architects, professional engineers, designers, professional land surveyors, and registered interior designers by 2021 Wisconsin Act 195. If new rules are not implemented as a result of this statute change, the practice of Registered Interior Designers will remain out of compliance with current state statute and may adversely affect the ability of Registered Interior Designers to practice in Wisconsin.

4. Detailed explanation of statutory authority for the rule (including the statutory citation and language):

Section 15.08 (5) (b) states that "[each examining board] "[s]hall promulgate rules for its own guidance and for the guidance of the trade or profession to which it pertains, and define and enforce professional conduct and unethical practices not inconsistent with the law relating to the particular trade or profession."

Section 443.015 (1) states that "[e]ach section of the examining board may establish continuing education requirements for renewal of a credential issued by that section under this chapter."

Section 443.015 (1m) (a) 1. states that "

- 1. Each section of the examining board shall promulgate rules to do all of the following:
  - **a.** Allow the holder of a credential under this chapter who is at least 65 years of age or has actively maintained that credential for at least 20 years, which need not be consecutive, and who certifies that he or she has retired from and no longer engages in the practice for which he or she holds the credential to apply to the board to classify that credential as retired status.
  - **b.** Allow an individual who previously held a credential under this chapter, and failed to renew that credential prior to the renewal date, to apply to the board to renew the credential with retired status if the individual is at least 65 years of age or had actively maintained that credential for at least 20 years, which need not be consecutive, certifies that he or she has retired from and no longer engages in the practice for which he or she previously held the credential, and pays the

fee under par. (d). Section 440.08 (3) (a) and (b) does not apply to the renewal of such a credential.

**c.** Allow the holder of a credential classified as retired status as described under subd. 1. a. or b. to apply to the appropriate section of the examining board to remove the retired status classification if he or she satisfies reinstatement requirements established by the appropriate section of the examining board by rule."

Section 443.015 (2) states that "[e]ach section of the examining board may promulgate rules governing the professional conduct of individuals, firms, partnerships, and corporations registered, permitted, certified, or granted a certificate of authorization by that section."

Section 443.17 (2) (a) states that "[t]he registered interior designer section of the examining board shall promulgate rules establishing specifications for seals and stamps used by Wisconsin registered interior designers."

5. Estimate of amount of time that state employees will spend developing the rule and of other resources necessary to develop the rule:

120 hours

6. List with description of all entities that may be affected by the proposed rule:

Registered Interior Designer credential holders and those looking to enter the profession in Wisconsin.

7. Summary and preliminary comparison with any existing or proposed federal regulation that is intended to address the activities to be regulated by the proposed rule:

None.

8. Anticipated economic impact of implementing the rule (note if the rule is likely to have a significant economic impact on small businesses):

The proposed rule is likely to have minimal or no economic impact on small businesses and the state's economy as a whole.

Contact Person: Dana Denny, (608) 287-3748, DSPSAdminRules@wisconsin.gov

Approved for publication:	Approved for implementation:		
Authorized Signature	Authorized Signature		
Date Submitted	Date Submitted		

### DSPS RUI FMAKING PROCESS

The need for a rule change is identified and a new rule project begins:

- \* By Board or Department (Dept.) initiative
- \* After legislation is signed into law

Scope Statements give a general overview of what the Board or DSPS wants to modify within the Administrative Code.

The Rulemaking process begins with a SCOPE Statement

### SCOPE APPROVALS



Board or Dept. approved Draft **Scope Statement is** submitted to the **Governor for** approval.

**Governor approved Scope** Statement is submitted for publication in **Administrative Register** and implementation.

Scope number assigned.

Following Governor approval of the Scope, the project begins a 30-month period from the date the Scope was published in the Administrative Register, to becoming effective.

### PRELIMINARY RULE DRAFTING

Before the 30-month period ends, a final rule draft must be submitted to the Legislature. If this is not done, the project will need to restart from the beginning.

The preliminary rule draft is based on what the Board or DSPS want or need to change in the Administrative Code.

The public, and all potentially affected parties have an opportunity to comment on the rule project as these comments may affect the rule draft. We do this by posting Economic Impact Analysis comment periods in the DSPS website, and we hold Public Hearings. Clearinghouse rule number assigned.



### FINAL DRAFT and LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

Once the final Rule draft is with the Legislature, we wait for them to complete their review.

They could object or not take any action. If they object, that objection is reviewed, and the project is modified accordingly. If they do not take any action, the rule can be adopted.



Rules are usually set to become effective on the first day of the month after publication in the Administrative Register.

### Architects, Land Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers, Professional Land Surveyors, and Registered Interior Designers Rule Projects (updated 12/14/22)

Clearinghouse Rule Number	Scope #	Scope Expiration	Code Chapter Affected	Relating clause/ Summary	Current Stage	Next Step
21-020	080-19	2/19/2022	A-E 2	General requirements and procedures. Amendments to ensure requirements are current with standards of practice and consistent with Statutes. Update to ensure compliance with 2017 Act 108.		Rule effective 12/1/22.
21-019	082-19	2/19/2022	A-E 8	Professional Conduct Update to ensure compliance with 2017 Act 108.		Rule effective 12/1/22.
	112-24	6/20/2024	A-E 4 and 13	Engineer in training credential. Provide more clarity as to the required education and review acceptable credentialing agencies for continuing education.	Scope withdrawn.	
	112-21	6/20/24	A-E 2, 7, and 8	Clarification on definitions of seal and stamps, requirements for electronic signatures, and clean up redundant words or sentences.	Currently drafting rule.	Posted for EIA comments, submitted to the Clearinghouse, and scheduled for a public hearing.
	Not Yet Assigned		A-E 8	Clarification on definitions of supervision to ensure requirements are current with standards of practice.	Currently drafting rule.	Posted for EIA comments, submitted to the Clearinghouse, and scheduled for a public hearing.

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Not Yet Assigned	A-E 3	Clarification of Architectural Registration language and practices	Currently drafting scope.	
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